Yahoo Group Archive: CQCQCQ

Yahoo Group summary: CQ CQ CQ Looking for a QSO

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1. Welcome All

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-12 00:04:50 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 1 Message: 1

I did see a Need for creating this Site I Welcome All and My Very First question is

When posting for a QSO And Freq . Should We all use UTC Time? Because we have No idea when someone Might see our Post. UTC Would put Everyone in the same Zone

73 De Don KA9QJG

2. Re: Welcome All

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 08:43:04 UTC
From: micisa_enterprises
Topic: 1 Message: 2

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--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Don" <KA9QJG@...> wrote:
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> question is
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> Everyone in the same Zone
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> 73 De Don KA9QJG
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I am very new. Learning code now and just got my first QRP radio.
This is something of a confusion to me though. UTC time. Can you
explain it so I can better answer your question?

Michael, KD8JSQ

3. Good group...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 14:19:26 UTC
From: Frankie L.
Topic: 3 Message: 3

Great group to start. I usually use the cluster to try and get stations for my WAS, but I now will try this site. I hope it all works out well for everybody.... Good luck...

Frank
KC2AUP

4. Re: Welcome All

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 15:49:28 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 1 Message: 4

Absolutely.....is there any other time??? :>)

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Don" <KA9QJG@...> wrote:
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5. Re: Good group...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 15:52:35 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 3 Message: 5

If you need California (fat chance) let me know.

Rick N6NKN

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6. UTC, GMT, CUT, Zulu, Greenwich. It's all the same time.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 16:36:41 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 6 Message: 6

One of the things that can be confusing to a new (or "old") ham is the use of a time standard. It's actually quiet simple. A method was needed to determine the exact time no matter where you are on this wonderful globe. If I want to contact a ham in Germany and he says he will listen for me at 2 PM in Berlin, I'll have to determine how many hours ahead or behind his time is to mine in California. This is certainly not an easy way to set up a schedule. However, if my friend in Germany said let's meet at 2200Z, there is no question. 2200Z is the same for my friend in Germany as it is for me. WWV in the United States, CHU in Canada and other time and frequency stations all broadcast the same Coordinated Universal Time. Also known as UTC, GMT, Zulu, etc.

Here in the United States, UTC is broadcast by WWV stations in Colorado and Hawaii. On Frequencies of 2.5, 5, 10, 15, and 20 Megahertz. The time announced is a 24 hour format from 0000 to 2359.

Most hams have a 24 hour clock in the shack set to UTC so setting schedules is an easy task.

As I write this it is 1645 UTC.

Rick N6NKN

7. Re: UTC, GMT, CUT, Zulu, Greenwich. It's all the same time.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 16:50:12 UTC
From: jgeidl@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 6 Message: 7

Rick makes a good point. Here is a link to a nice world clock that is free and it allows you to have multiple clocks showing on your PC. Great for those of use that are computer addicted.

Jim, K6JMG

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@...> wrote:
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> Rick N6NKN
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8. QSO request satndardization

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 16:52:20 UTC
From: jgeidl@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 8 Message: 8

OK, so I'm OCD. It would be real nice if we came up with some kind of semi-standard subject line for those messages that are a simple request for a QSO: a CQ.

Made: CQ 7.190 LSB 05:00UTC

Just a sugestion. This way you don't even have to open the messages.

Jim, K6JMG

9. Re: QSO request satndardization

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 16:57:51 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 8 Message: 9

Better add a call sign and location. I might not be able to work
Vermont at 0800 UTC on 40 meters.

Rick N6NKN

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10. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: QSO request satndardization

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 17:14:47 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 8 Message: 10

That's a good idea. So now are we up to

Maybe: CQ 7.190 LSB 05:00UTC de K6JMG, Antioch, CA

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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> -----Original Message-----
> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
> On Behalf Of Richard Zolla
> Sent: Saturday, February 14, 2009 8:58 AM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] Re: QSO request satndardization
>
> Better add a call sign and location. I might not be able to
> work Vermont at 0800 UTC on 40 meters.
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> Rick N6NKN
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> > Jim, K6JMG

11. world clock link

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 17:22:50 UTC
From: alewek@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 11 Message: 11

Jim, K6JMG, would you please resend the link for the world clock mentioned before? Thanks. Al WA9APL

12. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: UTC, GMT, CUT, Zulu, Greenwich. It's all the same time.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 17:35:09 UTC
From: Michael Schaap
Topic: 6 Message: 12

Jim, I think you forgot the link (happens to me all the time) :)
-
Michael Schaap, KD8JSQ
Life is short. Have a little fun once in a while.

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A place for QRP homebrewers to share their projects with the world.

On Sat, 2009-02-14 at 16:50 +0000, jgeidl@... wrote:
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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 18:01:32 UTC
From: John
Topic: 13 Message: 13

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Looking forward to working everyon, especially anyone who needs ND (and who doesn't ;))

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

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14. RE: [CQCQCQ] world clock link

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 18:35:14 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 11 Message: 14

<http://www.qlock.com/>

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
> On Behalf Of alewek@...
> Sent: Saturday, February 14, 2009 9:23 AM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] world clock link
>
> Jim, K6JMG, would you please resend the link for the world clock
> mentioned before? Thanks. Al WA9APL

15. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: UTC, GMT, CUT, Zulu, Greenwich. It's all thesame time.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 18:36:36 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 6 Message: 15

Michael,

Anyone that knows me would not be at all surprised that I forgot the link.
It is below:

<http://www.qlock.com/>

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
> On Behalf Of Michael Schaap
> Sent: Saturday, February 14, 2009 9:35 AM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: UTC, GMT, CUT, Zulu, Greenwich.
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16. RE: [CQCQCQ] Great idea

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 18:39:11 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 13 Message: 16

John,

I still need ND and I think N6NKN does too so maybe we can try a sked this weekend. You and the other North Dakota ham are our only hope. :-)

Jim, K6JMG
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> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
> On Behalf Of John
> Sent: Saturday, February 14, 2009 10:02 AM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] Great idea
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> Think this is a great idea for a group. As others have said,
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17. RE: [CQCQCQ] world clock link

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 19:50:50 UTC
From: Al lewek
Topic: 11 Message: 17

Jim. Thank you very much for the clock link. It works fine. Hope to catch you in a QSO soon. AL WA9APL

--- On Sat, 2/14/09, James M.(Jim) Geidl <jgeidl@...> wrote:
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl <jgeidl@...>
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] world clock link
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Saturday, February 14, 2009, 12:35 PM

<http://www.qlock. com/>

Jim, K6JMG

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18. ND

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-14 21:07:20 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 13 Message: 18

Jim, as well as Rick, et al,
How about Sunday afternoon. 20 meters? Since you are on west coast time,
let me know what works. Not too late, otherwise I might lose 20 meters, but
of course there is 40 if that can work

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
James M.(Jim) Geidl
Sent: Saturday, February 14, 2009 12:39 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] Great idea

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> On Behalf Of John
> Sent: Saturday, February 14, 2009 10:02 AM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ%40yahoogroups.com> com
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19. RE: [CQCQCQ] ND

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 00:22:29 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 13 Message: 19

You guys work it out and let me know.

Jim, K6JMG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
John Murphy
Sent: Saturday, February 14, 2009 1:07 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
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20. Big Welcome To All Members

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 01:04:43 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 20 Message: 20

Just like to Say a Big Welcome to all the Members, I had posted the Info at 3 In the Morning Chicago time and at 3 In the Afternoon we have 31 Members. As I stated and I am sure others have seen it happen on many groups hams wanting to try and set up a contact for whatever reason, Then some would get upset because it was off topic

Most of the time it will be a Member who never has anything to add to the group, But the First to Play COP. , Owners and Moderators that's different that's their Job, If someone posted a Bunch of Crap or has a bad Hair day , Hey that's on them Everyone is Smart enough to know that., I think most of us are adults and have our own Problem and not have to worry about everyone else's

So at least it will be on Topic here and of course it is only a matter of time until we sway off of it , But it will run it's course I believe in Freedom of speech and the Delete key. If I don't like the content of a QSO I just spin the dial.

It looks like the Consensus of the Members We should use UTC Time when Posting Looking for a Contact
That way everyone will know what time Worldwide.

And as one of the Members pointed out more info on UTC Here
http://tinyurl.com/8tf8h

Digital and Analogue clocks are cheap now all over the place that could be added to the Ham shack and Set for UTC

I did Fine one I like on the I-Net Here
http://www.irnis.net/soft/aclock/

It is small and Runs when you start the computer, you can move it around where You want, I put it just above My Computer time in Green

If you install it, Right click and Make it for UTC and to start with the Computer if that is the way you want it. I do think the Accuracy of that is dependent on the accuracy of Your Computer time, and they are Programs to make that accurate too.

PS , The only place I posted about this Group was on Ham Radio Help and Indiana Ham ,And I did Personally E-Mail each owner and ask Permission to do so,

So to make this work for the ones Interested , You the Members must Spread the word to Whomever your Friends are that also might like the reason this site was set up .

73 Enjoy

Don KA9QJG

21. Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Great idea

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 06:08:10 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 21 Message: 21

Good one. As a matter of fact, I also need N. D. for my WAS, and the contact will also go towards my County hunt. Drop a line as to when the sked will be...

Thanks,
Frank
KC2AUP...

From: jgeidl@...
Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 2/14/2009 1:39:29 P.M. Eastern Standard Time
Subj: RE: [CQCQCQ] Great idea

John,

I still need ND and I think N6NKN does too so maybe we can try a sked this weekend. You and the other North Dakota ham are our only hope. :-)

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.www

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> From: _CQCQCQ@..._ (mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com)
[mailto:_CQCQCQ@..._ (mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com)]
> On Behalf Of John
> Sent: Saturday, February 14, 2009 10:02 AM
> To: _CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.CQC_ (mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com)
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] Great idea
>
> Think this is a great idea for a group. As others have said,
> we just have to remember that it isn't real time. Also I
> think using UTC is great. For those unfamiliar, do a google
> search for Universal Coordianted Time, Zulu time or something
> along those lines. Wiki has a great writing on it. Simply
> put though, if you live in the US (and we are currently on
> regualr time (not daylight savings, tho I often wonder how we
> are saving daylight, it is still light the same amount of
> hours...but another tpic another group LOL)...simply
> subtract 5 hours from UTC time for eastern, 6 hours for
> central, etc).. I hope this is right..if not someone please
> correct me.
>
> Looking forward to working everyon, especially anyone who
> needs ND (and who doesn't ;))

>
> 73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
> John Murphy
> _kc0jpo@...0_ (mailto:kc0jpo@...)
> Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
>
> "When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

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22. Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Re: Good group...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 06:30:43 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 22 Message: 22

Actually Rick, I could use Orange County... Too late now. 1:30 AM here in Jersey... I will check tomorrow...

Thanks... I am in Somerset County, New Jersey. If anybody needs it, let me know...

Frank
KC2AUP...

From: N6NKN@...
Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 2/14/2009 10:54:19 A.M. Eastern Standard Time
Subj: [CQCQCQ] Re: Good group...

If you need California (fat chance) let me know.

Rick N6NKN

--- In _CQCQCQ@..._ (mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com) , "Frankie L." <kc2aup@...> wrote:
>
> Great group to start. I usually use the cluster to try and get
> stations for my WAS, but I now will try this site. I hope it all works
> out well for everybody... out well for
>
> Frank
> KC2AUP
>

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23. N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 16:02:55 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 23 Message: 23

I'll be there most of the morning.

Rick N6NKN

24. RE: [CQCQCQ] N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 16:11:26 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 23 Message: 24

Rick, I will be there in about 2 hours. I am involved in a MARS net until then.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richard Zolla
Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 10:03 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.

I'll be there most of the morning.

Rick N6NKN

25. Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 16:13:53 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 23 Message: 25

Ok,

Hope to hear you then.

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "John Murphy" <jmurphy7411@...> wrote:
>
> Rick, I will be there in about 2 hours. I am involved in a MARS
net until
> then.
>
>
> 73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
> John Murphy
> kc0jpo@...
> Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
>
> "When all else fails...Amateur Radio"
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> _____
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> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On
Behalf Of
> Richard Zolla
> Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 10:03 AM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange
County, Costa
> Mesa, Ca.
>
>
>
> I'll be there most of the morning.
>
> Rick N6NKN
>

26. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 16:53:43 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 23 Message: 26

Rick,

I tried you a couple times but no joy. I will monitor for awhile but we are going to go run errands in a while so my miss you guys.

My window line wrapped around the chimney in the wind last night and that my be affecting my signals...stucco with wire mesh inside it. Window line doesn't like it very much. Too nasty to go out and climb up and move it today.

Jim

James M. (Jim) Geidl
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
> On Behalf Of Richard Zolla
> Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 8:14 AM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z,
> Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.
>
> Ok,
>
> Hope to hear you then.
>
> Rick N6NKN
>
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>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "John Murphy" <jmurphy7411@...> wrote:

> >
> > Rick, I will be there in about 2 hours. I am involved in a MARS
> net until
> > then.
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> > 73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
> > John Murphy
> > kc0jpo@...
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> > From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On
> Behalf Of
> > Richard Zolla
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> > To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> > Subject: [CQCQCQ] N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange
> County, Costa
> > Mesa, Ca.
> >
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> >
> > I'll be there most of the morning.
> >
> > Rick N6NKN
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27. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 18:01:18 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 23 Message: 27

I really like the Format Rick N6NKN Use to Post his info in case everyone did not see it I will Repost the way He did it

----------N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.----------

I Think doing it that way no matter where We are at if using UTC Time it will be easy to fig it out . I don't know if We should also post When it was sent

This --------- Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 8:14 AM -------- Never know when Yahoo will decide it out Someone more Familiar with this Might comment on their Delays of getting a Message ,

73 De Don KA9QJG

28. Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa ...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 18:05:18 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 28 Message: 28

Someone is talking on there right now... I do not think it is you however....

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From: KA9QJG@...
Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 2/15/2009 1:01:37 P.M. Eastern Standard Time
Subj: RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.

I really like the Format Rick N6NKN Use to Post his info in case everyone did not see it I will Repost the way He did it
----------<WBR>---------<WBR>---N6NKN LOrange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.---------, Ca---
I Think doing it that way no matter where We are at if using UTC Time it will be easy to fig it out . I don’t know if We should also post When it was sent
This --------- Sent: Sent: <ST1>Sunday, February 1 <ST1>8 -------- Never know when Yahoo will decide it out Someone more Familiar with this Might comment on their Delays of getting a Message ,
73 De Don <ST1>K

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29. Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.263 USB, 1809Z, Orange County, Costa ...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 18:09:14 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 28 Message: 29

I've moved, but am still listening.

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, kc2aup@... wrote:
>
> Someone is talking on there right now... I do not think it is you
however....
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> _____
> From: KA9QJG@...
> Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Sent: 2/15/2009 1:01:37 P.M. Eastern Standard Time
> Subj: RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z,
Orange County,
> Costa Mesa, Ca.
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> I really like the Format Rick N6NKN Use to Post his info in case
everyone
> did not see it I will Repost the way He did it
> ----------<WBR>---------<WBR>---N6NKN
LOrange
> County, Costa Mesa, Ca.---------, Ca---
> I Think doing it that way no matter where We are at if using UTC
Time it
> will be easy to fig it out . I donâ□□t know if We should also
post When it
> was sent
> This --------- Sent: Sent: <ST1>Sunday, February 1 <ST1>8 --------
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> know when Yahoo will decide it out Someone more Familiar with this
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> comment on their Delays of getting a Message ,
> 73 De Don <ST1>K

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26hmpgID=62%26bcd=fe
> bemailfooterNO62)
>

30. This Works!!!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 18:29:40 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 30 Message: 30

Used it this AM to set up a sked with John, KC0JPO in NORTH DAKOTA.

Thanks so much John.

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

31. RE: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 18:44:31 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 30 Message: 31

Yes it does!!! Rick I am currently updating info in eQSL, go ahead and send if you want. Anyone else? I am still on 14263 and looking for more

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richard Zolla
Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 12:30 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

Used it this AM to set up a sked with John, KC0JPO in NORTH DAKOTA.

Thanks so much John.

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

32. RE: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 20:09:59 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 30 Message: 32

I'd love to but I have someone on 14.265 that is so loud I can't hear much on 14.263.

Jim

James M. (Jim) Geidl
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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of John Murphy
Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 10:45 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

Yes it does!!! Rick I am currently updating info in eQSL, go ahead and send if you want. Anyone else? I am still on 14263 and looking for more

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To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

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Thanks so much John.

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

33. RE: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 20:49:16 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 30 Message: 33

Jim, if you are still here I am on 14281 now. Seems quiet...

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
James M.(Jim) Geidl
Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 2:10 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

I'd love to but I have someone on 14.265 that is so loud I can't hear much
on 14.263.

Jim

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Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 12:30 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

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Thanks so much John.

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

34. 20 meters is still very very active...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 21:23:44 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 34 Message: 34

I am currently on 14300, in ND, and it is 2123 UTC.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

35. RE: [CQCQCQ] 20 meters is still very very active...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 21:41:46 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 34 Message: 35

John,

I called a few times but you obviously couldn't hear me or I couldn't hear you reply.

I do have a lot of 20m activity overall, though.

Jim

James M. (Jim) Geidl
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3528 Liberty Ct.
Antioch, CA 94509

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> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
> On Behalf Of John Murphy
> Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 1:24 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] 20 meters is still very very active...
>
> I am currently on 14300, in ND, and it is 2123 UTC.
>
> 73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
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36. RE: [CQCQCQ] 20 meters is still very very active...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 21:50:46 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 34 Message: 36

I hear the Mobile Maritime Services Net on there now...want to try another?

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
James M.(Jim) Geidl
Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 3:42 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] 20 meters is still very very active...

John,

I called a few times but you obviously couldn't hear me or I couldn't hear
you reply.

I do have a lot of 20m activity overall, though.

Jim

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37. KC0JPO listening on 14280.5 2154UTC North Dakota

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 21:54:39 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 37 Message: 37

Looking for anyone

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

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38. RE: [CQCQCQ] 20 meters is still very very active...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 22:05:11 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 34 Message: 38

Yeah, I even checked in with W4YKY in GA.

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of John Murphy
Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 1:51 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] 20 meters is still very very active...

I hear the Mobile Maritime Services Net on there now...want to try another?

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of James M.(Jim) Geidl
Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 3:42 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] 20 meters is still very very active...

John,

I called a few times but you obviously couldn't hear me or I couldn't hear you reply.

I do have a lot of 20m activity overall, though.

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39. Again it works

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 22:13:15 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 39 Message: 39

Good talking with you Jim (K6JMG). Looking forward to getting more people involved on the air. Email me off list and let me know how to send QSL)mail or eqsl or whatever. Looking forward to another time

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

40. RE: [CQCQCQ] KC0JPO listening on 14280.5 2154UTC North Dakota

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 22:14:04 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 37 Message: 40

Good talking with you, John. I will try and hook up with you and N6NKN on 40m later.

Jim

James M. (Jim) Geidl
www.spinochio.com
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Antioch, CA 94509

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> -----Original Message-----
> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
> On Behalf Of John Murphy
> Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 1:55 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] KC0JPO listening on 14280.5 2154UTC North Dakota
>
> Looking for anyone
>
> 73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
> John Murphy
> kc0jpo@...
> Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
>
> "When all else fails...Amateur Radio"
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41. RE: [CQCQCQ] Again it works

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 22:16:56 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 39 Message: 41

I'm good on QRZ and eQSL. I have already tagged you in eQSL.

Jim, K6jmg

> On Behalf Of John Murphy
> Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 2:13 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] Again it works
>
> Good talking with you Jim (K6JMG). Looking forward to
> getting more people involved on the air. Email me off list
> and let me know how to send QSL)mail or eqsl or whatever.
> Looking forward to another time
>
> 73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
> John Murphy
> kc0jpo@...
> Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
>
> "When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

42. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 22:19:35 UTC
From: Leslie Elliott
Topic: 23 Message: 42

You're right Jim, the window line being wrapped around the chimney is almost positively going to affect your signals. I am running window line to my W5GI Mystery antenna, and it comes into the house via a "doggy door" and lays on the ground for a bit. To keep this from ruining my signal, I transition to a paralleled pair of coax cables, with the center conductor of each coax going to one side or the other of the window line. The shields are tied together at the tuner/balun at the transmitter end, and then to station ground. The impedance of the coax pair is twice that of the individual coax. You can buy RG-62u Coax, which is 125 ohm, and will give you a 250 ohm match to your windowline. Assuming you are using 300 ohm windowline, that would be a fairly close match, probably not enough of a missmatch to affect your signal much. In my case, my impedance is all over the place anyway, depending on which band I am on, so I am using just plain old
75 ohm coax, and have had excellent results from my Mystery antenna. The best DX so far was a recent pSK31 QSO with Australia, long path @ 15,000miles!! And my antenna is only up around 20 ft, which is much lower that I would like.

Looks like this new group is coming along great. It is filling a need for those Hams that might be having problems getting theit station working as it should, or those that need specific states or countrys for awards.

KCØPTO Les

--- On Sun, 2/15/09, James M.(Jim) Geidl <jgeidl@...> wrote:
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl <jgeidl@sbcglobal.net>
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Sunday, February 15, 2009, 10:53 AM

Rick,

I tried you a couple times but no joy. I will monitor for awhile but we are going to go run errands in a while so my miss you guys.

My window line wrapped around the chimney in the wind last night and that my be affecting my signals...stucco with wire mesh inside it. Window line doesn't like it very much. Too nasty to go out and climb up and move it today.

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> -----Original Message-----
> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
> On Behalf Of Richard Zolla
> Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 8:14 AM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z,
> Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.
>
> Ok,
>
> Hope to hear you then.
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> Rick N6NKN
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> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "John Murphy"
<jmurphy7411@...> wrote:
> >
> > Rick, I will be there in about 2 hours. I am involved in a MARS
> net until
> > then.
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> > 73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
> > John Murphy
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> > From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On

> Behalf Of
> > Richard Zolla
> > Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 10:03 AM
> > To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> > Subject: [CQCQCQ] N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange
> County, Costa
> > Mesa, Ca.
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> > I'll be there most of the morning.
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> > Rick N6NKN
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43. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 22:25:17 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 23 Message: 43

Les,

I don't normally have the window line wrapped around the chimney but had some very strong wind last night and it blew the line up high enough to get it over the chimney. This has happened twice. I have to do something to it to keep it from doing this in the future. Not a biggy, just have to dig out the 30' step ladder and get up on the chimney...and I hate heights!

Jim

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Leslie Elliott
Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 2:20 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.

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--- On Sun, 2/15/09, James M.(Jim) Geidl <jgeidl@...> wrote:

From: James M.(Jim) Geidl <jgeidl@...>
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange

County, Costa Mesa, Ca.
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
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> Ok,
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> Hope to hear you then.
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> Rick N6NKN

44. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 22:48:16 UTC
From: Leslie Elliott
Topic: 23 Message: 44

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I'm 72 years old, so cannot do ANY climbing any more, and have to rely on Ham Club friends to do my antennas. I'm very lucky that the Mystery antenna is working so well! Don't feel the need for anything different.

KCØPTO Les

--- On Sun, 2/15/09, James M.(Jim) Geidl <jgeidl@sbcglobal.net> wrote:

#yiv220542278 .ygrp-photo-title {
CLEAR:both;FONT-SIZE:smaller;OVERFLOW:hidden;WIDTH:75px;HEIGHT:15px;TEXT-ALIGN:center;}
#yiv220542278 DIV.ygrp-photo {
BORDER-RIGHT:black 1px solid;BACKGROUND-POSITION:center 50%;BORDER-TOP:black 1px solid;BORDER-LEFT:black 1px solid;WIDTH:62px;BORDER-BOTTOM:black 1px solid;BACKGROUND-REPEAT:no-repeat;HEIGHT:62px;BACKGROUND-COLOR:white;}
#yiv220542278 DIV.photo-title A {
TEXT-DECORATION:none;}
#yiv220542278 DIV.photo-title A:active {
TEXT-DECORATION:none;}
#yiv220542278 DIV.photo-title A:hover {
TEXT-DECORATION:none;}
#yiv220542278 DIV.photo-title A:visited {
TEXT-DECORATION:none;}
#yiv220542278 DIV.attach-table DIV.attach-row {
CLEAR:both;}
#yiv220542278 DIV.attach-table DIV.attach-row DIV {
FLOAT:left;}
#yiv220542278 P {
CLEAR:both;PADDING-RIGHT:0px;PADDING-LEFT:0px;PADDING-BOTTOM:3px;OVERFLOW:hidden;PADDING-TOP:15px;}
#yiv220542278 P SPAN {
COLOR:#628c2a;}
#yiv220542278 DIV.ygrp-file {
WIDTH:30px;}
#yiv220542278 DIV.attach-table DIV.attach-row DIV DIV A {
TEXT-DECORATION:none;}
#yiv220542278 DIV.attach-table DIV.attach-row DIV DIV SPAN {
FONT-WEIGHT:normal;}

#yiv220542278 DIV.ygrp-file-title {
FONT-WEIGHT:bold;}

#yiv220542278 #ygrp-mkp {
BORDER-RIGHT:#d8d8d8 1px solid;PADDING-RIGHT:14px;BORDER-TOP:#d8d8d8 1px
solid;PADDING-LEFT:14px;PADDING-BOTTOM:0px;MARGIN:14px 0px;BORDER-LEFT:#d8d8d8 1px
solid;PADDING-TOP:0px;BORDER-BOTTOM:#d8d8d8 1px solid;FONT-FAMILY:Arial;}
#yiv220542278 #ygrp-mkp HR {
BORDER-RIGHT:#d8d8d8 1px solid;BORDER-TOP:#d8d8d8 1px solid;BORDER-LEFT:#d8d8d8 1px
solid;BORDER-BOTTOM:#d8d8d8 1px solid;}
#yiv220542278 #ygrp-mkp #hd {
FONT-WEIGHT:bold;FONT-SIZE:85%;MARGIN:10px 0px;COLOR:#628c2a;LINE-HEIGHT:122%;}
#yiv220542278 #ygrp-mkp #ads {
MARGIN-BOTTOM:10px;}
#yiv220542278 #ygrp-mkp .ad {
PADDING-RIGHT:0px;PADDING-LEFT:0px;PADDING-BOTTOM:0px;PADDING-TOP:0px;}
#yiv220542278 #ygrp-mkp .ad A {
COLOR:#0000ff;TEXT-DECORATION:none;}

Les,

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chimney but had some very strong wind last night and it blew the line up high
enough to get it over the chimney. This has happened twice. I have
to do something to it to keep it from doing this in the future. Not a
biggy, just have to dig out the 30' step ladder and get up on the chimney...and
I hate heights!

Jim

45. Re: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 22:55:56 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 30 Message: 45

Hi John,

Been throwing you call out, but I guess you cannot hear me..

Frank
KC2AUP...

In a message dated 2/15/2009 1:46:04 P.M. Eastern Standard Time,
jmurphy7411@... writes:

Yes it does!!! Rick I am currently updating info in eQSL, go ahead and send
if you want. Anyone else? I am still on 14263 and looking for more

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...0
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.<WB CQCQCQ@yaho CQCQOn Behalf
Of Richard Zolla
Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 12:30 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.
Subject: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

Used it this AM to set up a sked with John, KC0JPO in NORTH DAKOTA.

Thanks so much John.

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

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steps!
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editreport.com/pm/default.aspx?sc=668072%26hmpgID=62%26bcd=fe
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46. Re: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 22:57:19 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 30 Message: 46

N.D. is one of the States I need for my WAS.. I'll keep trying..

Frank
KC2AUP

In a message dated 2/15/2009 1:32:07 P.M. Eastern Standard Time,
N6NKN@... writes:

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Thanks so much John.

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47. Re: N6NKN Listening On 14.265 USB, 1600Z, Orange County, Costa Mesa, Ca.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 22:59:35 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 23 Message: 47

Les,

I probably saw you at OCIR. We moved to Costa Mesa from Illinois in 1968.

Yes, LOTS has changed.

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Leslie Elliott <kc0pto@...> wrote:
>
> Just thought you might not have to worry about this happening again by using the coax pair from just above the chimney to inside the Hamshack. I am very aware of those Santa Ana winds, as I used to live in San Diego, and did a lot of Drag Racing at the Orange
> County International Raceway, which is long gone. I bet Costa Mesa and
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> I'm 72 years old, so cannot do ANY climbing any more, and have to rely on Ham Club friends to do my antennas. I'm very lucky that the Mystery antenna is working so well! Don't feel the need for anything different.
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> KCØPTO Les
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48. RE: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 23:00:27 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 30 Message: 48

I am now on 14278 Frank if you wish to try again. I was getting too much QRM on the other freq,

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of kc2aup@...
Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 4:57 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

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Frank
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49. Re: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 23:04:38 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 30 Message: 49

I have someone on 14.280, and someone on 14.275. They are killing me here in Jersey...
I will keep trying or try another time... Thanks...

In a message dated 2/15/2009 6:00:59 P.M. Eastern Standard Time, jmurphy7411@... writes:

I am now on 14278 Frank if you wish to try again. I was getting too much QRM on the other freq,

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...0
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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.<WB CQCQCQ@yaho CQCQOn Behalf Of kc2aup@...2
Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 4:57 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. CQ
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This Works!!!!!!!

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50. Frank, I hear You Here In So Cal

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 23:04:41 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 30 Message: 50

De Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "John Murphy" <jmurphy7411@...> wrote:
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> I am now on 14278 Frank if you wish to try again. I was getting
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51. Re: [CQCQCQ] Frank, I hear You Here In So Cal

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 23:07:32 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 30 Message: 51

Rick,

I will keep trying. Costa Mesa? I was a Valley Dude. Lived in the Valley... Reseda, Canoga Park and Woodland Hills...

In a message dated 2/15/2009 6:05:00 P.M. Eastern Standard Time, N6NKN@... writes:

De Rick, N6NKN

--- In _CQCQCQ@..._ (mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com) , "John Murphy" <jmurphy7411@jmu> wrote:
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> From: _CQCQCQ@..._ (mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com) [mailto:_CQCQCQ@..._ (mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com)] On Behalf Of
> kc2aup@...
> Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 4:57 PM
> To: _CQCQCQ@..._ (mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com)
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editreport.com/pm/default.aspx?sc=668072%26hmpgID=62%26bcd=fe
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52. Re: Frank, I hear You Here In So Cal

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 23:12:33 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 30 Message: 52

Short but sweet Frank.

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53. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Frank, I hear You Here In So Cal

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 23:22:29 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 30 Message: 53

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54. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: Frank, I hear You Here In So Cal

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 23:26:06 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 30 Message: 54

Yes you can!!! WE did exchange sig reports and we did talk, so as far as I am concerned it was a contact, though not one I prefer. I like to have a little more 'regular conversations'. I already have a card made for you Frank, and will get it in the mail this week.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
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"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of kc2aup@...
Sent: Sunday, February 15, 2009 5:22 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Frank, I hear You Here In So Cal

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55. Re: Frank, I hear You Here In So Cal

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 23:28:52 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 30 Message: 55

Frank,

You bet. Put me in the Log. Same as a DX contact.

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 23:29:56 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 30 Message: 56

Great. I know what you mean. I like some conversation also. Thanks for the new County for me also. As son as I get your card, I will mail mine out to you. Thanks again. Looking forward to another, longer QSO...

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57. KC2AUP And KC0JPO

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-15 23:50:54 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 57 Message: 57

Thanks Gentleman,

Your QSLs are in the mail.

de Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

58. Emails

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-16 16:11:51 UTC
From: Ed Culbertson
Topic: 58 Message: 58

PLEASE delete the 'old' part(s) of a 'RE:', except the significant parts necessary for subject. Some of these are 'addon' messages that scroll and scroll for a three or four screens full and most of that is 'old hat' so to speak. It only takes a second or so to do that.

I don't know about others, but I am on digest just for interest right now and it can be many screens full and 75 plus percent is just a copy of the previous message(s).

When I go on air, I will switch to individual emails so it is more immediate and stand a chance of contacting, till then, I enjoy the emails digested.

Thanks In Advance

ed/ke7feg

59. Daily Propagation Group, 18.153, 1755 Z To 1830 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-16 16:34:55 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 59 Message: 59

Just a group of guys that get together on a daily basis to check propagation on 17 and 12 meters. We start forming a few minutes before 1800 Z and usually run until about 1830 Z. We have stations from the East coast, the West coast and all parts in between. We announce the WWV solar conditions at 18 minutes after the hour and then QSY to check propagation on 12 meters at 24.967.5. We then go back to 18.153 and report any 12 meter contacts. (Yes, we do find propagation on 12 meters from time to time.)

We disband at about 1830 Z and the guys on the East Coast go off to 40 meters.

Listen in, or better yet join us. We welcome all.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

60. Re: [CQCQCQ] PLS TRIM REPLIES!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-16 19:56:51 UTC
From: kc9brz
Topic: 60 Message: 60

Folks, please TRIM the the excessive quotes from your replies.

There's no need to have pages and pages of the previous messages
that you're replying to.

Only one level or iteration of quoted portion should be enough. Or else,
just enough so that someone can jump in and see what you're refering to.

And especially, please delete (from the quoted portion) the silly footers
that Yahoo and your email provider put in as ads or instructions.

Excess quoted portions become a real hassle when someone is
subscribed in "digest mode" and gets all the days emails in one email.

It's also just good netiquette.

Thanks.

61. RE: [CQCQCQ] PLS TRIM REPLIES!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-16 20:15:20 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 60 Message: 61

A Member posted

Folks, please TRIM the excessive quotes from your replies.

There's no need to have pages and pages of the previous messages that you're replying to.

----------Yes, I Have got some Complaints about this TOO, And sometime People will actually unsubscribed because of it . And if You are using this Group to make a Contact and You have it set for Digest I am not sure how that would work if You are looking for a real time/

With this said and at the request of a few Members , maybe Not all actually know How to Strip out a message , so if some one Here who can Write it up better then I can in Nice Layman Terms Please do

Congratulations to the Few who have already been successful in making a Few Contacts

73 De Don KA9QJG

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62. Re: PLS TRIM REPLIES!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-16 20:32:06 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 60 Message: 62

Your right Don,

I believe you started this group to lessen the disruption of a few other groups when a few of us (hopefully more soon) attempt to set up schedules and contacts. Things do get messy at times, but those things happen "in the heat of the battle" so to speak. I hope others will have a little more tolerance for breaches of email protocol.

Thanks for starting this group and if we stumble in the first few weeks please forgive us.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

63. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: PLS TRIM REPLIES!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-16 21:05:33 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 60 Message: 63

Thanks for starting this group and if we stumble in the first few weeks please forgive us.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

Thanks for the Support Rick, it was Set up for the Members, It will be up them if the concept of this Group works or not, no one is Perfect, especially Me,

I saw a post one time that taught Me a valuable lesson.

Quote

Hey Idiot It if You joined this group with intelligent people at least You should learn how to read and write.

The Poster E-Mailed back, That He was Grateful for having the opportunity to join the group and ask a question and he was Sorry for Not being able to write and spell better, But He had been shot in the Head in Vietnam and was now in Treatment at a VA Hospital and was trying the best He could to fit in, and He was Sorry he would Unsubscribe as to not bother anybody

Well I never forgot that and it Taught Me a valuable lesson I will never forget about judging people.

My Excuse I am told Old, to Tired Have enough problems of My own Without worrying about how someone spells a word

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS This is a HOBBY

It is A World Wide Internet

We have People with Disabilities, Who might Be Blind or hard of seeing they might even use CAPITALS

64. Western States Group, 7.190.5, Weekdays at 2300 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-16 22:22:53 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 64 Message: 64

Just an informal group that gets together to swap lies. Every weekday from 2300 Z to 0000 Z. Throw in your call to be recognized.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

65. new

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-18 11:01:58 UTC
From: ki4mxo
Topic: 65 Message: 65

just wanted to say hey to all. im up late at night/early morning, so if anyone wants to have a QSO on 40 or maybe 75/80 (if my antenna will tune!!), let me know!
best 73's to all,
josh KI4MXO

2204 Hermosa Dr.
Bullhead City, AZ
86442

66. Re: new

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-19 02:31:01 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 65 Message: 66

Hi Josh,

I use 40 to Arizona in the afternoon and 75 at night and early (not too early) mornings. I'll try to put a shout out for you if you'll let me know your listening.

Just put the time (Zulu) and the frequency here on CQCQCQ.

Rick, N6NKN, Costa Mesa, Ca.

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "ki4mxo" <ki4mxo@...> wrote:
>
> just wanted to say hey to all. im up late at night/early morning, so if
> anyone wants to have a QSO on 40 or maybe 75/80 (if my antenna will
> tune!!), let me know!
> best 73's to all,
> josh KI4MXO
>
> 2204 Hermosa Dr.
> Bullhead City, AZ
> 86442
>

67. Looking for first hf contact 20m? NM

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-19 13:52:20 UTC
From: Daniel
Topic: 67 Message: 67

I finally got my hf rig set up and am looking to try for some contacts.
I am runnung 50w+- into a dipole. central NM

68. Re: Looking for first hf contact 20m? NM

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-19 15:45:47 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 67 Message: 68

Great,

Need a time and a frequency and I'll be listening / calling you.

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Daniel" <threedogdan@...> wrote:
>
> I finally got my hf rig set up and am looking to try for some
contacts.
> I am runnung 50w+- into a dipole. central NM
>

69. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Looking for first hf contact 20m? NM

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-19 15:52:14 UTC
From: Robert G Chimel, WA3LWR
Topic: 67 Message: 69

Yes, select a time (UTC) and frequency and a number of us in different
states
can try and listen.

Richard Zolla wrote:
>
> Great,
>
> Need a time and a frequency and I'll be listening / calling you.
>
> Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100%)
>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com <mailto:CQCQCQ%40yahoogroups.com>,
> "Daniel" <threedogdan@...> wrote:
> >
> > I finally got my hf rig set up and am looking to try for some
> contacts.
> > I am runnung 50w+- into a dipole. central NM
> >
>
>

70. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Looking for first hf contact 20m? NM

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-19 16:25:06 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 67 Message: 70

I will be looking for that also.

========== K8JHR ==========

Robert G Chimel, WA3LWR wrote:
> Yes, select a time (UTC) and frequency and a number of us in different
> states
> can try and listen.
>

--

71. LOOKING FOR DIGITAL CONTACTS

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-19 19:49:49 UTC
From: Rick
Topic: 71 Message: 71

Hello Gang

I am very active on PSK31, MFSK, Olivia and just about any other digital mode you want to try.

I am up most mornings around 13:00 UTC and in the shack on 3.580, 7.035 or 7.070.

This will last until the first week of April. Then I will go back to work at the golf course and will not be around much until the end of October.

So if you are looking for a digital QSo please feel free to contact me.

73, Rick, VE3FMC

72. Re: Looking for first hf contact 20m? NM

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 00:35:56 UTC
From: Daniel
Topic: 67 Message: 72

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--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> I will be looking for that also.
>
> ======================= K8JHR ====================
>
> Robert G Chimel, WA3LWR wrote:
> > Yes, select a time (UTC) and frequency and a number of us in
different
> > states
> > can try and listen.
> >
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>
How does 14.330 +- at 0400z sound (I hope I got the time right,
9:00mst?)? Tonight if possible.
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73. Re: Looking for first hf contact 20m? NM

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 02:00:33 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 67 Message: 73

Unfortunately, 20 meters is not a good nightime band at this point in
the sunspot cycle. Do you have an antenna for 40 meters or 75 meters??

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Daniel" <threedogdan@...> wrote:
>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@> wrote:
> >
> > I will be looking for that also.
> >
> > ======================= K8JHR ====================
> >
> > Robert G Chimel, WA3LWR wrote:
> > > Yes, select a time (UTC) and frequency and a number of us in
> different
> > > states
> > > can try and listen.
> > >
> >
> > --

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> >
> How does 14.330 +- at 0400z sound (I hope I got the time right,
> 9:00mst?)? Tonight if possible.
>

74. Re: Looking for first hf contact 20m? NM

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 02:49:28 UTC
From: Daniel
Topic: 67 Message: 74

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@...> wrote:
>I can try to tune up on 40m. What frequency is good? I hear am
shortwave radio on that band at night.

> Unfortunately, 20 meters is not a good nightime band at this point
in
> the sunspot cycle. Do you have an antenna for 40 meters or 75
meters??
>
> Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)
>
>
>
>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Daniel" <threedogdan@> wrote:
> >
> > --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@> wrote:
> > >
> > > I will be looking for that also.
> > >
> > > ======================= K8JHR ====================
> > >
> > > Robert G Chimel, WA3LWR wrote:
> > > > Yes, select a time (UTC) and frequency and a number of us in
> > different
> > > > states
> > > > can try and listen.
> > > >
> > >
> > > --
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> ----
> > ----------------------
> > >
> > How does 14.330 +- at 0400z sound (I hope I got the time right,
> > 9:00mst?)? Tonight if possible.
> >
>

75. Re: Looking for first hf contact 20m? NM

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 02:54:59 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 67 Message: 75

How about 7.215 + /- at 0400 Z. I can call you. What is your call??

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Daniel" <threedogdan@...> wrote:
>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@> wrote:
> >I can try to tune up on 40m. What frequency is good? I hear am
> shortwave radio on that band at night.
>
>
> > >
> >
>

76. Re: Looking for first hf contact 20m? NM

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 02:59:14 UTC
From: Daniel
Topic: 67 Message: 76

Sounds good to me. Call sign is KE5KFP. I'll listen for you. Thanks.
--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@...> wrote:
>
> How about 7.215 + /- at 0400 Z. I can call you. What is your call??
>
> Rick N6NKN

77. Listening And Calling On 7.215.0 LSB at 0400Z--N6NKN, Ca. and KE5KFP, N.M.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 03:05:25 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 77 Message: 77

Join us if you hear us.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

78. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening And Calling On 7.215.0 LSB at 0400Z--N6NKN, Ca. and KE5KFP, N.M.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 03:30:21 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 77 Message: 78

I'm sitting there now but there is a foreign broadcast there too.

Jim, K6JMG

> On Behalf Of Richard Zolla
> Sent: Thursday, February 19, 2009 7:05 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] Listening And Calling On 7.215.0 LSB at
> 0400Z--N6NKN, Ca. and KE5KFP, N.M.
>
> Join us if you hear us.
>
> Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

79. 7.215 Bad Choice. I'll be on 7.210 if a BC Station Doesn't Fire up.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 03:30:36 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 79 Message: 79

Sorry,

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

80. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening And Calling On 7.215.0 LSB at 0400Z--N6NKN, Ca. and KE5KFP, N.M.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 03:31:13 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 77 Message: 80

> I'm sitting there now but there is a foreign broadcast there too.
>
> Jim, K6JMG

Me too and the chinese music is playing.

Sarge w5srg

81. RE: [CQCQCQ] 7.215 Bad Choice. I'll be on 7.210 if a BC Station Doesn't Fire up.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 03:36:20 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 79 Message: 81

Better right now.

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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> On Behalf Of Richard Zolla
> Sent: Thursday, February 19, 2009 7:31 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] 7.215 Bad Choice. I'll be on 7.210 if a BC
> Station Doesn't Fire up.
>
> Sorry,
>
> Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

82. Re: 7.215 Bad Choice. I'll be on 7.210 if a BC Station Doesn't Fire up.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 03:41:11 UTC
From: Daniel
Topic: 79 Message: 82

I am getting a good copy on an asian broadcast on 7.215. I'll tune around and see if I can hear anyone. If this doesn't work, thanks for trying.

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "James M.\(Jim\) Geidl" <jgeidl@...> wrote:

>

> Better right now.

>

> Jim, K6JMG

>

83. Re: 7.215 Bad Choice. I'll be on 7.210 if a BC Station Doesn't Fire up.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 03:44:36 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 79 Message: 83

Dan,

I'll call you on 7.210 LSB at 0400 Z.

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Daniel" <threedogdan@...> wrote:
>
> I am getting a good copy on an asian broadcast on 7.215. I'll tune
> around and see if I can hear anyone. If this doesn't work, thanks for
> trying.
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "James M.\(Jim\) Geidl" <jgeidl@>
> wrote:
> >
> > Better right now.
> >
> > Jim, K6JMG
>
> >
>

84. Re: 7.215 Bad Choice. I'll be on 7.210 if a BC Station Doesn't Fire up.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 03:47:05 UTC
From: Daniel
Topic: 79 Message: 84

I'll be there.
--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@...> wrote:
>
> Dan,
>
> I'll call you on 7.210 LSB at 0400 Z.
>
> Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

85. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: 7.215 Bad Choice. I'll be on 7.210 if a BC Station Doesn't Fire up.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:04:32 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 79 Message: 85

I am hearing nothing on 7.210 but QRN.

Jim, K6JMG

> On Behalf Of Richard Zolla
> Sent: Thursday, February 19, 2009 7:45 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] Re: 7.215 Bad Choice. I'll be on 7.210 if a
> BC Station Doesn't Fire up.
>
> Dan,
>
> I'll call you on 7.210 LSB at 0400 Z.
>
> Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100%)
>
>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Daniel" <threedogdan@...> wrote:
> >
> > I am getting a good copy on an asian broadcast on 7.215. I'll tune
> > around and see if I can hear anyone. If this doesn't work,
> thanks for
> > trying.
> > --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "James M.\(Jim\) Geidl" <jgeidl@>
> > wrote:
> > >
> > > Better right now.
> > >
> > > Jim, K6JMG

86. It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:09:47 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 86 Message: 86

Dan, KE5KFP worked Rick, N6NKN on 7.210 at 0408 Z on 2-20-09.

Thanks Dan,

The QSL is in the mail.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

87. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: 7.215 Bad Choice. I'll be on 7.210 if a BC Station Doesn't Fire up.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:10:49 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 79 Message: 87

Where are you guys now at 04:10 z ??

========== JHR ==========

88. Re: 7.215 Bad Choice. I'll be on 7.210 if a BC Station Doesn't Fire up.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:13:01 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 79 Message: 88

I'm at 7.210.

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> Where are you guys now at 04:10 z ??
>
> ========== JHR ==========
>

89. Re: [CQCQCQ] It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:13:22 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 86 Message: 89

Where now?

========== JHr ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> Dan, KE5KFP worked Rick, N6NKN on 7.210 at 0408 Z on 2-20-09.
>
> Thanks Dan,
>
> The QSL is in the mail.
>
> Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)
>
>
>
> ---
>
> Yahoo! Groups Links
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>

90. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: 7.215 Bad Choice. I'll be on 7.210 if a BC Station Doesn't Fire up.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:15:10 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 79 Message: 90

I am calling on that freq

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> I'm at 7.210.
>
> Rick N6NKN
>
>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>> Where are you guys now at 04:10 z ??
>>
>> ========== JHR ==========
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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91. Re: 7.215 Bad Choice. I'll be on 7.210 if a BC Station Doesn't Fire up.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:16:22 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 79 Message: 91

Nada here.

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> I am calling on that freq
>
> ========== JHR ==========
>
> Richard Zolla wrote:
> > I'm at 7.210.
> >
> > Rick N6NKN
> >
> >
> > --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@> wrote:
> >> Where are you guys now at 04:10 z ??
> >>
> >> ========== JHR ==========
> >>
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> > Yahoo! Groups Links
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92. Re: [CQCQCQ] It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:21:01 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 86 Message: 92

Lotsa of QRM from what sounds like a SW broadcast station...
QSY maybe?

==========Jr ==========

93. Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:23:28 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 86 Message: 93

Pick a frequency.

Rick N6NKN
--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> Lotsa of QRM from what sounds like a SW broadcast station...
> QSY maybe?
>
> ==========Jr ==========
>

94. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:24:33 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 86 Message: 94

7.214 sounds clear... I will qsy to there.

========== JHR ==========

95. Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:26:52 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 86 Message: 95

Nothing heard.

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> 7.214 sounds clear... I will qsy to there.
>
> ========== JHR ==========
>

96. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:28:00 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 86 Message: 96

Bob K4TAX may try us also.... I will call a few more times

Richard Zolla wrote:
> Nothing heard.
>
> Rick N6NKN
>
>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>> 7.214 sounds clear... I will qsy to there.
>>
>> ========== JHR ==========
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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97. N6NKN QRT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:29:30 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 97 Message: 97

C U tomorrow,

de Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

98. Re: [CQCQCQ] N6NKN QRT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:30:31 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 97 Message: 98

OK thanks for playing along - and for troubleshooting with me.

========== James K8JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> C U tomorrow,
>
> de Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100%)
>
>

99. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:30:56 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 86 Message: 99

I've got bupkis on 7.214 at 04:30.

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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> On Behalf Of Richards
> Sent: Thursday, February 19, 2009 8:25 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!
>
> 7.214 sounds clear... I will qsy to there.
>

100. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:32:03 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 86 Message: 100

Did you try calling or just listening for me?

========== JHR ==========

James M.(Jim) Geidl wrote:
> I've got bupkis on 7.214 at 04:30.

101. Re: N6NKN QRT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:32:25 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 97 Message: 101

There is someone on 7.214, but it's not you James.

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> OK thanks for playing along - and for troubleshooting with me.
>
> ========== James K8JHR ==========
>
> Richard Zolla wrote:
> > C U tomorrow,
> >
> > de Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100%)
> >
> >
>

102. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:31:48 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 86 Message: 102

> Nothing heard.
>
> Rick N6NKN

nothing here either.

Sarge w5srg

103. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: N6NKN QRT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:34:17 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 97 Message: 103

Yes it is... I believe the correct analysis is there are TWO of us on frequency... but YOU can hear only the one and I can hear no one !!!

Boo Hoo (picture me sobbing into my hot cocoa.)

========== JHr ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> There is someone on 7.214, but it's not you James.
>
> Ri

104. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:35:13 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 86 Message: 104

Oh shoot, Sarge, I would like to make contact with you ....

Maybe try a different fequency or band?

I am still on 7.214

========== JHr ==========

Sarge wrote:
>
>> Nothing heard.
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> Sarge w5srg

105. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:42:40 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 86 Message: 105

had a bit of contact with K8JHR???
I think that was it. Band is dying out quick

Sarge W5SRG

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> Maybe try a different fequency or band?
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> ========== JHr ==========
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106. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:43:36 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 86 Message: 106

I am trying to work W5SRG on 7214 at 04:40 , but the noise level is blocking him.

Sorry... Shoot.

========== James - K8JHR ==========

107. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:45:02 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 86 Message: 107

YES -- I could barely hear you but I did get the call sign and
that you were from the CQCQCQ group -- I guess that is
enough to make a confirmed contact, eh?

I will send a card if you agree that was sufficient! But we will
have to try again soon! Maybe on another band...

========== THANKS -James - K8JHR ==========

Sarge wrote:
> had a bit of contact with K8JHR???
> I think that was it. Band is dying out quick
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> Sarge W5SRG
>

108. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:45:30 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 86 Message: 108

>I am trying to work W5SRG on 7214 at 04:40 , but the noise level is
> blocking him.
>
> Sorry... Shoot.

Had ya for a bit. The band died out pretty fast.

Sarge W5SRG

109. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:45:31 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 86 Message: 109

How well could you hear ME ?

========== JHR ==========

Sarge wrote:
> had a bit of contact with K8JHR???
> I think that was it. Band is dying out quick
>

110. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:46:51 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 86 Message: 110

> YES -- I could barely hear you but I did get the call sign and
> that you were from the CQCQCQ group -- I guess that is
> enough to make a confirmed contact, eh?
>
> I will send a card if you agree that was sufficient! But we will
> have to try again soon! Maybe on another band...
>
> ========== THANKS -James - K8JHR ==========

Good enough for me! I heard your call and you heard mine. Band is horrid right now.

Sarge W5SRG Texas

111. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:47:55 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 86 Message: 111

> How well could you hear ME ?
>
> ========== JHR ==========

Just right at the S7 noise level. Had my earphones on though so I tuned the dsp slope a bit and got you.

112. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 04:55:29 UTC
From: brad
Topic: 86 Message: 112

So are you guys still on the air?

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
Sarge
Sent: Thursday, February 19, 2009 23:43
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

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113. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 05:03:38 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 86 Message: 113

monitoring 7.214

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Sarge
Sent: Thursday, February 19, 2009 23:43
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

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Sarge W5SRG

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114. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 05:11:14 UTC
From: brad
Topic: 86 Message: 114

Giving you a shot, high noise here S9

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Sarge
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 00:04
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

monitoring 7.214

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To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com> com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

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115. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 05:14:49 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 86 Message: 115

might have heard a PAL or something like that. I got a german BC station just below kicking my butt. LOL!

Giving you a shot, high noise here S9

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Sarge
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 00:04
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

monitoring 7.214

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116. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 05:19:04 UTC
From: Byron
Topic: 86 Message: 116

I tried calling CQ a bit ago. I don't anybody heard me.

KE7TIV

Byron Kinnaman
abkinnaman@...
http://byronscabin.kinnamans.net/

----- Original Message -----
From: Sarge
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 2/19/2009 9:14:48 PM
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

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Giving you a shot, high noise here S9

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Sarge
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 00:04
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!monitoring 7.214So are you guys still on the air?

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Sarge
Sent: Thursday, February 19, 2009 23:43
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!had a bit of contact with K8JHR???
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117. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 05:19:59 UTC
From: brad
Topic: 86 Message: 117

Sarge u in TX?

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Byron
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 00:19
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

I tried calling CQ a bit ago. I don't anybody heard me.

KE7TIV

Byron Kinnaman

abkinnaman@earthlin <mailto:abkinnaman@...> k.net

http://byronscabin. <http://byronscabin.kinnamans.net/> kinnamans.net/

----- Original Message -----

From: Sarge <mailto:sarge43@...>

To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com> com

Sent: 2/19/2009 9:14:48 PM

Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

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From: <mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com> CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Sarge
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 00:04
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com> com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

monitoring 7.214

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[mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Sarge
Sent: Thursday, February 19, 2009 23:43
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com> com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

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118. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 05:34:41 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 86 Message: 118

yep! Gonna move to 75 meters

Sarge u in TX?

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Byron
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 00:19
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

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119. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 05:37:23 UTC
From: brad
Topic: 86 Message: 119

Where?

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Sarge
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 00:35
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

yep! Gonna move to 75 meters

Sarge u in TX?

From: <mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com> CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Byron
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 00:19
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com> com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

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From: Sarge <mailto:sarge43@...>

To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com> com

Sent: 2/19/2009 9:14:48 PM

Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

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[mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Sarge
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 00:04
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com> com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

monitoring 7.214

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To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com> com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

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120. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 05:42:14 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 86 Message: 120

3.912 sounds good
Where?

121. 3.912

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 05:46:22 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 121 Message: 121

0545 Zulu monitoring on 3.912 LSB

Sarge W5SRG
give a shout

122. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 06:05:15 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 86 Message: 122

You guys still on? I just got back to the shack....

========== JHR ==========

Sarge wrote:
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> 3.912 sounds good
>
> Where?
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123. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 06:09:19 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 86 Message: 123

I am
3.912

> You guys still on? I just got back to the shack....
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> ========== JHR ==========
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> Sarge wrote:
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124. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 06:25:58 UTC
From: brad
Topic: 86 Message: 124

I hear someone in there. My call KB2CHY

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
Sarge
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 01:09
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

I am
3.912

> You guys still on? I just got back to the shack....
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125. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 06:28:21 UTC
From: brad
Topic: 86 Message: 125

I can hear the guy in Idaho fair, but low. I do hear you sarge, but not well. Brad

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Sarge
Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 01:09
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

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126. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 06:33:23 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 86 Message: 126

sorry Brad couldn't copy ya. Maybe tomorrow??

I can hear the guy in Idaho fair, but low. I do hear you sarge, but not well. Brad

127. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 06:34:45 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 86 Message: 127

JUST WORKED SARGE ON 75 METERS 3.912 AT 06:25 Z

THIS time, we could almost make a conversation of it... for a few
minutes anyway...

THAT was a good contact this time!! Then we both worked
N4NOO who is mobile from Nashville Tenn - about half way between
each of us - man was HE loud!

========== James - K8JHR ==========

brad wrote:
> I can hear the guy in Idaho fair, but low. I do hear you sarge, but not
> well. Brad
>
> ---
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128. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: It Worked Again!!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 06:35:20 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 86 Message: 128

I could not hear Brad, either.... sorry.

========== James -K8JHR ==========

Sarge wrote:
> sorry Brad couldn't copy ya. Maybe tomorrow??
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>
> I can hear the guy in Idaho fair, but low. I do hear you sarge, but
> not well. Brad
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129. A Good Time Was Had By All

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 15:12:55 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 129 Message: 129

Looks like almost everyone had a good time last night.

I'll be around tonight if anyone is up to it.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

130. Re: [CQCQCQ] A Good Time Was Had By All

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 16:39:16 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 129 Message: 130

Me too -- wife is traveling with her nieces to a dance contest.
Had a nice talk with Sarge, until the band wend down, but
for awhile it was workable.

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> Looks like almost everyone had a good time last night.
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131. Changes To 40 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 16:56:53 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 131 Message: 131

The time is soon approaching:

On March 29, 2009 the 7100 to 7200 segment of the 40 meter band will dedicated to the Amature Service on an exclusive basis. Broadcast stations are required to vacate that piece of spectrum at that time.

I hope they comply.

Rick,N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

132. Re: [CQCQCQ] Changes To 40 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 17:03:53 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 131 Message: 132

Don't hold your breath...

133. Re: Changes To 40 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 17:07:52 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 131 Message: 133

I am the eternal optimist Sarge. I even expect the sunspots to return someday. LOL LOL

Rick,N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Sarge" <sarge43@...> wrote:
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>
> Don't hold your breath...
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134. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Changes To 40 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 17:15:12 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 131 Message: 134

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>I am the eternal optimist Sarge. I even expect the sunspots to return
> someday. LOL LOL
>
> Rick,N6NKN ( I QSL 100% )
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Hahaha! Well *someday* they will... Then the SW broadcasters will be happy
too.. :0)
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135. 14.292

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-20 19:28:17 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 135 Message: 135

Hawaii station on taking all contacts. 1928 Zulu

136. So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 00:22:02 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 136 Message: 136

Someone post a time and frequency, and I'll be there.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

137. Re: [CQCQCQ] So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 00:48:38 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 136 Message: 137

Hey Rick -

Good to see you are still keeping busy. There's a CW contest going on this weekend - ties up all the CW freqs. I'd be willing to try out some voice comms for a change.

Todd KI6TIH

On Feb 20, 2009, at 4:22 PM, Richard Zolla wrote:

> Someone post a time and frequency, and I'll be there.
>
> Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)
>

138. Re: [CQCQCQ] So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 01:53:31 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 136 Message: 138

Objection, your H 'ornery-ness... the witness is not responsive
to the question... which calls for a time and frequency...as
well as mode. ... ;-)

SO... I PROPOSE WE MEET AT 02 30 Z ON 7.214.0 MHz
(+/-) depending on QRM/QRN, SW BC stations, etc.

Or...

I suggest we try 3.912.5 MHz (+/-) at same time.

========== K8JHR ==========

Todd Eastman wrote:
> Hey Rick -
>
> Good to see you are still keeping busy. There's a CW contest going on
> this weekend - ties up all the CW freqs. I'd be willing to try out some
> voice comms for a change.
>
> Todd KI6TIH
>
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>
> On Feb 20, 2009, at 4:22 PM, Richard Zolla wrote:
>
>> Someone post a time and frequency, and I'll be there.
>>
>> Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)
>>
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139. Re: So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:03:09 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 136 Message: 139

Hi Todd,

Great, the problem is we are so close. 40 might be long, but 75 might work, or 40 during the day.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Todd Eastman <todd.eastman@...> wrote:
>
> Hey Rick -
>
> Good to see you are still keeping busy. There's a CW contest going
on
> this weekend - ties up all the CW freqs. I'd be willing to try out
> some voice comms for a change.
>
> Todd KI6TIH
>
>
>
> On Feb 20, 2009, at 4:22 PM, Richard Zolla wrote:
>
> > Someone post a time and frequency, and I'll be there.
> >
> > Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)
> >
>

140. Re: So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:06:27 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 136 Message: 140

Ok James,

So pick one and post it.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> Objection, your H 'ornery-ness... the witness is not responsive
> to the question... which calls for a time and frequency...as
> well as mode. ... ;-)
>
> SO... I PROPOSE WE MEET AT 02 30 Z ON 7.214.0 MHz
> (+/-) depending on QRM/QRN, SW BC stations, etc.
>
> Or...
>
> I suggest we try 3.912.5 MHz (+/-) at same time.
>

> >>
> ==========
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141. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:08:42 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 136 Message: 141

Okay, then let's try the 75 m proposition.

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> Hi Todd,
>
> Great, the problem is we are so close. 40 might be long, but 75 might
> work, or 40 during the day.
>
>

142. Re: So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:11:49 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 136 Message: 142

So POST it!!!

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> Okay, then let's try the 75 m proposition.
>
>
> ========== Richards - K8JHR ==========
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>
> Richard Zolla wrote:
> > Hi Todd,
> >
> > Great, the problem is we are so close. 40 might be long, but 75
might
> > work, or 40 during the day.
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> >
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143. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:13:29 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 136 Message: 143

75M sounds good, I just need a freq and some time to get the antenna
tuner set up.

On Feb 20, 2009, at 6:03 PM, Richard Zolla wrote:

> Hi Todd,
>
> Great, the problem is we are so close. 40 might be long, but 75 might
> work, or 40 during the day.
>
> Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)
>
>
> .
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144. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:16:08 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 136 Message: 144

I thought I did that already. In my earlier reply to Todd E.
Maybe you didn't see that one...

Therefore:

I PROPOSE WE MEET AT 02 30 Z ON 3.912.5 MHz
LSB (+/-) depending on QRM/QRN, SW BC stations, etc.

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> So POST it!!!
>
>

145. James, K8JHR Calling and Listening on 3.912.5 LSB at 0230 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:18:48 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 145 Message: 145

There,

Done

146. Re: James, K8JHR Calling and Listening on 3.912.5 LSB at 0230 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:21:47 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 145 Message: 146

Much QRM here in the West Coast.

Rick N6NKN
>

147. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: James, K8JHR Calling and Listening on 3.912.5 LSB at 0230 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:27:35 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 145 Message: 147

I can pick out some voices, but nothing intelligible. 75 might be a bit too low for my antenna. Any alternatives?

Todd KI6TIH

On Feb 20, 2009, at 6:21 PM, Richard Zolla wrote:

> Much QRM here in the West Coast.
>
> Rick N6NKN.
>
>
>

148. Re: [CQCQCQ] James, K8JHR Calling and Listening on 3.912.5 LSB at 0230 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:28:48 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 145 Message: 148

Too much traffic on 3913.. Its a group that meets every night so they'll be there awhile. Someone pick another 3.9???

149. Re: [CQCQCQ] James, K8JHR Calling and Listening on 3.912.5 LSB at 0230 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:30:22 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 145 Message: 149

3.920 is clear

150. Re: James, K8JHR Calling and Listening on 3.912.5 LSB at 0230 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:32:54 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 145 Message: 150

Whats your call Sarge??

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Sarge" <sarge43@...> wrote:
>
> 3.920 is clear
>

151. Re: [CQCQCQ] James, K8JHR Calling and Listening on 3.912.5 LSB at 0230 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:34:14 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 145 Message: 151

I just put out a call with no response.

Todd / KI6TIH

On Feb 20, 2009, at 6:30 PM, Sarge wrote:

> 3.920 is clear
>

152. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: James, K8JHR Calling and Listening on 3.912.5 LSB at 0230 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:34:40 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 145 Message: 152

> Whats your call Sarge??
>
> Rick, N6NKN

W5SRG for Sarge

153. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:34:48 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 136 Message: 153

3.913 is busy... wanna move it to 3.925 ??

========== JHR ==========

154. Re: [CQCQCQ] James, K8JHR Calling and Listening on 3.912.5 LSB at 0230 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:34:51 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 145 Message: 154

You are a harsh task master, Sahib.

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> There,
>
> Done

> ---

155. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:36:21 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 136 Message: 155

QRM here on 3.920 - splatter from big guns on 3916

Richards wrote:
> 3.913 is busy... wanna move it to 3.925 ??
>
> ================ JHR ====================
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156. Re: So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:40:26 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 136 Message: 156

Working Sarge on 3.925.0

Rick N6NKN
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>
> Richards wrote:
> > 3.913 is busy... wanna move it to 3.925 ??
> >
> > ================ JHR ====================
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157. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:44:26 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 136 Message: 157

Man its noisy !!!!! hahaha!
We'll get it better later Rick.
Sarge w5srg SE Texas

> Working Sarge on 3.925.0
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> Rick N6NKN
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>> Richards wrote:
>> > 3.913 is busy... wanna move it to 3.925 ??
>> >
>> > ================ JHR ====================
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158. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:45:27 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 136 Message: 158

Not a thing on my end.

Todd / KI6TIH

On Feb 20, 2009, at 6:40 PM, Richard Zolla wrote:

> Working Sarge on 3.925.0
>
> Rick N6NKN
> >
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> >
> > Richards wrote:
> > > 3.913 is busy... wanna move it to 3.925 ??
> > >
> > > ================ JHR ====================
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159. Rick, N6NKN Worked Sarge, W5SRG on 3.925.0 at 0240 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:46:05 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 159 Message: 159

Thanks Sarge,

de Rick, N6NKN, Costa Mesa, Ca. (I QSL 100%)

160. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: So.....What Time Do the Festivities Start??

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:47:50 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 136 Message: 160

I got caught up in the end of the tailgaiter's net and the
beginning of the freewheeler's net so I will be along in
a moment when I can without being rude. They are
being nice to me

========== JHR ==========

Todd Eastman wrote:
> Not a thing on my end.
>
> Todd / KI6TIH
>
>
>
> On Feb 20, 2009, at 6:40 PM, Richard Zolla wrote:
>
>> Working Sarge on 3.925.0
>>
>> Rick N6NKN
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>> > Richards wrote:
>> > > 3.913 is busy... wanna move it to 3.925 ??
>> > >
>> > > ========== JHR ==========
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161. Re: [CQCQCQ] Rick, N6NKN Worked Sarge, W5SRG on 3.925.0 at 0240 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 02:55:18 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 159 Message: 161

I am working K6NC on 3925

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> Thanks Sarge,
>
> de Rick, N6NKN, Costa Mesa, Ca. (I QSL 100%)
>
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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162. Re: [CQCQCQ] Rick, N6NKN Worked Sarge, W5SRG on 3.925.0 at 0240 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 03:02:27 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 159 Message: 162

He is talking over us! Some nerve... ;-)
But you are coming in 3-3 - noisy and workable.

K6NC has unstable frequency..

========== JHR ==========

Richards wrote:
> I am working K6NC on 3925
>
> ========== JHR ==========
>
> Richard Zolla wrote:
>> Thanks Sarge,
>>
>> de Rick, N6NKN, Costa Mesa, Ca. (I QSL 100%)
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163. Re: Rick, N6NKN Worked Sarge, W5SRG on 3.925.0 at 0240 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 03:05:42 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 159 Message: 163

James,

Having real trouble hearing the guys in close, K6NC, N7SQN and the
others. You and KD7HVL are Q-5.

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> He is talking over us! Some nerve... ;-)
> But you are coming in 3-3 - noisy and workable.
>
> K6NC has unstable frequency..
>
>
> ================= JHR ==================
>
> Richards wrote:
> > I am working K6NC on 3925
> >
> > ================= JHR =================
> >
> > Richard Zolla wrote:
> >> Thanks Sarge,
> >>
> >> de Rick, N6NKN, Costa Mesa, Ca. (I QSL 100%)
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164. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Rick, N6NKN Worked Sarge, W5SRG on 3.925.0 at 0240 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 03:14:30 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 159 Message: 164

Right now they are going around the group and then will quit... about six of us on now... Maybe you can hear me when I get my turn in a couple of minutes, and then we can try QSY to another frequency

I would like to complete my turn before moving on so as to be polite.

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> James,
>
> Having real trouble hearing the guys in close, K6NC, N7SQN and the
> others. You and KD7HVL are Q-5.
>
>

165. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Rick, N6NKN Worked Sarge, W5SRG on 3.925.0 at 0240 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 03:19:03 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 159 Message: 165

Rick - and anyone else - are you still around... shall we stay on 3925 of qsy up or down? or try another band?

Had a good listen to Rick for a change.!

========== JHR ==========

166. K8JHR on 75 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 03:19:45 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 166 Message: 166

James,

My noise level is up to S-8

Good to hear you this evening.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

167. Re: [CQCQCQ] K8JHR on 75 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 03:43:23 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 166 Message: 167

Rick and Sarge -- we are moving to 7.225 --

THANKS FOR THE UPTAKE SARGE !!!!!

========== jAMES -k8jhr ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> James,
>
> My noise level is up to S-8
>
> Good to hear you this evening.
>
> Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)
>
>

168. Re: K8JHR on 75 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 03:49:28 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 166 Message: 168

I'm there.

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> Rick and Sarge -- we are moving to 7.225 --
>
> THANKS FOR THE UPTAKE SARGE !!!!!
>
> ========== jAMES -k8jhr ==========
>
> Richard Zolla wrote:
> > James,
> >
> > My noise level is up to S-8
> >
> > Good to hear you this evening.
> >
> > Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)
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> >
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169. Re: K8JHR on 75 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 03:51:21 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 166 Message: 169

You are in the noise.

Rick, N6NKN
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> > >
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170. Re: [CQCQCQ] K8JHR on 75 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 03:51:51 UTC
From: Leslie Elliott
Topic: 166 Message: 170

Hi all - I heard you pretty good when you was on 3. 9925, and was just waiting to jump in when you QSYed to 7.225. I hear nothing but noise there, so will wait for another day to have a chat.

KCØPTO Les

--- On Fri, 2/20/09, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
From: Richards <jruing@ameritech.net>
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] K8JHR on 75 Meters
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Friday, February 20, 2009, 9:43 PM

Rick and Sarge -- we are moving to 7.225 --

THANKS FOR THE UPTAKE SARGE !!!!!

========== jAMES -k8jhr ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> James,
>
> My noise level is up to S-8
>
> Good to hear you this evening.
>
> Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)
>
>

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171. Re: [CQCQCQ] K8JHR on 75 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 03:54:11 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 166 Message: 171

Aw shoot, Les... maybe we can qsy back if the other fellers do not
make it up here in a few minutes.... The Ala station asked for 5 min
to tune up,... but that has expired. maybe you can stand by...

========== JHR ==========s

Leslie Elliott wrote:
> Hi all - I heard you pretty good when you was on 3. 9925, and was just
> waiting to jump in when you QSYed to 7.225. I hear nothing but noise
> there, so will wait for another day to have a chat.
>
> KC?PTO Les
>
> --- On *Fri, 2/20/09, Richards /<jruing@...>/* wrote:
>
> From: Richards <jruing@...>
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] K8JHR on 75 Meters
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Date: Friday, February 20, 2009, 9:43 PM
>
> Rick and Sarge -- we are moving to 7.225 --
>
> THANKS FOR THE UPTAKE SARGE !!!!!
>
> ========== jAMES -k8jhr ==========
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> Richard Zolla wrote:
> > James,
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> > My noise level is up to S-8
> >
> > Good to hear you this evening.
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> > Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)
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172. Re: K8JHR on 75 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 03:54:09 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 166 Message: 172

Sorry we missed you Les.

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Leslie Elliott <kc0pto@...> wrote:
>
> Hi all - I heard you pretty good when you was on 3. 9925, and was
just waiting to jump in when you QSYed to 7.225. I hear nothing but
noise there, so will wait for another day to have a chat.
>
> KCØPTO Les
>
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>

173. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: K8JHR on 75 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 03:57:27 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 166 Message: 173

Man... I am thinking I may move back to 75 M and see if Les can
make it in... I could hear Rick OK earlier !

Does not look like the other fellers made it up to 40 m.....

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> Sorry we missed you Les.
>
> Rick N6NKN
>
>
>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Leslie Elliott <kc0pto@...> wrote:
>> Hi all - I heard you pretty good when you was on 3. 9925, and was
> just waiting to jump in when you QSYed to 7.225. I hear nothing but
> noise there, so will wait for another day to have a chat.
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174. James....160 Meters???

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:00:06 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 174 Message: 174

de N6NKN

175. Re: [CQCQCQ] James....160 Meters???

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:01:59 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 174 Message: 175

I am game... I have done very little on 160 M with the big stick
and it may be time to give it another go...

What frequency?

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> de N6NKN
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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176. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: K8JHR on 75 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:02:04 UTC
From: Leslie Elliott
Topic: 166 Message: 176

I just had a short QSO with KJ4FDV on 3.925, but it was pretty noisy so madeit short and sweet. Where are you now? Les KXØPTO

--- On Fri, 2/20/09, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
From: Richards <jruing@ameritech.net>
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: K8JHR on 75 Meters
To: CQCQCQ@...m
Date: Friday, February 20, 2009, 9:57 PM

Man... I am thinking I may move back to 75 M and see if Les can
make it in... I could hear Rick OK earlier !

Does not look like the other fellers made it up to 40 m.....

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> Sorry we missed you Les.
>
> Rick N6NKN
>
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>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Leslie Elliott <kc0pto@...> wrote:
>> Hi all - I heard you pretty good when you was on 3. 9925, and was
> just waiting to jump in when you QSYed to 7.225. I hear nothing but
> noise there, so will wait for another day to have a chat.
>> KCØPTO Les
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177. Re: James....160 Meters???

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:03:26 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 174 Message: 177

You pick your favorite.

de N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> I am game... I have done very little on 160 M with the big stick
> and it may be time to give it another go...
>
> What frequency?
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> ==================== JHR =======================
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> Richard Zolla wrote:
> > de N6NKN
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178. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: K8JHR on 75 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:03:40 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 166 Message: 178

I am now on 7.225 and looking to maybe slide down
to 160 M with Rick....

========== JHR ==========

Leslie Elliott wrote:
> I just had a short QSO with KJ4FDV on 3.925, but it was pretty noisy so
> madeit short and sweet. Where are you now? Les KX?PTO
>

179. Calling KX0PTO on 7.225.0 LSB

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:08:14 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 179 Message: 179

Are you there Les??

Rick,N6NKN

180. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: James....160 Meters???

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:08:52 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 174 Message: 180

Gosh... we sound like a couple of old ladies trying to pick
a restaurant !

OK -- 1.925 or the closest thing above that that works.

Do I hear you in a QSO .... ?

========== James - K8JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> You pick your favorite.
>
>

181. Re: [CQCQCQ] Calling KX0PTO on 7.225.0 LSB

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:09:12 UTC
From: Leslie Elliott
Topic: 179 Message: 181

Tes, I calle d Richards, but there is a lot of QRN and didn't hear anyone.
Les

--- On Fri, 2/20/09, Richard Zolla <N6NKN@...> wrote:
From: Richard Zolla <N6NKN@...>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Calling KX0PTO on 7.225.0 LSB
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Friday, February 20, 2009, 10:08 PM

Are you there Les??

Rick,N6NKN

Yahoo! Groups Links

182. Re: James....160 Meters???

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:10:35 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 174 Message: 182

1.925.

I'll listen for you.

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> Gosh... we sound like a couple of old ladies trying to pick
> a restaurant !
>
> OK -- 1.925 or the closest thing above that that works.
>
> Do I hear you in a QSO .... ?
>
> ========== James - K8JHR ==========
>
> Richard Zolla wrote:
> > You pick your favorite.
> >
> >
>

183. Re: [CQCQCQ] Calling KX0PTO on 7.225.0 LSB

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:11:39 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 179 Message: 183

QSY to 1925

========== JHR ==========

Leslie E

184. Nothing on 1.925

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:14:44 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 184 Message: 184

de N6NKN

185. N6NKN is QRT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:17:29 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 185 Message: 185

Thanks for all the fun tonight guys.

Rick, N6NKN

186. Re: [CQCQCQ] Calling KX0PTO on 7.225.0 LSB

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:17:42 UTC
From: Leslie Elliott
Topic: 179 Message: 186

I don't hear anyone there, and my antenna doesn't work very good there, so will try another day. Thanks and good DX.
KCØPTO Les

--- On Fri, 2/20/09, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
From: Richards <jruing@ameritech.net>
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Calling KX0PTO on 7.225.0 LSB
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Friday, February 20, 2009, 10:11 PM

QSY to 1925

========== JHR ==========

Leslie E

Yahoo! Groups Links

187. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: James....160 Meters???

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:18:33 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 174 Message: 187

I don't have an antenna for 160 or I'd join ya.
Sarge W5SRG

> 1.925.
>
> I'll listen for you.
>
> Rick, N6NKN

188. Re: [CQCQCQ] Nothing on 1.925

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:18:51 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 184 Message: 188

I am calling... takes me a few to tune...

Blasted rookies...

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> de N6NKN
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>
> Yahoo! Groups Links
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189. Re: [CQCQCQ] N6NKN is QRT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:22:00 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 185 Message: 189

Good evening Rick... It was nice to hear you on 75 before
the feller running the net got it confused - you tried to pass it
to me, and then he talked over us and well...

Happy trails.

Anyone wanna try 75 meters again?

========== James ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> Thanks for all the fun tonight guys.
>
> Rick, N6NKN
>

190. Tomorrow.....20, 17, or 15 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:22:44 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 190 Message: 190

See you there.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

191. Re: [CQCQCQ] Tomorrow.....20, 17, or 15 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:23:24 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 190 Message: 191

Agreed.

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> See you there.
>
>

192. Re: [CQCQCQ] N6NKN is QRT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:26:28 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 185 Message: 192

I'm back on 3.925 but its still noisy here.

Sarge W5SRG

> Good evening Rick... It was nice to hear you on 75 before
> the feller running the net got it confused - you tried to pass it
> to me, and then he talked over us and well...
>
> Happy trails.
>
> Anyone wanna try 75 meters again?
>
> ========== James ==========
>
> Richard Zolla wrote:
>> Thanks for all the fun tonight guys.
>>
>> Rick, N6NKN
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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193. Re: [CQCQCQ] N6NKN is QRT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:30:21 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 185 Message: 193

someone on 3930 is splattering all over ! Gonna close it down.
See y'all tomorrow.

Sarge

> I'm back on 3.925 but its still noisy here.
>
> Sarge W5SRG
>
>
>> Good evening Rick... It was nice to hear you on 75 before
>> the feller running the net got it confused - you tried to pass it
>> to me, and then he talked over us and well...
>>
>> Happy trails.
>>
>> Anyone wanna try 75 meters again?
>>
>> ========== James ==========
>>
>> Richard Zolla wrote:
>>> Thanks for all the fun tonight guys.
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>>> Rick, N6NKN
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>> Yahoo! Groups Links
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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194. This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:35:44 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 194 Message: 194

A fine group here! Makes it really nice to do skeds with folks you already know, kinda sorta. LOL!

Maybe someday we'll forge our own net. Having a lot of fun!

Sarge W5SRG
EL29ij

195. Re: [CQCQCQ] N6NKN is QRT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:45:47 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 185 Message: 195

Bye.

========== JHR ==========

Sarge wrote:
> someone on 3930 is splattering all over ! Gonna close it down.
> See y'all tomorrow.
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196. Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:45:55 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 194 Message: 196

Kinda looks like we are doing just that!

========== JHR ==========

Sarge wrote:
> A fine group here! Makes it really nice to do skeds with folks you already
> know, kinda sorta. LOL!
>
> Maybe someday we'll forge our own net. Having a lot of fun!
>
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197. RE: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:50:22 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 194 Message: 197

I think the next logical step in this is to setup IM conferences using some IM tool so we have very spontaneous real-time communications about who is where and what is happening.

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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> On Behalf Of Richards
> Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 8:46 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !
>
> Kinda looks like we are doing just that!
>
> ========== JHR ==========
>
> Sarge wrote:
> > A fine group here! Makes it really nice to do skeds with folks you
> > already know, kinda sorta. LOL!
> >
> > Maybe someday we'll forge our own net. Having a lot of fun!
> >

198. Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:52:09 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 194 Message: 198

Yahoo messenger is good as anything.

>I think the next logical step in this is to setup IM conferences using some
> IM tool so we have very spontaneous real-time communications about who is
> where and what is happening.
>
> Jim, K6JMG
> www.spinochio.com
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199. Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 04:56:30 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 194 Message: 199

Good point. I think this is "close" to instantaneous, but there is SOME LATENCY we might be able to avoid. As long as the messenger applet does not introduce a bunch of spam or security problems... Some of the free ones have spy ware in them. You would think MS Windows Messenger would be safe... but SHEESH who knows about old Bill selling access to our data.... ;-)

I fear Rick could not hear me on 160 M because I was WAYYY out of tune on my tuner... My notes in my station notebook were WAY off and I had a horrible SWR going. I have just figured out the proper settings!

Man... right when you think you have it scoped out... you find out it is all messed up.

Blasted Rookies...

========== JHR ==========

James M.(Jim) Geidl wrote:
> I think the next logical step in this is to setup IM conferences using some
> IM tool so we have very spontaneous real-time communications about who is
> where and what is happening.
>
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200. RE: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 05:08:54 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 194 Message: 200

Actually, I would be inclined to use Skype. They are an actual business with a vested interest in seeing that their tools work correctly. Their chat tool works great but I have not tried using it for a conference. Of course, their application is free.

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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> On Behalf Of Richards
> Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 8:57 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !
>
> Good point. I think this is "close" to instantaneous, but
> there is SOME
> LATENCY we might be able to avoid. As long as the messenger
> applet does not introduce a bunch of spam or security problems...
> Some of the free ones have spy ware in them. You would think
> MS Windows Messenger would be safe... but SHEESH who knows about
> old Bill selling access to our data.... ;-)
>
> I fear Rick could not hear me on 160 M because I was WAYYY out of
> tune on my tuner... My notes in my station notebook were WAY off
> and I had a horrible SWR going. I have just figured out the proper
> settings!
>
> Man... right when you think you have it scoped out... you
> find out it is all messed up.
>
> Blasted Rookies...
>
>
> ====================== JHR ====================
>
> James M.(Jim) Geidl wrote:
> > I think the next logical step in this is to setup IM
> conferences using
> > some IM tool so we have very spontaneous real-time communications
> > about who is where and what is happening.
> >

201. Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 05:14:05 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 194 Message: 201

Funny you mention that... I as thinking of adding that to communicate with a couple of folks ...

That makes it a phone call, that might tie up my sound card, and I would prefer not to do anything that might take over my sound card. My radio control and other software, including my speech recognition software, all use the sound card.

Can the skype thing do text messages like email. but give us the real time thing you are after?

========== JHR ==========

James M.(Jim) Geidl wrote:
> Actually, I would be inclined to use Skype.

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202. RE: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 05:27:10 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 194 Message: 202

Skype does text messaging like all the other IM tools. Unfortunately, I does grab a sound card but you can tell it to use a virtual card that your are using. As long as the contacts are Skype to Skype they are free. For general telecom it is great. I use it all the time. I even have a VoIP portable phone that I use with Skype...but back to the subject at hand. I think it might be a solution because it is very simple to use.

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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> On Behalf Of Richards
> Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 9:14 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !
>
> Funny you mention that... I as thinking of adding that to
> communicate with a couple of folks ...
>
> That makes it a phone call, that might tie up my sound card,
> and I would prefer not to do anything that might take over my
> sound card.
> My radio control and other software, including my speech
> recognition software, all use the sound card.
>
> Can the skype thing do text messages like email. but give us
> the real time thing you are after?
>
> ========== JHR ==========
>
> James M.(Jim) Geidl wrote:
> > Actually, I would be inclined to use Skype.
>

203. Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 05:31:26 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 194 Message: 203

maybe it is sufficiently well behaved to grab my SECOND sound card
as I have two in my computer. Not all programs are well behaved
and often revert to the default sound card as specified in the Windows
Registry - while others remember which one they are supposed to use
and do not steal the card or change the settings on you. That is one
area where software manufacturers fail to standardize and it seems
every programmer thinks his is the only sound program you might
use.

And, yes, back to the present issue ... it might worth a try.
We can always revert back to the CQCQCQ group thing if
we encounter any significant roadblocks.

========== JHR ==========

James M.(Jim) Geidl wrote:
> Skype does text messaging like all the other IM tools. Unfortunately, I
> does grab a sound card but you can tell it to use a virtual card that your
> are using. As long as the contacts are Skype to Skype they are free. For
> general telecom it is great. I use it all the time. I even have a VoIP
> portable phone that I use with Skype...but back to the subject at hand. I
> think it might be a solution because it is very simple to use.
>
> J

204. RE: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 05:33:53 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 194 Message: 204

You have the option of tell it what to use. I vacillate between a USB headset and my desktop mic and speakers, sometimes, within a conversation.

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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> On Behalf Of Richards
> Sent: Friday, February 20, 2009 9:31 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !
>
> maybe it is sufficiently well behaved to grab my SECOND sound card
> as I have two in my computer. Not all programs are well behaved
> and often revert to the default sound card as specified in
> the Windows Registry - while others remember which one they
> are supposed to use
> and do not steal the card or change the settings on you. That is one
> area where software manufacturers fail to standardize and it
> seems every programmer thinks his is the only sound program
> you might use.
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> And, yes, back to the present issue ... it might worth a try.
> We can always revert back to the CQCQCQ group thing if we
> encounter any significant roadblocks.
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> ================ JHR ========================
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> Unfortunately,
> > I does grab a sound card but you can tell it to use a virtual card
> > that your are using. As long as the contacts are Skype to
> Skype they
> > are free. For general telecom it is great. I use it all
> the time. I
> > even have a VoIP portable phone that I use with Skype...but back to
> > the subject at hand. I think it might be a solution
> because it is very simple to use.

205. RE: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 06:19:20 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 194 Message: 205

Well I am really glad to see this group is actually working and Everyone is having fun and making contacts. I have been watching the Messages when they are posted and when they display, actually they are not taking to long to be posted.

Here is a Neat little Free Program that Myself and a few others have played around with , This Might just be the thing to also use while using the Group to make contacts , Talk with no Noise , and also Write real time Txt Messages .

You can just put in Your Call or Profile Etc. and the Free Ver has 10 Channels. , Now in reading the Info I guess if someone saw a need and wanted to Buy the Program I guess you would be able to get a lot more Channels and Actually be Encrypted, and only if You had the Encrypt key Could You get in.

The Free one works fine. Be aware with the Free Ver Any Butthead can just join in on Your Channel, But it is like Ham radio just ignore them and the will move on to find a better audience

If You like check it out at http://www.talk4ever.net/

Ps Don't forget to Make this Group work it will be the Members, and I was only able so far as to Not be Off Topic as some of the other Group Members thought this was, only Posted in a Couple of Places QRZ was one a lot of People read it and Only one bad Comment and that was by the Doctor PHD , I "am glad at Least we got our on Lawyer on this Group and He is doing great trying to make it work , Thanks to all who do , Spread the word to others using Your Judgment if they would be Helpful

If you wish check out the QRZ Post 220 Views and Counting

http://forums.qrz.com/showthread.php?t=193577

73 De Don KA9QJG

206. Re: This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 15:26:57 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 194 Message: 206

Thanks for the info Don,

And thanks for starting the group.

Hope to work YOU soon.

Rick,N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "ka9qjg" <KA9QJG@...> wrote:
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>
> Well I am really glad to see this group is actually working and
Everyone
> is having fun and making contacts. I have been watching the Messages
> when they are posted and when they display, actually they are not
taking
> to long to be posted.
>
> Here is a Neat little Free Program that Myself and a few others have
> played around with , This Might just be the thing to also use while
> using the Group to make contacts , Talk with no Noise , and also
Write
> real time Txt Messages .
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> You can just put in Your Call or Profile Etc. and the Free Ver has
10
> Channels. , Now in reading the Info I guess if someone saw a need
and
> wanted to Buy the Program I guess you would be able to get a lot
more
> Channels and Actually be Encrypted, and only if You had the
Encrypt key
> Could You get in.
>
> The Free one works fine. Be aware with the Free Ver Any Butthead
can
> just join in on Your Channel, But it is like Ham radio just ignore
them
> and the will move on to find a better audience
>
> If You like check it out at http://www.talk4ever.net/
>
> Ps Don't forget to Make this Group work it will be the Members,
and I
> was only able so far as to Not be Off Topic as some of the other
Group

> Members thought this was, only Posted in a Couple of Places QRZ was
one
> a lot of People read it and Only one bad Comment and that was by the
> Doctor PHD , I "am glad at Least we got our on Lawyer on this
Group and
> He is doing great trying to make it work , Thanks to all who do ,
> Spread the word to others using Your Judgment if they would be
Helpful
>
> If you wish check out the QRZ Post 220 Views and Counting
>
> http://forums.qrz.com/showthread.php?t=193577
>
>
> 73 De Don KA9QJG
>

207. Rick, N6NKN , Monitoring 17 Meters Today

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 15:45:29 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 207 Message: 207

Weekends I like to take the chance to "melt some solder". But, I'll be happy to try a sked on 17 meters as I'll have it going in the background.

I'll be monitoring here if anyone is interested.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

208. Re: QSY tonight

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 15:58:03 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 208 Message: 208

OK - It is about 10:50 now... so I will fire up on 3925 and see
if we can do it.

PS - I figured that is what happened to ya last night, so I waited
a while and then made some 160 M contacts -

BTW - the fellow, Les, you spoke with last evening just before we
moved to 40 M is part of an internet ham radio help group and we
use the following yahoo-groups site as a clearing house for making
qso's - something new we are trying. We post messages about
where and when - and then try to make contact, using the group
list as a method of assuring we are all trying the same frequency
at the same time. Less was looking for me then. Rick - N6NKN
from CA who mentioned knowing me is also in that group. Feel
free to join the list !

CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com

Hope to find you in a few minutes.

========== James - K8JHR ==========

mrtman777@... wrote:
> Hi, James.
> I QSYed to 7225 and stayed for about 10 minutes. I put out my call
> several times, but heard nothing. I finally assumed that 40m wasn't
> open between us and went back to 3925 hoping to hear you there again.
> I bet that 40m is open between us today, though. I'll check my email
> around 11:00. My phone number is
> (205) 647-3471. Give me a call or send me an email and we'll try it
> again. By the way, back on 3925 I heard several stations trying to
> call you.
>
> 73, Trey
>
> ---------- Original message from Richards
> <jruing@...>: ----------
>
>
> > Howdy --
> >
> > I am listening... my friend Rick N6NKN is CA is in the noise
> > but Sarge W5SRG - and I know him from a web group -
> > and you did not make the QSY to 7225.
> >
> > Shoot.

> >
> > ========== James -K8JHR ==========
>

209. Re: QSY tonight

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:07:30 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 208 Message: 209

James,

What time is that in UTC??? :>)

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> OK - It is about 10:50 now...
>

210. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: QSY tonight

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:09:34 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 208 Message: 210

16:00 UTC - I was responding in the same format
as the fellow who contacted me...

Sort of like making change in the same currency as the
purchaser tenders.

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> James,
>
> What time is that in UTC??? :>)
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>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>> OK - It is about 10:50 now...
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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211. Re: QSY tonight

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:11:32 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 208 Message: 211

Trey -- Hows about 7.220 which seems to be clear?

========== James ==========

212. Re: QSY tonight

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:12:11 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 208 Message: 212

Ok,

We all need to get on the same page. Hi

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> 16:00 UTC - I was responding in the same format
> as the fellow who contacted me...
>
> Sort of like making change in the same currency as the
> purchaser tenders.
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> > Yahoo! Groups Links
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213. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: QSY tonight

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:15:39 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 208 Message: 213

I am on page 7220 MHz LSB hoping our friend Trey and
anyone else can meet me there -

Now that you mention it... and being serious for a moment... it appears
Trey said he would check his email at 11:00 and did not specify UTC or
otherwise... so now I do not know when HE is checking his email. That
means I cannot be responding in kind, as we don't know what kind....
which IS your point.

So... not quite sure what page I am on.

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> Ok,
>
> We all need to get on the same page. Hi
>

214. Re: QSY tonight

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:20:01 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 208 Message: 214

RIGHT!!! Exactly

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> I am on page 7220 MHz LSB hoping our friend Trey and
> anyone else can meet me there -
>
> Now that you mention it... and being serious for a moment... it
appears
> Trey said he would check his email at 11:00 and did not specify UTC
or
> otherwise... so now I do not know when HE is checking his email.
That
> means I cannot be responding in kind, as we don't know what
kind....
> which IS your point.
>
> So... not quite sure what page I am on.
>
> ========== JHR ==========
>
> Richard Zolla wrote:
> > Ok,
> >
> > We all need to get on the same page. Hi
> >
>

215. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: QSY tonight

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:21:00 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 208 Message: 215

I am going to start calling 7220 MHz NOW - but I have not hear back
from Trey who was proposing a call now. Maybe someone can hear me.

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> RIGHT!!! Exactly
>
> R

216. Re: QSY tonight

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:24:09 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 208 Message: 216

40 meters , this time of day should be "short". You should be hearing
midwestern stations.

Rick, N6NKN

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> Richard Zolla wrote:
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217. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: QSY tonight

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:25:11 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 208 Message: 217

Yeah I hear zippo.

Any other ideas? Maybe 17M - ?

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> 40 meters , this time of day should be "short". You should be hearing
> midwestern stations.
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> Rick, N6NKN
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>> Richard Zolla wrote:
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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218. Rick, N6NKN Listening on 18.140.0 USB, 1626 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:27:05 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 218 Message: 218

There now.

Rick, N6NKN

219. Re: [CQCQCQ] Rick, N6NKN Listening on 18.140.0 USB, 1626 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:46:26 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 218 Message: 219

Now you are there... then you are gone... just gone.

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> There now.
>

220. Good while it Lasted.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:48:02 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 220 Message: 220

Condx changed James,

TNX for the 17 meter QSO.

de Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

221. Re: [CQCQCQ] Good while it Lasted.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:50:48 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 220 Message: 221

Yea - my pleasure ... shoot!

Maybe next time it will hold up for more than 5 minutes.

I guess I will just work on my log - I am way behind in
sending QSL cards. This is the first time I have been
slower than anyone else. I like sending first. I figure
as a new op, I should send the SASE first - the other guys
have been doing so much longer and it is my turn.

Later... maybe next time.

========= JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> Condx changed James,
>
> TNX for the 17 meter QSO.
>

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222. Re: Good while it Lasted.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:54:35 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 220 Message: 222

Listen around on 17 meters.

I hear Europeans!!!!!

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
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> Yea - my pleasure ... shoot!
>

> >
> > TNX for the 17 meter QSO.
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223. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Good while it Lasted.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 16:56:49 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 220 Message: 223

YEAH =- ME TOO... ESPECIALLY BETWEEN 18130 AND AND 18140

I was trying to reply to F2YT when we first made contact on 18140

========== JR ==========

224. What is the UTC Time

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 18:34:53 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 224 Message: 224

I have seen the Question come up again what is the UTC Time , So Now that We have more Members I will repost the info below , That little Green UTC Time display from the little Program is Nice You can move it anywhere You want on the Screen

73 De Don KA9QJG

It looks like the Consensus of the Members We should use UTC Time when Posting Looking for a Contact
That way everyone will know what time Worldwide.

And as one of the Members pointed out more info on UTC Here

http://tinyurl.com/8tf8h

Digital and Analogue clocks are cheap now all over the place that could be added to the Ham shack and Set for UTC

I did Fine one I like on the I-Net Here

http://www.irnis.net/soft/aclock/

It is small and Runs when you start the computer, you can move it around where You want, I put it just above My Computer time in Green

If you install it, Right click and Make it for UTC and to start with the Computer if that is the way you want it. I do think the Accuracy of that is dependent on the accuracy of Your Computer time, and they are Programs to make that accurate too.

225. Re: [CQCQCQ] What is the UTC Time

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 19:07:07 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 224 Message: 225

> I did Fine one I like on the I-Net Here
>
> http://www.irnis.net/soft/aclock/

every time I try to install that, it encounters a problem and has to shut down. No idea why.

Sarge

226. RE: [CQCQCQ] What is the UTC Time

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 20:05:57 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 224 Message: 226

Sarge , I don't know enough about Computers to Say why that would Happen , I use Vista and it ask Me if it is ok to run the Program , Bill Gates calls this Plug and Play , I call it Plug and Pray

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS Congratulations to You and others for Setting up and Making Contacts if the Weather ever gets better here in N/W Indiana I can get some ant work done , my Noise level has been 20 Db on Most bands it is Line Noise .

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227. RE: [CQCQCQ] What is the UTC Time

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 20:08:26 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 224 Message: 227

Try www.qlock.com . You can figure multiple clocks that remain available on your desktop. It is free. I have one set for each of the US time zones and UTC relative to my location. I am the dummy in dummy load and have trouble trying to keep track of what time it is elsewhere. (I did figure out that it is the same time in the kitchen as it is in the living, though.)

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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> On Behalf Of Sarge
> Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 11:07 AM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] What is the UTC Time
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> > I did Fine one I like on the I-Net Here
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> Sarge

228. Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 21:19:12 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 228

Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

229. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 21:49:46 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 229

You still on? Now 21:50 z

========== K8JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
> Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?
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230. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:08:53 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 230

yes I am I just finished with N2XSG in NY, and have talked with KY and AZ in the past 30 mins or so..please call me...

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 3:50 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

You still on? Now 21:50 z

========== K8JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
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231. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:09:52 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 231

Sit tight gotta tune up...

John Murphy wrote:
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> AZ in the past 30 mins or so..please call me...
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> Behalf Of *Richards
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> ========== K8JHR ==========
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> John Murphy wrote:
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232. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:10:13 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 232

I now have some serious splatter from 14253?? !!!!

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

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You still on? Now 21:50 z

========== K8JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
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233. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:12:12 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 233

slide down to 14250. too much splatter...cant hear a thing there...think I hear you (or someone) tuning up on 251.5

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 4:10 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

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234. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:20:03 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 234

James, I am calling you on 14250 can you hear me?

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 4:10 PM
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235. Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:21:47 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 228 Message: 235

John,

I hear you calling James here in So Cal but the QRM is hot and heavy.
I can't get on right now but I can hear you in Costa Mesa.

Rick,N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "John Murphy" <jmurphy7411@...> wrote:
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236. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:22:59 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 236

I am in a QSO on 14.253 .. thought it was you... I will slide down
in a minute when I can extricate myself from it wihtout being rude.

========== JHR ==========
John Murphy wrote:
> I now have some serious splatter from 14253?? !!!!
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237. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:23:28 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 237

Thanks Rick, btw: got your card today, thanks...you should have mine by now
as well...

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
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238. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:24:27 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 238

hang on I will qsy up !!! the more the maerrier

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
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239. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:25:43 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 239

I am still on 14253 ....

========== JHR ==========

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240. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:27:41 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 240

I am on 14250 now...

John Murphy wrote:
> James, I am calling you on 14250 can you hear me?
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> 73 de KC?JPO/AFA8JP
> John Murphy
> kc0jpo@...
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> *To:* CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
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241. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:27:43 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 241

pretty crowded there..I am there as well..

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 4:26 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

I am still on 14253 ....

========== JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
> Thanks Rick, btw: got your card today, thanks...you should have mine by
> now as well...
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> 73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
> John Murphy
> kc0jpo@arrl. <mailto:kc0jpo%40arrl.net> net
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[mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ%40yahoogroups.com> com] *On
> Behalf Of *Richard Zolla
> *Sent:* Saturday, February 21, 2009 4:22 PM
> *To:* CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ%40yahoogroups.com> com
> *Subject:* [CQCQCQ] Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?
>
> John,
>

> I hear you calling James here in So Cal but the QRM is hot and heavy.
> I can't get on right now but I can hear you in Costa Mesa.
>
> Rick,N6NKN
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> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ%40yahoogroups.com> com
<mailto:CQCQCQ%40yahoogroups.com>, "John
> Murphy" <jmurphy7411@...> wrote:
> >
> > slide down to 14250. too much splatter...cant hear a thing
> there...think I
> > hear you (or someone) tuning up on 251.5
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242. Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:28:13 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 228 Message: 242

Not yet John, probably Monday.

Have fun.

Sounds like James up on 14.253 is sharing the frequency with two
other QSOs. Hi

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "John Murphy" <jmurphy7411@...> wrote:
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> Thanks Rick, btw: got your card today, thanks...you should have
mine by now
> as well...
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> 73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
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243. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:32:31 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 243

nadda.have tried both my vertical (which seems to be running long east coast etc) and dipole..which seems to reduce everything by 4 s units..

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 4:28 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

I am on 14250 now...

John Murphy wrote:
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244. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:33:10 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 244

Are you still on 14250 ?

========== JR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
> nadda.have tried both my vertical (which seems to be running long east
> coast etc) and dipole..which seems to reduce everything by 4 s units..
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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:33:47 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 245

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246. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:34:34 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 246

Maybe I need to use MY dipole instead of my vertical...

Give me a moment I will try the dipole...

========== JHR ==========

Richards wrote:
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>> > > *Subject:* Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?
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247. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:34:44 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 247

seems like propagation is still pretty long, maybe 40?

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 4:33 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Are you still on 14250 ?

========== JR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
> nadda.have tried both my vertical (which seems to be running long east
> coast etc) and dipole..which seems to reduce everything by 4 s units..
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248. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:34:58 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 248

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73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 4:35 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

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249. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:35:23 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 249

once you change...give me an extended call

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

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250. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:36:55 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 250

Pick a frequency and I will move when you say...

JR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
> seems like propagation is still pretty long, maybe 40?
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251. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:39:19 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 251

7204? stations about 3kc up and down from there..but we can start

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John Murphy
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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 4:37 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

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252. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:40:26 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 252

Roger.

QSY-ing....

JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
> 7204? stations about 3kc up and down from there..but we can start
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253. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:43:46 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 253

QRM from broadcast station on 7204 here...

Nest?

========== JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
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254. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:44:14 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 254

hearing u loud and clear

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John Murphy
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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 4:40 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Roger.

QSY-ing....

JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
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255. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:45:05 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 255

Well that is half the battle...

========== JR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
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256. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:46:36 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 256

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257. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:47:02 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 257

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258. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:48:43 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 258

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John Murphy wrote:
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Date: 2009-02-21 22:50:46 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 259

your 59 trying to call you

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:52:10 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 260

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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:53:38 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 261

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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:54:23 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 228 Message: 262

Where are you guys now?

Todd / KI6TIH

263. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:54:35 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 263

I sent ur call then my call on cw....did you hear

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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:54:40 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 264

7243 LSB... ? I will switch to LCW mode and maybe you
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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:59:20 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 267

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268. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 22:59:42 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 228 Message: 268

I heard someone keying up a couple of times, but no voice or other transmission. Did anyone hear me on 7.243?

Todd / KI6TIH

On Feb 21, 2009, at 2:56 PM, Richards wrote:

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269. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:00:20 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 269

OK some one is tuning up on freq

I wll send the ... v

John Murphy wrote:
> send a test which is a series of V's which is ..._ a few times..may need
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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:00:57 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 270

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271. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:02:08 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 271

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Not hearing todd either

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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:03:05 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 272

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> > > kc0jpo@arrl. <mailto:kc0jpo%40arrl.net> net <mailto:kc0jpo%40arrl.net>
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> > > Behalf Of *Richards
> > > *Sent:* Saturday, February 21, 2009 4:49 PM
> > > *To:* CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ%40yahoogroups.com> com
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> > > *Subject:* Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?
> > >
> > > 7243
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> > > John Murphy wrote:
> > > > loud and clear.....vertical a lot better than dipole...59 here
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> > > > 73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
> > > > John Murphy
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> > > > Behalf Of *Richards
> > > > *Sent:* Saturday, February 21, 2009 4:44 PM
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> > > > *Subject:* Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?
> > > >
> > > > QRM from broadcast station on 7204 here...

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> > > > Nest?
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> > > > ========== JHR ==========
> > > >
> > > > John Murphy wrote:
> > > > > 7204? stations about 3kc up and down from there..but we can start
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> > > > > 73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
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> > > > > *Sent:* Saturday, February 21, 2009 4:37 PM
> > > > > *To:* CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ%40yahoogroups.com> com
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> > > <mailto:CQCQCQ%40yahoogroups.com>
> > > > > *Subject:* Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO
> anyone?
> > > > >
> > > > > Pick a frequency and I will move when you say...
> > > > >
> > > > > JR ==========
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> > > > > John Murphy wrote:
> > > > > > seems like propagation is still pretty long, maybe 40?
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277. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:08:13 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 277

Someone is on 3938 and 3936 or so

John Murphy wrote:
> have another net I need to get on 3937....try that...
>
>

278. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:08:15 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 228 Message: 278

John... I only know D, E, SOS and that's it ! You just taught me ... V

That is Funny that is all I remember to0 , Took the test over 30 Yrs ago finally after failing 5 Times I Finally got my 5WPM.

Lot of Gray mater changes from 30 Yrs ago.

73 De Don KA9QJG

279. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:11:46 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 279

yes I remember from many many many years ago that sending a series of V's was a universal test signal followed of course by your call. I will always be happy to help others learn code as well (still get L and F and a few others confused tho). Maybe we could do a code contact and see how that goes

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 5:08 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

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280. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:12:26 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 280

ahhh man,....they must be closer to you..as I don't hear any on either side of 3947

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 5:08 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

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John Murphy wrote:
> have another net I need to get on 3937....try that...
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281. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:14:11 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 281

Sorry if I was not clear... I only know 5 letters of the code so far!

I am just learning it... trying out various computer practice programs
and have yet to get beyond those five letters.

So... I am afraid unless we send d, e, or sos, we are finished !

Happy trails. I cannot hear anyone but QRM on 3937

========== JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
Maybe we could do a code contact and
> see how that goes
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282. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:14:43 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 282

I am on the wrong frequency.... let me try 3947 !!!

John Murphy wrote:
> ahhh man,....they must be closer to you..as I don't hear any on either
> side of 3947
>

283. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:15:57 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 283

Ongoing QSO on 3947

JR ==========

Richards wrote:
> I am on the wrong frequency.... let me try 3947 !!!
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284. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:16:37 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 284

I see...OK....

Happy trails back to you..maybe tomorrow?

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 5:14 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

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========== JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
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> see how that goes
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285. Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:16:42 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 228 Message: 285

DON"T send SOS. LOL LOL LOL LOL

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
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> So... I am afraid unless we send d, e, or sos, we are finished !
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286. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:17:07 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 286

MY MISTAKE!!!! it is 3937....sorry

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 5:15 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

I am on the wrong frequency.... let me try 3947 !!!

John Murphy wrote:
> ahhh man,....they must be closer to you..as I don't hear any on either
> side of 3947
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287. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:17:34 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 287

Don't worry... Yet is IS a bit limiting....

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> DON"T send SOS. LOL LOL LOL LOL
>

288. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:18:14 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 288

I can try 3937 - but there is a LOUD station on 3980

John Murphy wrote:
> MY MISTAKE!!!! it is 3937....sorry
>
>
> 73 de KC?JPO/AFA8JP
> John Murphy
> kc0jpo@...
> Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
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> *From:* CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] *On
> Behalf Of *Richards
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> John Murphy wrote:
> > ahhh man,....they must be closer to you..as I don't hear any on either
> > side of 3947
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289. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:18:09 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 289

unless of course you need help...Noooo..not THAT kind of help, but real life or death help....I dont think there is a code for the kind of help we sometimes LOL

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richard Zolla
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 5:17 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

DON"T send SOS. LOL LOL LOL LOL

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ%40yahoogroups.com> com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
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> So... I am afraid unless we send d, e, or sos, we are finished !
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290. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:19:20 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 290

Right !!

========== JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
> unless of course you need help...Noooo..not THAT kind of help, but real
> life or death help....I dont think there is a code for the kind of help
> we sometimes need LOL
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291. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:20:18 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 291

Just to be clear.... are we "clear"

========== JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
> MY MISTAKE!!!! it is 3937....sorry
>
>

292. RE: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:24:14 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 228 Message: 292

LOL yes it is supposed to be 3937. the DATA net (Dakota Amateur Traffic Net) with stations in both N and S Dakota, Montana, Minnesota, and anyone else that can copy and check in. Usually used for weather around the region, but also for any other traffic, announcements, etc. A good group. Meets at 2300Z on 3937. Usually doesn't last long, about 45 mins

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 5:20 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Just to be clear.... are we "clear"

========== JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
> MY MISTAKE!!!! it is 3937....sorry
>
>

293. Re: [CQCQCQ] Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:28:05 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 228 Message: 293

I will make a note of it and see if I can check in during the week

right now there is loud traffic on either side of 3937

We will try again another day !! Thanks for playing along. The
good news is my signal reached YOU at 59... Now we must
figure out the return trip !!!

========== JHR ==========

John Murphy wrote:
> LOL yes it is supposed to be 3937. the DATA net (Dakota Amateur
> Traffic Net) Meets at 2300Z on 3937. Usually doesn't last long, about
> 45 mins
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294. Re: Listening now on 14.251.5 2121 Z QSO anyone?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:29:02 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 228 Message: 294

You see,

That's the difference. Out here on the West Coast we meet on 40 meters at 2300 Z. It's about an hour or so too early to be on 75 for us.

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "John Murphy" <jmurphy7411@...> wrote:
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> LOL yes it is supposed to be 3937. the DATA net (Dakota Amateur Traffic
> Net) with stations in both N and S Dakota, Montana, Minnesota, and anyone
> else that can copy and check in. Usually used for weather around the
> region, but also for any other traffic, announcements, etc. A good group.
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295. listening on 14.250

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:31:54 UTC
From: allen
Topic: 295 Message: 295

Been on 14.270 listening to Montana. Now listening on 14.250 at 23:31 UTC

Allen
KD8FXB

296. Re: [CQCQCQ] listening on 14.250

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:43:15 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 295 Message: 296

I will it a try ... gotta tune up...

========== JR ==========

allen wrote:
> Been on 14.270 listening to Montana. Now listening on 14.250 at 23:31 UTC
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> Allen
> KD8FXB
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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297. Re: listening on 14.250

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:46:58 UTC
From: allen
Topic: 295 Message: 297

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> I will it a try ... gotta tune up...
>
> ========== JR ==========
>
> allen wrote:
> > Been on 14.270 listening to Montana. Now listening on 14.250 at
23:31 UTC
> >
> >
> > Allen
> > KD8FXB
> >
> >

I heard a KC5 i think? Was right at noise level

298. Re: listening on 14.250

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:49:06 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 295 Message: 298

Allen, KD8FXB is in Walhalla, Mi.....

You would be better off to try 75 meters.

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
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> I will it a try ... gotta tune up...
>
> ========== JR ==========
>
> allen wrote:
> > Been on 14.270 listening to Montana. Now listening on 14.250 at
23:31 UTC
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> > Allen
> > KD8FXB
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> > Yahoo! Groups Links
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299. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: listening on 14.250

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:56:44 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 295 Message: 299

I just had a nice QSO with KV7FDF in Ariz.

Funny... he told me it would work better if I was working USB...

and not LSB...

oops...

Blasted rookies !!!! ========== JHR ==========

allen wrote:
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>> I will it a try ... gotta tune up...
>>
>> ========== JR ==========
>>
>> allen wrote:
>>> Been on 14.270 listening to Montana. Now listening on 14.250 at
> 23:31 UTC
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300. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: listening on 14.250

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:57:38 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 295 Message: 300

OK... but it was HIS invitation...

Whaddaya say, Allen?

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> Allen, KD8FXB is in Walhalla, Mi.....
>
> You would be better off to try 75 meters.
>
>

301. Re: listening on 14.250

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-21 23:59:27 UTC
From: allen
Topic: 295 Message: 301

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--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
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> OK... but it was HIS invitation...
>
> Whaddaya say, Allen?
>
> ================ JHR ========================
>
> Richard Zolla wrote:
> > Allen, KD8FXB is in Walhalla, Mi......
> >
> > You would be better off to try 75 meters.
> >
> >
>
We can try 75m. A little early for 75 here but we can try.
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302. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: listening on 14.250

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 00:15:43 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 295 Message: 302

I propose we try later... I have been working all day and need dinner
and a break....

Hope to find you in here a little later... when 75 should be better.

Thanks !!

========== JHR ==========

303. Re: listening on 14.250

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 00:27:38 UTC
From: allen
Topic: 295 Message: 303

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
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> I propose we try later... I have been working all day and need dinner
> and a break....
>
> Hope to find you in here a little later... when 75 should be better.
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> Thanks !!
>
> ========== JHR ==========
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Send me the Freq when ur ready an we will see what we cam do. 75 right now is real noisy, went back to 14.250. If I don't respond right away, I will as soon as I get done doing some chores around the house. I will keep checking group.

Allen
KD8FXB

304. Re: test

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 01:00:14 UTC
From: Robert Mitchell
Topic: 295 Message: 304

Sent from my BlackBerry Smartphone provided by Alltel

-----Original Message-----
From: "allen" <ajm1571@...>

Date: Sun, 22 Feb 2009 00:27:38
To: <CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Re: listening on 14.250

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
>
> I propose we try later... I have been working all day and need dinner
> and a break....
>
> Hope to find you in here a little later... when 75 should be better.
>
> Thanks !!
>
> ================== JHR =======================
>

Send me the Freq when ur ready an we will see what we cam do. 75 right
now is real noisy, went back to 14.250. If I don't respond right away,
I will as soon as I get done doing some chores around the house. I
will keep checking group.

Allen
KD8FXB

305. Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 01:08:34 UTC
From: Leslie Elliott
Topic: 194 Message: 305

Richards, I use 2 soundcards, the one on the motherboard, and an external USB SoundBlaster, which is used for all my digital Ham stuff, as it has better specs than the one on the motherboard. The internal motherboard sound is used strictly for the computer, not ham radio. You said you have 2 soundcards, so you should be able to tell the computer which one to use for which purpose. Might take some fiddling, but that is the joy of it! If it was too easy, then it wouldn't be any fun?

KCØPTO Les

--- On Fri, 2/20/09, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
From: Richards <jruing@...>
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Friday, February 20, 2009, 11:14 PM

Funny you mention that... I as thinking of adding that to communicate
with a couple of folks
...

That makes it a phone call, that might tie up my sound card, and I
would prefer not to do anything that might take over my sound card.
My radio control and other software, including my speech recognition
software, all use the sound card.

Can the skype thing do text messages like email. but give us the real
time thing you are after?

========== JHR ==========

James M.(Jim) Geidl wrote:
> Actually, I would be inclined to use Skype.

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306. Fw: [CQCQCQ] What is the UTC Time

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 01:10:12 UTC
From: Robert Mitchell
Topic: 306 Message: 306

------Original Message------
From: R. Mitchell
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] What is the UTC Time
Sent: Feb 21, 2009 2:02 PM

Try this. Use the clock on the tool bar.(at least in Vista). Rt click on time. Rt click on adjust time a date. Go to additional clock. Add a second clock, set time to Greenwich time which is Zulu, UTC, etc. Name it whatever you like.

Now go to control panel, click on control panel home, then “clock language, region”. Now click on “change date, time or number format”. Now click on Customize, pick the time tab and select “HH.mm.ss” Hit apply, then ok, ok.

Now when you hover the mouse over the time you should see two clocks, one local, one Zulu. You must use 24 hr format to make it work. I believe this also works in XP, but don’t remember for sure.
73
Bob
N7DHV

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of James M.(Jim) Geidl
Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 13:08
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] What is the UTC Time

Try www.qlock.com . You can figure multiple clocks that remain available on your desktop. It is free. I have one set for each of the US time zones and UTC relative to my location. I am the dummy in dummy load and have trouble trying to keep track of what time it is elsewhere. (I did figure out that it is the same time in the kitchen as it is in the living, though.)

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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> On Behalf Of Sarge
> Sent: Saturday, February 21, 2009 11:07 AM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups. <mailto:CQCQCQ%40yahoogroups.com> com
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] What is the UTC Time
>
>
> > I did Fine one I like on the I-Net Here

> >
> > http://www.irnis. <http://www.irnis.net/soft/aclock/> net/soft/aclock/
>
> every time I try to install that, it encounters a problem and
> has to shut down. No idea why.
>
> Sarge

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/message/224;_ylc=X3oDMTMzcGNoaDZmBF9TAzk3MzU5NzE0BGdycElkAzI0MDQ2NDU2BGdycHNwSWQDMTcwNTA2MzEwOARtc2dJZAMyMjcEc2VjA2Z0cgRzbGsDdnRwYwRzdGltZQMxMjM1MjQ2ODg3BHRwY0lkAzIyNA--> Messages in this topic (4) <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/post;_ylc=X3oDMTJwajRiMzdxBF9TAzk3MzU5NzE0BGdycElkAzI0MDQ2NDU2BGdycHNwSWQDMTcwNTA2MzEwOARtc2dJZAMyMjcEc2VjA2Z0cgRzbGsDcnBseQRzdGltZQMxMjM1MjQ2ODg3?act=reply&messageNum=227> Reply (via web post) | <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/post;_ylc=X3oDMTJmN2VtMW45BF9TAzk3MzU5NzE0BGdycElkAzI0MDQ2NDU2BGdycHNwSWQDMTcwNTA2MzEwOARzZWMDZnRyBHNsawNudHBjBHN0aW1lAzEyMzUyNDY4ODc-> Start a new topic

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MARKETPLACE

From
kitchen basics to easy recipes - join the Group from Kraft Foods
<http://us.ard.yahoo.com/SIG=13rg3d9db

Sent from my BlackBerry Smartphone provided by Alltel

307. Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 01:15:05 UTC
From: Robert Mitchell
Topic: 194 Message: 307

What's the model #, I need to do the same?
Bob
N7DHV
Sent from my BlackBerry Smartphone provided by Alltel

-----Original Message-----
From: Leslie Elliott <kc0pto@yahoo.com>

Date: Sat, 21 Feb 2009 17:08:34
To: <CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Richards, I use 2 soundcards, the one on the motherboard, and an external USB SoundBlaster, which is used for all my digital Ham stuff, as it has better specs than the one on the motherboard. The internal motherboard sound is used strictly for the computer, not ham radio. You said you have 2 soundcards, so you should be able to tell the computer which one to use for which purpose. Might take some fiddling, but that is the joy of it! If it was too easy, then it wouldn't be any fun?

KCØPTO Les

--- On Fri, 2/20/09, Richards <jruing@ameritech.net> wrote:
From: Richards <jruing@ameritech.net>
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Friday, February 20, 2009, 11:14 PM

Funny you mention that... I as thinking of adding that to communicate
with a couple of folks
...

That makes it a phone call, that might tie up my sound card, and I
would prefer not to do anything that might take over my sound card.
My radio control and other software, including my speech recognition
software, all use the sound card.

Can the skype thing do text messages like email. but give us the real
time thing you are after?

========== JHR ==========

James M.(Jim) Geidl wrote:
> Actually, I would be inclined to use Skype.

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308. Re: [CQCQCQ] What is the UTC Time

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 01:26:58 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 224 Message: 308

> Try www.qlock.com . You can figure multiple clocks that remain available
> on
> your desktop. It is free. I

OK I got q clock.

309. Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 02:00:25 UTC
From: Leslie Elliott
Topic: 194 Message: 309

Just Google "Creative SoundBlaster USB 5.1 MP3 external soundcard". I bought mine off of the Creative Ebay site, remanufactured. The model # is SB0270. There are other, newer Creative external USB soundcards, but they are "overkill" for Ham use, and more expensive. I don't see any listed on the Creative website, and no remanufactured ones on Ebay, but there are a couple of used ones with a starting bid of 99 cents. Might be worth taking a chance if the selling price stays low.

KCØPTO Les

--- On Sat, 2/21/09, Robert Mitchell <rmitch1@...> wrote:
From: Robert Mitchell <rmitch1@...>
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Saturday, February 21, 2009, 7:15 PM

What's the model #, I need to do the same?
Bob
N7DHV
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310. on 75m now

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 02:27:23 UTC
From: allen
Topic: 310 Message: 310

On 3.900 now, if that freq is not good, let me know an I will QSY. 75 is still noisy for me right now. s-9+ of noise.

311. Re: on 75m now

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 02:31:15 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 310 Message: 311

I hear KD4BKV on 3.900.

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "allen" <ajm1571@...> wrote:
>
> On 3.900 now, if that freq is not good, let me know an I will QSY. 75
> is still noisy for me right now. s-9+ of noise.
>

312. Re: on 75m now

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 02:33:28 UTC
From: allen
Topic: 310 Message: 312

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@...> wrote:
>
> I hear KD4BKV on 3.900.
>
> Rick, N6NKN
>
>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "allen" <ajm1571@> wrote:
> >
> > On 3.900 now, if that freq is not good, let me know an I will QSY. 75
> > is still noisy for me right now. s-9+ of noise.
> >
>

I hear nothing but Static noise. let me go put my ear to the speaker
as I am listening!

313. Re: on 75m now

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 02:36:04 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 310 Message: 313

If your static is S-9 you will not hear MY peanut whistle from
California. Hi

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "allen" <ajm1571@...> wrote:
>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@> wrote:
> >
> > I hear KD4BKV on 3.900.
> >
> > Rick, N6NKN
> >
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> as I am listening!
>

314. Re: on 75m now

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 02:37:37 UTC
From: allen
Topic: 310 Message: 314

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@...> wrote:
>
> If your static is S-9 you will not hear MY peanut whistle from
> California. Hi
>
> Rick N6NKN
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> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "allen" <ajm1571@> wrote:
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> > > >
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> >
> > I hear nothing but Static noise. let me go put my ear to the speaker
> > as I am listening!
> >
>
I know that feeling Rick! I listening though! KW ts-430s, mc-60a mic
and my 10-80 inverted v with feedpoint at 45ft.

315. Re: on 75m now

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 02:40:20 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 310 Message: 315

Hopefully James, K8JHR will be along shortly.

Rick, N6NKN
>

316. Re: on 75m now

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 02:41:22 UTC
From: allen
Topic: 310 Message: 316

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@...> wrote:
>
> Hopefully James, K8JHR will be along shortly.
>
> Rick, N6NKN
> >
>

At 100w, I know you wont be able to hear me. I threw my callsign out a
cpl times.

317. Re: on 75m now

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 02:42:34 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 310 Message: 317

You are right. Nothing here.

Rick, N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "allen" <ajm1571@...> wrote:
>
> --- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@> wrote:
> >
> > Hopefully James, K8JHR will be along shortly.
> >
> > Rick, N6NKN
> > >
> >
>
> At 100w, I know you wont be able to hear me. I threw my callsign out a
> cpl times.
>

318. Re: on 75m now

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 02:43:28 UTC
From: allen
Topic: 310 Message: 318

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@...> wrote:
>
> You are right. Nothing here.
>
> Rick, N6NKN
>
>
I am trying..hihi

Allen
KD8FXB

319. Re: on 75m now

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 02:46:59 UTC
From: allen
Topic: 310 Message: 319

> I am trying..hihi
>
> Allen
> KD8FXB
>

I hear a voice but right at noise level grrrrrrrrrrrr

Allen,KD8FXB

320. downloaded qlock

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 03:08:21 UTC
From: ronpadilla1
Topic: 320 Message: 320

Ok so I down loaded qlock and this is stupid but how is the UTC time set up and thanks I hope to reach out to some from here in cali soon on 20m,

Ron
ki6pxf

321. Re: downloaded qlock

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 03:13:53 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 320 Message: 321

Not stupid at all Ron,

UTC time is the international standard time. It is broadcast by WWV on 2.5, 5, 10, 15, and 20 MHz. For instance, it's now 0312 UTC, or "oh-three twelve" UTC.

Hope this helps.

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "ronpadilla1" <rpdp@...> wrote:
>
> Ok so I down loaded qlock and this is stupid but how is the UTC time
> set up and thanks I hope to reach out to some from here in cali soon on
> 20m,
>
> Ron
> ki6pxf
>

322. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: on 75m now

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 03:40:33 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 310 Message: 322

listening on 3900

323. WWV Time Stations---Another Use

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 03:44:14 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 323 Message: 323

As mentioned earlier WWV transmits the exact time and at 18 minutes after each hour, the solar conditions, from transmitters in Boulder, Colorado and Honolulu, Hawaii. But, another way to use WWV is very handy to hams. If you can hear the WWV transmissions that means there is a propagation path between your station and the WWV transmitter. So ham bands near that transmitting frequency should be "open" to allow communications with other hams.

As an example, if you can hear the WWV transmissions from Denver on 15MHz and you are in Boston. Chances are that there will be an open path to the western states from Boston on 20 meters. If you can hear the transmission from Hawaii better yet.

If you are listening in the evening on 10MHz and you can hear WWV in Denver chances are good you can have success on 40 meters. If you listen to 15 MHZ in the evening and hear nothing. Chances are 20 meters will be "closed". That is, unusuable for communications purposes.

These guidelines are not hard and fast rules. But, they are a good indicator of the possibilities for communications at any given time.

It's really a lot easier for you to do then for me to explain. Try it and you will see.

Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

324. Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 04:37:34 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 194 Message: 324

Right - I can tell the computer which sound card to use, but various programs hi-jack one or the other card and set their own priorities and settings, - mostly speech recognition applications - but others do also, including text-to-speech programs and other applets that access the sound card, such as my favorite little recorder app.

So, when you have the mic set in one program, and the line-in in another, and run three other sound applications, they tend to clash even though they are not supposed to. Sometimes it is a matter of just turning the mic off in one app and it will loose its grip on the sound card, but not always. Very tedious to sort out, also.

I beta test software for a couple of companies, and we are always complaining to tech design ... but we are the last ones they listen to... you know... the real world Guinea pigs... you understand, I am sure!

Thanks for the reply - I cannot dispute what you say other than to say it does not always work the way it is supposed to.

And I fully understand why you do not use the onboard (mobo) sound chip... mobo mfrs are loathe to put even a two cent aluminum shield over their components to keep them quiet, and often do not implement all features of the chipset - or do it properly if they try... I feel you pain.

========= James - K8JHR =======================

Leslie Elliott wrote:
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> Richards, I use 2 soundcards, the one on the motherboard, and an
> external USB SoundBlaster, which is used for all my digital Ham
> stuff, as it has better specs than the one on the motherboard. The
> internal motherboard sound is used strictly for the computer, not
> ham radio. You said you have 2 soundcards, so you should be able to
> tell the computer which one to use for which purpose. Might take
> some fiddling, but that is the joy of it! If it was too easy, then
> it wouldn't be any fun?

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325. Re: [CQCQCQ] This is great !

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 04:42:24 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 194 Message: 325

Some of the older devices because older devices often had better quality components, and were manufactured under closer scrutiny with higher quality manufacturing, so the newer ones have better on-paper specifications, but weaker performance, in fact.

Also, it seems that "re manufactured" really means "returned to the store by someone who didn't understand how to install it or use it properly, so now it's in a broken open package, but is otherwise brand-new and perfectly usable..."

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

Leslie Elliott wrote:
. There are other, newer Creative external USB soundcards, but
> they are "overkill" for Ham use, and more expensive.

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326. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: test

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 05:23:17 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 295 Message: 326

I am sorry I didn't get back to you sooner, it is after midnight now, I developed a whopping huge headache, and had to finish up some household chores, myself, so I went QRT -- my wife is out of town for the weekend so I'm on my own....

I probably won't get back on the air until Sunday sometime. I had planned to sit on the radio all night, and then just couldn't do it.

I'm sure you have been there yourself a time or two. I'll catch up with you Sunday sometime.

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

Robert Mitchell wrote:

> >
>
> Send me the Freq when ur ready an we will see what we cam do. 75 right
> now is real noisy, went back to 14.250. If I don't respond right away,
> I will as soon as I get done doing some chores around the house. I
> will keep checking group.
>
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327. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: on 75m now

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 05:29:32 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 310 Message: 327

I apologize for not returning sooner as I had promised... I suddenly developed a whopping huge headache and took some time out and rested. I just burned out all of a sudden.

Hopefully we can try something on Sunday during the day or evening I should be home all day -- the wife is out of town so I have virtually no interference. thank you for your courtesy.

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:
> Hopefully James, K8JHR will be along shortly.
>
> Rick, N6NKN
>

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328. Late night simplex in Indianapolis

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-22 20:11:05 UTC
From: kc9geq
Topic: 328 Message: 328

Hello everyone!
I would just like to know how many here are up late at night and happen to live fairly close to Indianapolis?
There are several of us locals who ragchew on simplex just about every night here on the southside of Indy.
Usually found on 146.520 until about 4am.
If in the area, stop by and say HI!

Gary
KC9GEQ

329. N6NKN

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-23 19:39:29 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 329 Message: 329

Thanks for the QSL card, Rick.
Yours is on the way.

Sarge
W5SRG

330. Re: N6NKN

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-23 20:25:17 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 329 Message: 330

You are very welcome Sarge.

de Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Sarge" <sarge43@...> wrote:
>
> Thanks for the QSL card, Rick.
> Yours is on the way.
>
> Sarge
> W5SRG
>

331. Re: [CQCQCQ] N6NKN

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-23 20:52:41 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 329 Message: 331

You know Sarge... your note hits a nerve ...

Mea Culpa.

I just finished posting all my unrecorded contacts into the
computer log from my handwritten work sheets today...
and will be sending out all the overdue cards I have neglected
to send for a few months. Last year, I had a very good start
and went seven months where no one sent me a card before
I sent them one first... and then... well... I got behind.... and you
know how it goes....

I was going to join the Procrastinator's Club, but could
not find the time.

I am feeling better today as I am back in the saddle and making
progress.

Next I need to get back on track learning the Code! My road to
Hell is well paved with all my good intentions.

========== Anonymous - K8JHR ==========

Sarge wrote:
> Thanks for the QSL card, Rick.
> Yours is on the way.
>
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332. Re: [CQCQCQ] N6NKN

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-23 21:17:30 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 329 Message: 332

Hahaha! Don't feel like the Lone Ranger!

> You know Sarge... your note hits a nerve ...
>
> Mea Culpa.
>
> I just finished posting all my unrecorded contacts into the
> computer log from my handwritten work sheets today...
> and will be sending out all the overdue cards I have neglected
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> ========== Anonymous - K8JHR ==========
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> Sarge wrote:
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> Yahoo! Groups Links
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333. RE: [CQCQCQ] downloaded qlock

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-24 03:36:55 UTC
From: H. Deese
Topic: 320 Message: 333

[snipped]

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> Ok so I down loaded qlock and this is stupid but how is the UTC time
> set up and thanks I hope to reach out to some from here in cali soon on
> 20m,
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> Ron
> ki6pxf
>

Make sure the time showing on your system clock (in the tray) is showing your current local time. Assuming you have the 'world globe' icon in the tray, right click on it. From that dialogue box click on "Create Qlock." It will open a menu. Scroll to the bottom of the left side window and look for <User Cities> and click on it to hi-lite it. Look at the lower right side of the screen and find the "Add City" button; click on it. Another dialogue block will open. In the "Name" block type in UTC or GMT depending on your preference. Set the GMT offset to 0.00. Set Daylight Savings to the appropriate settings and click on "OK." The clock will display UTC or GMT at the top of the clock, next line will display day, month, and date. The next line will show the correct UTC/GMT time. You can right click on the clock and set time format to 12 or 24 hour format. If your system clock is set correctly for your area, your Qlock clock will display the UTC/GMT time and the offset (-8) for California.

Hope I didn't forget anything.

73,

Harold

ke4luj

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334. Got QSLs Today

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-26 18:52:50 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 334 Message: 334

From group members Val, KE5KFP and Sarge, W5SRG.

Thank you gentlemen,

de Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

335. Re: [CQCQCQ] Got QSLs Today

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-26 18:59:39 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 334 Message: 335

> From group members Val, KE5KFP and Sarge, W5SRG.
>
> Thank you gentlemen,
>
> de Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

Good deal !
Sarge

336. Hmmm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-27 04:32:45 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 336 Message: 336

Who shut off the lights? Where did everyone go?

Sarge

337. Re: [CQCQCQ] Hmmm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-27 04:53:36 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 336 Message: 337

I dunno.... Everyone was going to post up some frequencies
last Sunday and I say nothing, zilch, Nada, zip, nil, and even less
during the week.

Maybe we can get something going Friday night - I wanna try working
some of the 160 meter contest Saturday and Sunday. I wanna see
how my new big stick works down low. Took me about forever and
many false starts to figure where the tuner needs to be set.... Sheesh -
I made a muck of that until I finally got cheesed off and just spun the
dials in frustration and VOILA - saw it jump to about 1:1 all of a sudden.
Maybe I should do that more often....

I am probably getting less than 10 percent of the signal out, but
that is way more than my old lowband antenna could do! That
crummy thing had about a 2 kHz bandwidth, and SWR of 10:1
on a good day ! This has JUST GOT to work better. If it works
at all, it will be working better!

Happy trails and hope to catch you soon !!

========== James - K8JHR ==========

Sarge wrote:
> Who shut off the lights? Where did everyone go?
>
> Sarge

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338. Re: Got QSLs Today

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-27 14:25:15 UTC
From: Daniel
Topic: 334 Message: 338

I got your qsl yesterday. Thanks again for the contact.

339. Re: Hmmm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-27 16:15:01 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 336 Message: 339

Sarge,

Looks like most of the action on this group happens on the weekends.
It's Friday!!!!!....so I'll be around and listening tonight.

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Sarge" <sarge43@...> wrote:
>
> Who shut off the lights? Where did everyone go?
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> Sarge
>

340. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Hmmm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-27 16:55:50 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 336 Message: 340

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> Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

Me too...

341. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Hmmm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-27 17:30:41 UTC
From: Robert Mitchell
Topic: 336 Message: 341

Where?
Sent from my BlackBerry Smartphone provided by Alltel

-----Original Message-----
From: "Sarge" <sarge43@...>

Date: Fri, 27 Feb 2009 10:55:50
To: <CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Hmmm

> Sarge,
>
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> Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

Me too...

342. Re: Hmmm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-27 17:32:19 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 336 Message: 342

40 meters....75 meters....pick your poison.

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Robert Mitchell" <rmitch1@...> wrote:
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> Date: Fri, 27 Feb 2009 10:55:50
> To: <CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com>
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> Me too...
>

343. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Hmmm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-27 17:42:27 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 336 Message: 343

Where?

I'm not certain yet but likely on 40mtrs.

344. QSX 7.035MhZ CW @ 0630Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-27 18:40:47 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 344 Message: 344

If anyone needs to practice their code, I'm up on 7.035 and can handle anything 20wpm or less, 30 wpm max.

Todd / KI6TIH

345. Re: [CQCQCQ] QSX 7.035MhZ CW @ 1830Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-27 18:52:48 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 344 Message: 345

Oops. Make that 1830Z!

Todd / KI6TIH

On Feb 27, 2009, at 10:40 AM, Todd Eastman wrote:

> If anyone needs to practice their code, I'm up on 7.035 and can
> handle anything 20wpm or
> less, 30 wpm max.
>
> Todd / KI6TIH
>
>

346. Proposed Sked Protocol

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-28 08:10:58 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 346 Message: 346

I SEE A PROBLEM.... AND PROPOSE A SOLUTION HEREIN:

THE PROBLEM DESCRIBED....

Hey gang... I see we are not doing very well this weekend..

As I see it, one guy says
"Let's make contact..."
and the next guy says,
"OK...let's..."
Then another guy says ,
"Yeah... pick a frequency..."
and the first guy says,
"No, ... YOU pick a frequency..."

AND SO... NO ONE PICKS A FREQUENCY OR TIME
AND NO CONTACTS GET MADE.

... and we end up sounding like a bunch of old ladies trying
to agree on where they are going to have lunch, or a couple
of teenagers trying to pick what movie they are not going to
watch much of at the theater. Remember the scenes with
Gomer Pyle and his date, Louann Pouvey, going back and
forth like this?

What is missing is SPECIFICITY.

A PROPOSED SOLUTION =

PROPOSED MANDATORY RULES FOR
INITIATING CONTACTS

CQCQCQ Rules for Making and Conducting Contacts

1) Anyone proposing to make contact shall

a) identify a SPECIFIC MODE
b) on a SPECIFIC FREQUENCY, and
c) specify a SPECIFIC TIME
d) on a SPECIFIC DATE.

2) Time shall be stated in UTC or Zulu or GMT or whatever.

3) Anyone trolling for immediate contacts will indicate same
in his post, and and comply with Rule 1) above.

4) Anyone trolling for a future SKED to happen in the
future shall give advance warning or notice thereof in his
post, and comply with Rule 1) above.

PROPOSED ADDITIONAL FOR
MANAGING ONGOING CONTACTS:

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5) The operator who first proposes a specific mode,
freq, time and date, shall start the call process, and he
controls the SKED - and others may meet him on the
air, accordingly, or they may propose everyone QSY to
another SPECIFIC FREQUENCY at the said time, on the
said date, and shall state his reasons therefor, including,
but not limited to, a preexisting QSO in progress by other
operators, heavy QRM or QRN or interference from
International Broadcasters who do not comply with ITU
guidelines... or other reasonable basis for suggesting
interested operators QSY.

6) Proposed contacts, skeds, and QSY changes shall be
posted on the group reflector, as soon as is practicable,
notwithstanding any on-air agreement to do so. Proposed
QSY changes may be initiated by either on-air suggestion,
or by posting a message on the group reflector, as may be
reasonable and appropriate, considering the circumstances.

7) The operator who initiated the contact or sked shall act
as an ersatz impromptu "Net Control Operator" unless
another operator assumes the role with the original poster's
agreement. Said "Net Control" shall direct the order for
QSO exchanges in the event multiple operators participate
and it seems like a good idea under the circumstances.

8) Contacts scheduled in this group shall be open to all
other operators who might come along, and not be exclusive
to those who initiated the contact using the good offices of
this reflector. It is anticipated that all contacts shall be of
a casual and friendly nature, and all other operators who
might make contact outside the CQCQCQ community of
operators shall be welcome and that participating operators
shall not consider it a closed net or do anything that would
discourage other operators from participating in the QSO.

I FEEL THE FIRST FOUR MANDATORY RULES SHOULD
GUIDE US - at least at a minimum. The other rules are, I
feel, good practice, and might help us.... but the need for a

specific time, date, frequency is sorely needed to make this
an effective tool. Whaddaya think?

JUST MY TAKE...

Happy trails !!

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

347. Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-28 15:49:15 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 346 Message: 347

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Rick N6NKN

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348. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-28 16:11:19 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 346 Message: 348

Can we make a post here if there is a QSP party going on with a specified frequency?

In a message dated 2/28/2009 10:49:27 A.M. Eastern Standard Time, N6NKN@... writes:

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Rick N6NKN

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349. Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-28 16:36:30 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 346 Message: 349

Post away. We need all the participation we can get!!!

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, kc2aup@... wrote:
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350. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-28 16:47:05 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 346 Message: 350

OK, in that case, the Mississippi QSO party is going on. AG5Z is on
14.255.0 and is 20 over 9 here in NJ...

In a message dated 2/28/2009 11:36:57 A.M. Eastern Standard Time,
N6NKN@... writes:

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Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

--- In _CQCQCQ@..._ (mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com) , kc2aup@...
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351. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-28 18:05:17 UTC
From: James M. Geidl
Topic: 346 Message: 351

Way to complicated for me, I think I'll just stick with CQ.

Jim
Sent directly out of my pocket!

-----Original Message-----
From: "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@arrl.net>

Date: Sat, 28 Feb 2009 15:49:15
To: <CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

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352. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-02-28 18:57:10 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 346 Message: 352

OK, in that case, the Mississippi QSO party is going on. AG5Z is on 14.255.0 and is 20 over 9 here in NJ...

I got 'em on 7245 AB5WF

Sarge
sent by my evil twin in a tree house

353. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-01 05:36:34 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 346 Message: 353

Oh sure... I get it... we just wing it, ... like a couple of
old ladies looking to meet for lunch.... they just just drive
around looking for each other .... and maybe they ever meet...
sure... that is a good plan !

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But seriously folks, I merely suggest anyone wanting to REALLY
make contact should - at a minimum - SPECIFY the date, time,
mode, and frequency, on which they want to make contact -- other wise if
no one ever specifies this
nothing happens. Certainly I do not want everyone to
to bog down in the "rules" but an invitation is no invitation
unless is has sufficient specificity to actually tell the invitee
where and when to meet the inviter.

Just MY take.. Happy trails and Good DX.

========== Happy trails ! -- K8JHR ==========

James M. Geidl wrote:
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354. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-01 06:10:40 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 346 Message: 354

I agree, there is minimum info required to let everyone know where you are
going to be and when you'll be there.

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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> On Behalf Of Richards
> Sent: Saturday, February 28, 2009 9:37 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Proposed Sked Protocol
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355. OT Paul Harvey Passed Away

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-01 07:45:13 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 355 Message: 355

We lost a Great Communicator, below is Some Comments He made about
Ham Radio I put the Audio File in the Files section
Born Sept 4 1918 Died February 28, 2009, at the age of 90
May He Rest in Peace

73 De Don KA9QJG

Paul Harvey Plugs Ham Radio's Emergency Communications Role
Veteran ABC Radio Networks commentator Paul Harvey on March 19 offered some kind words for amateur radio. The mention was the second item on "page four" of his Paul Harvey Noon News and Comment program: "America's quiet warriors are the legion of ham radio operators, 700,000 of them, who are always at ready for backup duty in emergencies -- amateur, unpaid, uncelebrated, civilian radio operators, during and after floods and fires and tornadoes. After the 9/11 attacks, hams were indispensable in reuniting friends and families. Most recently it was they who expedited the search for debris after the disaster to the space shuttle Columbia, and right now, at this moment, they are involved in homeland security to a greater degree than you would want me to make public." The commentary's enigmatic and mysterious final sentence -- typical of Harvey's habit of leaving his listeners hanging -- apparently refers to the fact that many Amateur Radio Emergency Service (ARES) and Radio Amateur Emergency Service (RACES) teams have ramped up their alert status as hostilities get under way in the Middle East.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Paul_Harvey

356. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-01 18:18:57 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 346 Message: 356

Anybody looking for Somerset County in New Jersey, post it, and I will check later. Chances are that I need your State or County also...

Frank
KC2AUP...

In a message dated 3/1/2009 1:12:04 A.M. Eastern Standard Time, jgeidl@... writes:

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www.spinochio.www

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357. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-01 20:05:28 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 346 Message: 357

Hello hope everyone is doing well and making contacts , I did see on anther Group a New Ham make a comment that He was just a Tech and did not have HF Privileges , But He would post looking for a QSO When He did .

This is Not just for HF , But any mode VHF/UHF, ATV, CW ,PSK Anything You the Members want to Do and also help and Encourage others , It is one thing to be able to Get a Amateur Radio Lic but Actually staying in the Hobby and using that Privilege it is Priceless Pun intended .

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS We don't want anyone to get Mad and leave, we don't have Rules, We have some Members Making Suggestions of How to simplify things and make the Group work,

358. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-01 20:57:58 UTC
From: Robert Mitchell
Topic: 346 Message: 358

Smart little old ladies use time and place, what could be simpler?
Bob N7DHV
Sent from my BlackBerry Smartphone provided by Alltel

-----Original Message-----
From: Richards <jruing@ameritech.net>

Date: Sun, 01 Mar 2009 00:36:34
To: <CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com>
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: Proposed Sked Protocol

Oh sure... I get it... we just wing it, ... like a couple of
old ladies looking to meet for lunch.... they just just drive
around looking for each other .... and maybe they ever meet...
sure... that is a good plan !

;-)

But seriously folks, I merely suggest anyone wanting to REALLY
make contact should - at a minimum - SPECIFY the date, time,
mode, and frequency, on which they want to make contact -- other wise if
no one ever specifies this
nothing happens. Certainly I do not want everyone to
to bog down in the "rules" but an invitation is no invitation
unless is has sufficient specificity to actually tell the invitee
where and when to meet the inviter.

Just MY take.. Happy trails and Good DX.

========== Happy trails ! -- K8JHR ==========

James M. Geidl wrote:
> Way to complicated for me, I think I'll just stick with CQ.
>

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359. Cards From KC2AUP and KC0JPO

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-03 19:58:59 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 359 Message: 359

Received cards today from Frank and John.

Thanks gentlemen,

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100 %)

360. Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Cards From KC2AUP and KC0JPO

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-03 20:10:24 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 360 Message: 360

Rick, Thanks for your card for the new County for me, and I got John's card today. Thanks John for the new State..
Still need a few more for my WAS....

Frank,
KC2AUP...
100% QSL...
NO EQSL...

From: N6NKN@...
Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 3/3/2009 2:59:46 P.M. Eastern Standard Time
Subj: [CQCQCQ] Cards From KC2AUP and KC0JPO

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361. Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Card sent to KC0JPO...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-03 20:13:48 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 361 Message: 361

John, KC0JPO.. Your card is out in the mail today...Tx...

Frank
KC2AUP

From: Kc2aup
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 3/3/2009 3:10:24 P.M. Eastern Standard Time
Subj: Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Cards From KC2AUP and KC0JPO

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362. QRU 40m (Scanning) CW 0430Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-04 04:28:04 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 362 Message: 362

If anyone is bored, I'm up on 40 meters CW. Could use some QSOs with anyone in Wyoming, Montana, and points east for WAS. I'll be scanning for an hour or two at least. Mostly on 7.030, 7.035 and 7.038 (QRM/QRN on 7.040) I'm still a newbie at this so pls QRS to 20 wpm or less.

Todd / KI6TIH

363. Re: Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Cards From KC2AUP and KC0JPO

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-04 13:42:24 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 360 Message: 363

Do yo have Michigan?

========== K8JHR ==========

kc2aup@... wrote:
>
> Rick, Thanks for your card for the new County for me, and I got John's
> card today. Thanks John for the new State..
> Still need a few more for my WAS....
> ==========

364. Re: [CQCQCQ] Cards From KC2AUP and KC0JPO

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-04 16:56:42 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 359 Message: 364

Yes, I have the State, but only 3 Counties of the 83 listed. What County are you? So far I only have Lenawee, Oakland and St. Clair.

In a message dated 3/4/2009 8:42:58 A.M. Eastern Standard Time, jruing@... writes:

Do yo have Michigan?

==========<WBR>==========

kc2aup@...2 (mailto:kc2aup@...) wrote:
>
> Rick, Thanks for your card for the new County for me, and I got John's
> card today. Thanks John for the new State..
> Still need a few more for my WAS....
> ========== ==== ==== ==== ====

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365. Re: [CQCQCQ] Cards From KC2AUP and KC0JPO

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-04 21:48:22 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 359 Message: 365

Kent County.

========== K8JHR ==========

kc2aup@... wrote:
> Yes, I have the State, but only 3 Counties of the 83 listed. What
> County are you? So far I only have Lenawee, Oakland and St. Clair.

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366. Cards received

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-05 02:02:30 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 366 Message: 366

Sorry for the time delay. I have been working very long hours (12-14 day) and have had very little time to even read email, let alone get on the radio. I have the cards from N6NKN,,N2XSG and WA7DHQ. Thanks everyone and glad others have received my cards. If I missed anyone and we have contacted each other, please let me know and I will get cards out right away.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

367. CQ...CQ...CQ...Announcing the Indiana and Kentucky area 2mSSB net

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-05 18:25:34 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 367 Message: 367

Hello Hope Everyone is doing Well, It is Finally 50 Deg Here in Indiana Near Chicago, time to do some Antenna work, I got the Below info from a Indiana Group I belong to and thought I would also Post it here too In case anyone Might wish to try and make some contacts

I think most that really play around with SSB VHF/UHF Use Horz Antennas less Man made Noise.

Good Luck

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS If anyone has Info like this in their area I do not see anything Wrong with Posting the info and Promoting Activity.

But this Group is run by the Votes of the Members Not Me I just set it up. So what ever the Majority wants is fine with me

/CQ...CQ...CQ...Announcing a New SSB Net

/_Spread the Word, Talk it up with Your Friends and Club Members. Thursday, March 5, 2009 at 7:00 PM ET (00:00z) for the _2 METER SSB NET_ Simplex Freq. 144.250 USB Net Control: Dan K9ZF

The purpose for the net is:
_
_1. Increase 2 meter SSB activity in the Southern Indiana / Northern Kentucky Area, and Beyond.
2. To give area operators a chance to test their stations and their capabilities.
3. To give area SSB operators a chance to meet other active stations in the area.
4. Last, but not least, TO HAVE FUN:-)

As your net control I will start the net looking north from EM78el. After gathering check ins from the north I will move the beam east, then south, then west. Most active SSB stations will be using horizontal yagis, but don't let this discourage you if all you have is a vertical. Please give us a try with what you have!

I have a very small station here in EM78el, just east of Charlestown, IN. I have 150 watts and 10 elements at 25 feet. With my station, I will be depending heavily on the other stations to help relay check ins.

We look forward to hearing you!

73
Dan K9ZF

368. New poll for CQCQCQ

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-05 18:30:35 UTC
From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 368 Message: 368

Enter your vote today! A new poll has been created for the
CQCQCQ group:

Since I let the Members (Active Users) of the Group decide what they want I thought I would ask If Everyone wants to also see Published Nets . Special Events Etc.

73 De Don KA9QJG

o Great Idea
o We have Enough info now
o Are You Nuts
o Forget about it
o No Commet

To vote, please visit the following web page:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/surveys?id=2490866

Note: Please do not reply to this message. Poll votes are
not collected via email. To vote, you must go to the Yahoo! Groups
web site listed above.

Thanks!

369. [CQCQCQ] County..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-05 19:50:07 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 369 Message: 369

Sure, I can use Kent County. Thanks. Do you hunt Counties? I will give
Somerset County, NJ to anybody who needs it.... Chances are I need yours also...

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From: jruing@...
Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 3/4/2009 4:49:00 P.M. Eastern Standard Time
Subj: Re: [CQCQCQ] Cards From KC2AUP and KC0JPO

Kent County.

==========<WBR>==========

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370. Need first CW Contact

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 05:00:16 UTC
From: dstacyh
Topic: 370 Message: 370

Hi,

I am in Hawaii and am learning CW. I have been learning at 20 WPM for the past two months.

I need about 3-5 seconds between characters.

Anyone willing to help a novice CWer out?

I operate on 20 and 40 m for now. 40 M is active currently. It is 5:00 UTC here, local is 1900 hours or 7 PM. I can go anywhere from 0300 UTC to 11:00 UTC.

WH7LH CW from HAWAII on 20 or 40m. I can also do PSK or voice if anyone needs that.

Stacy, WH7LH

371. Re: [CQCQCQ] Need first CW Contact

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 05:26:11 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 370 Message: 371

Hi Stacy. I am on 7.025 CW right now. I've QSO'd Hawaii for the last two nights at about this time. Give me a call and we will see if we can connect!

Todd / KI6TIH
Windsor, California

On Mar 5, 2009, at 9:00 PM, dstacyh wrote:

> Hi,
>
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> for the past two months.
>
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> anyone needs that.
>
> Stacy, WH7LH
>
>

372. Re: [CQCQCQ] Need first CW Contact

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 05:38:44 UTC
From: Stacy Holbrook
Topic: 370 Message: 372

I am on now but don't hear anything, tired calling

v/r
Stacy Holbrook

----- Original Message -----
From: Todd Eastman
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, March 05, 2009 7:26 PM
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Need first CW Contact

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Stacy, WH7LH

373. Re: [CQCQCQ] Need first CW Contact

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 05:46:51 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 370 Message: 373

Hmmm. I've been sending my CQ on 7.025. There is some QRN tonight, maybe it is interfering too much. I'll keep trying.

Todd / KI6TIH

On Mar 5, 2009, at 9:38 PM, Stacy Holbrook wrote:

>
> I am on now but don't hear anything, tired calling
>
>
> v/r
> Stacy Holbrook
>

374. Re: [CQCQCQ] Need first CW Contact

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 05:54:09 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 370 Message: 374

I'm hearing something very faint, but unreadable. Don't know if it is you or not. I see you are in the Army and in Honolulu. I went to Kindergarten in Honolulu back in 65. My dad was in the Army and stationed at what was then called Ft. Shafter. Don't know if it is still there or not.

Todd / KI6TIH

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> v/r
> Stacy Holbrook

375. Re: [CQCQCQ] County..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 05:58:00 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 369 Message: 375

No, I do not do counties, but I love to be helpful to others who do.

I will be on my radio Friday later in the day and early evening.
and also late afternoon Saturday for sure. Other times by appointment.

I am helping another ham put up an antenna tomorrow morning
and probably into the afternoon.

How did I get volunteered into that ? Yep... it was easy, just opened
my big mouth and the guy took me seriously! Sheesh.... what a
revolting development THIS is !!! (remember Life of Riley?)

So maybe we can meet up on a sked in the next 3 days...

========== James -K8JHR ==========

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> Somerset County, NJ to anybody who needs it.... Chances are I need yours
> also...
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376. Re: [CQCQCQ] Need first CW Contact

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 05:54:00 UTC
From: Stacy Holbrook
Topic: 370 Message: 376

Calling you now at 100 watts

Stacy

v/r
Stacy Holbrook

----- Original Message -----
From: Todd Eastman
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, March 05, 2009 7:46 PM
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Need first CW Contact

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Todd / KI6TIH

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v/r
Stacy Holbrook

377. Re: [CQCQCQ] Need first CW Contact

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 05:55:50 UTC
From: Stacy Holbrook
Topic: 370 Message: 377

I live on Fort Shafter and work on fort Shafter. I am sitting in my house on Shafter right now! Amazing!!!!
v/r
Stacy Holbrook

----- Original Message -----
From: Todd Eastman
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, March 05, 2009 7:54 PM
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Need first CW Contact

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378. Re: [CQCQCQ] Need first CW Contact

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 06:12:02 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 370 Message: 378

That's too much! Small world, isn't it? I loved it when I was there, but of course, I was just a kid and it was paradise. We lived there for four years. I can still remember the Army duplex we lived in.

Anyway, I suspect our lack of QSO is due to the fact that we are both running at just 100w. The two other Hawaii based ops were running high power rigs with big antennas. I'm on 40M CW almost exclusively nearly every evening between 0400-0600Z. If you ever hear me I'd be more than happy to QSO with you at whatever speed you need. But unless one of us upgrades, it may be difficult.

73

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379. RE: [CQCQCQ] County..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 06:13:21 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 369 Message: 379

County Hunting , I had never Heard of it and I was just getting
Started on 10 Meters 15 Yrs ago trying to work My First Japan station
it was a Pile up . I had a Uniden HR-2510
25 Watts out into a Homemade Dipole.

The Japan station stated He heard My call , I was so Nervous and Said
5/9 Indiana KA9QJG , He then answered 5/7 Japan and He got a little
noisy But had ask What was My County , I misunderstood because I could
not believe He was asking for the County .

I said Indiana Indiana USA(like He did not know) Another Ham broke in
and Said He wanted My county So I said Lake Co , The ham in Japan said
73 Thanks .

I was so excited to work Japan for the First time on my little station
competing with the Big guns in the pile up. That I just could not
believe a foreign station like this was trying to work all Counties in
the US.

After getting His QSL Card I found out He was using Old Collins Tube
Equipment and Of Course Most of us are using Solid State equipment Made
in Japan Etc .

73 De Don KA9QJG

380. RE: [CQCQCQ] County..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 06:17:02 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 369 Message: 380

And before anyone Ask I have NO Idea why my message came out in
Different colors like that If You do E-Mail Me direct

I hate Computers

73 De Don KA9QJG ___

381. Re: [CQCQCQ] County..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 06:38:43 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 369 Message: 381

That is the best part of the story !

========== Richards -K8JHR ==========

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> Equipment and Of Course Most of us are using Solid State equipment Made
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382. ARRL International DX Contest This Weekend

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 15:54:26 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 382 Message: 382

ARRL DX Contest

Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 meters SSB (Single Side Band).

Time: 0000 Z March 7 to 2400 Z March 8.

Exchange: RS (Signal report) + State or Province

HAVE FUN!!!!!!!!!

Rick N6NKN

383. Re: [CQCQCQ] County..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 17:52:53 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 369 Message: 383

Sure, I can sked with you. Anybody else out there can join in also. Today is Friday, and I am home today. I am on and off again on the computer all day. I will be listening to the contest stations this weekend, but on the radio for sure.
Do you require a SASE for the QSL card?

I just did an antenna install at our club last weekend. A beam and a vertical on top of the tower. We had a tree serviced come to us and we were able to use their bucket. As a matter of fact, I was the one who had to go up since most of the members are elderly and the younger ones are afraid of heights. Oh well. I did the same thing as you... I said, I will go up, no problem. Of course, nobody else responded like I thought someone would...lol

Maybe we can get a small round-table of our members here to join in. Any takers?

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384. Re: [CQCQCQ] ARRL International DX Contest This Weekend

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 21:26:59 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 382 Message: 384

Cool. I hope that does not interfere with my planned QSO
with Scott in Ariz - you know, the guy with the mic compressor
who will be at the HRO store in Phoenix.... Hopefully the airwaves
will not be too crowded to fit us in also!

I like contests - not because I want to win ... but it is fun to be part
of it for the guys who do.

Some of them are sort of indifferent and a few even sound arrogant...
but most sound really really happy you stopped by to help out. You
can hear it in their voices.

Thanks for the uptake.

PS... I looked the other day... and based on my log... have not
checked the cards, but the logs says I am like 3 states from WAS...
at least if I can use any band to do it, and not all on one band.

I will have to work on that and get that soon.

========== JHR ==========

Richard Zolla wrote:

> ARRL DX Contest
>

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385. Re: ARRL International DX Contest This Weekend

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 21:32:19 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 382 Message: 385

I guess you will find out. Hi

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> ==========
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386. Re: [CQCQCQ] County..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-06 23:28:18 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 369 Message: 386

I can be on the radio this evening later after I take my bride
to dinner out.

I do not need a SASE.

Yeah.... sometimes we speak... and look around to see who
spoke... only to discover no one else is speaking, so it must
have been YOU ! Oops...

Our antenna installation went smoothly - he climbed his 50 foot
tower and installed an arm to hold a loading coil, and feed for
a 160 meter top loaded sloper. We were able to prune it to
tune it to 1.2 SWR at about 47 Ohms right on the target
frequency. So it seems a success. The ultimate proof will
be how it plays with the transceiver.

Had a good time with it anyway.

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387. Fwd: [CQCQCQ] County..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-07 02:53:59 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 387 Message: 387

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388. Re: Fwd: [CQCQCQ] County..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-07 02:59:05 UTC
From: Richards
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389. Re: [CQCQCQ] County..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-07 03:05:46 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 369 Message: 389

We have a Statewide net here in Jersey.. Union County Traffic Net...

In a message dated 3/6/2009 9:59:36 P.M. Eastern Standard Time,
jruing@... writes:

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390. Re: ARRL International DX Contest This Weekend

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-07 13:56:02 UTC
From: wy0mn7
Topic: 382 Message: 390

Went to bed early last night, too many foreign AND domestic SSB ops in the 40m CW allotment. Hope they had a great time... and recieve QSL cards from the FCC.
--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@...> wrote:
>
> ARRL DX Contest
>
> Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 meters SSB (Single Side Band).
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> Time: 0000 Z March 7 to 2400 Z March 8.
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> Exchange: RS (Signal report) + State or Province
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> HAVE FUN!!!!!!!!!
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>
> Rick N6NKN
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391. This weekend EA PSK31 CONTEST: *EA PSK31 CONTEST 2009 *

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-12 17:11:38 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 391 Message: 391

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS I Have Not worked The Digital Modes Yet , But I Know a few that did and Messed up their Radios by Running to much Power and that also caused problems for others , Most use this Program

http://www.ham-radio-deluxe.com/

Free or You can but additional features , Maybe some Member of the Group who has Experience with Digital can post some Suggestions Dos and Dont's

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This weekend

*EA PSK31 CONTEST 2009 *

Sponsored by Unión de Radioaficionados Españoles (URE). The manager of the contest is

EA4ZB.

☐*Participants: *Any licensed amateur station.

*Date: *2nd full weekend of March, from 16:00 UTC Saturday till 16:00 UTC Sunday (March 14-15, 2009).

*Mode: *BPSK31.

*Bands: *10, 15, 20, 40 and 80 meters, according to IARU Region 1 band plan.

Classes:

1) Single operator all band EA.

2) Single operator single band EA. (One band is only allowed during the contest).

3) Single operator all band non-EA.

4) Single operator single band non-EA. (One band is only allowed during the contest).

5) Multioperator EA, only all bands.

6) Multioperator non EA, only all bands.

*NOTES: *

a) The use of cluster is allowed for all classes, but it is not allowed self-spotting.

b) In the single operator categories only one signal is allowed in the air.

c) In the multioperator categories only one signal is allowed by band.

*Contest call: *"CQ EA TEST".

*Valid contacts: *Any station can be contacted during the contest. Every station can be contacted once per band.

The points and/or multipliers derived from UNIQUE QSOs will be NOT valid.

Exchange: *Spanish stations*: RST + Province code (see below).

The foreign stations that transmit from the Spanish territory will be considered as EA stations.

DX stations: RST + QSO number starting with 001. Multi-operator stations, if used multi TX, shall report separate serials per band starting with 001.

*Scoring: *

On 10, 15 and 20 meters, one (1) point for QSO within own continent, and two (2) points for QSO outside own continent.

On 40 and 80 m, three (3) points for QSO within own continent, and six (6) points for QSO outside own continent.

*Multipliers: *

- EADX100 entities.

- Spanish Provinces.

- USA, Canada, Japan and Australia call areas (VE3, VE6, W5, JA1...).

*NOTES: *

1) Each multiplier counts once per band.

2) The first QSO with W, VE, JA and VK stations, on each band, counts for two multipliers

(EADX100 entity + call area)

3) The first QSO with EA, EA6, EA8 and EA9 stations, on each band, counts for two multipliers

(EADX100 entity + Province).

Final score: Total QSO points by total multipliers in all bands.

Prizes: Trophy to the winner in each class and certificate for the second and third places in each class, if the valid QSO number is higher than 50.

*Logs: *All logs should be submitted in Cabrillo format via Internet to the following E-mail address: *psk31@.... *

Logs should be sent as an e-mail attachment, not in the text of the e-mail, and the filename for the log should be *yourcall.log*.

*Deadline: *All entries must be e-mailed by March 31th, 2009. Logs lately received will not be considered to any effect.

*SPANISH PROVINCE CODE *

A ☐ Alicante AB ☐ Albacete AL ☐ Almería AV ☐
Ávila B ☐ Barcelona

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Coruña CA ☐ Cádiz

CC ☐ Cáceres CE ☐ Ceuta CO ☐ Córdoba CR ☐
Ciudad Real CS ☐ Castellón

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73 de Joaquin, EA4ZB

392. K3UK Sked Page

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-13 00:40:11 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 392 Message: 392

I wish someone had turned me on to this earlier. But I'll share in case I wasn't the only person in the world who hasn't heard of this. K3UK has a scheduling page where you can communicate in real time. It lists the CS and states of those who are currently online. You can pick and choose and request a QSO in real time. Check it out.

http://www.obriensweb.com/sked/index.html

He has several groups available, ie. FISTS, SKCC, etc. Great site!

Todd / KI6TIH

393. Re: [CQCQCQ] K3UK Sked Page

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-13 02:00:31 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 392 Message: 393

I probably should have mentioned that the LoTW group is the most
active one. There are no fees to join but you do have to set up a login.

Todd / KI6TIH

394. Re: [CQCQCQ] K3UK Sked Page

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-14 13:39:59 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 392 Message: 394

Maybe I am missing something but where on the site is the link for SSB work...I don't do digital or cw..

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Bob
WB3DYE

In a message dated 3/12/2009 8:40:38 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time, todd.eastman@... writes:

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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-14 13:56:32 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 395 Message: 395

Good question. I was looking for the same thing...

Frank
KC2AUP....

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Idaho QSO Party - 14th & 15h..

Wisconsin QSO Party - 15th..

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of those who are currently online. You can pick and choose and request a QSO
in real time. Check it out.

A Good Credit Score is 700 or Above. _See yours in just 2 easy steps!_
(http://pr.atwola.com/promoclk/100126575x1220439616x1201372437/aol?redir=http://www.
freecreditreport.com/pm/default.aspx?sc=668072&hmpgID=62&bcd=febemailfooterNO6
2)

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steps!
(http://pr.atwola.com/promoclk/100126575x1220439616x1201372437/aol?redir=http:%2F%2Fwww.fr

eecreditreport.com%2Fpm%2Fdefault.aspx%3Fsc%3D668072%26hmpgID
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396. Contest Calender

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-14 14:17:27 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 396 Message: 396

Yes,

There are activities every weekend for nearly every ham radio pursuit.
Google "WA7BNW Contest" for a weekly rundown.

Rick N6NKN (I QSL 100%)

397. Re: [CQCQCQ] K3UK Sked Page

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-14 17:16:56 UTC
From: Todd Eastman
Topic: 392 Message: 397

LoTW has the most variety of modes. You just have to be clear what you are asking for. I've seen many people ask for SSB. One other neat trick I failed to mention is that if you type in the CS first, then your request, the screen highlights your entry for the person with that CS, so they can easily see that someone is talking to them. On the right, you will see a list of states being represented. You can mouse-over the state and get the CSs of the people from that state. That way you can direct your request directly to the person and state you are looking for. I picked up 12 new states in the past two nights, more than I have picked up in the past 6 months.

Todd / KI6TIH

On Mar 14, 2009, at 6:39 AM, worksntv@... wrote:

>
> Maybe I am missing something but where on the site is the link for
> SSB work...I don't do digital or cw..
>
> 73'
>
> Bob
> WB3DYE
>
> In a message dated 3/12/2009 8:40:38 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time, todd.eastman@...
> writes:
> I wish someone had turned me on to this earlier. But I'll share in
> case I wasn't the only person in the world who hasn't heard of this.
> K3UK has a scheduling page where you can communicate in real time.
> It lists the CS and states of those who are currently online. You
> can pick and choose and request a QSO in real time. Check it out.
>

398. Contest Schedule

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-14 17:47:56 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 392 Message: 398

Finally warming up in N/W Indiana, time for everyone to think about
Antennas her is a Link to contest

_http://www.arrl.org/contests/calendar.html

73 De Don KA9QJG

399. Contest Page...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-14 18:16:40 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 399 Message: 399

This is what I send out to my other groups each week... It is quick and easy.
If interested, I will send it here also..

THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:

CLARA HF Contest: 1700Z, Mar 10 to 1700Z, Mar 11 and 1700Z, Mar 14 to 1700Z, Mar 15
Mode: CW, Phone
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op
Max operating hours: 24
Exchange: Name + QTH + (CLARA member/family member/non-member YL/OM)
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with CLARA member
2 points per QSO with CLARA family member
3 points per QSO with non-member YL
1 point per QSO with OM
Multipliers: Each Canadian call area once
Each DXCC country (must be YL QSO) once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 14, 2009
E-mail logs to: _ve7ony@..._ (mailto:ve7ony@...)
Mail logs to: Leona, VE7ONY
PO Box 266
2475 Dobbin Road #22
Westbank, BC V4T2E9
Canada
Find rules at: _http://www.clara.comm.sfu.ca/contest.html_ (http://www.clara.comm.sfu.ca/contest.html)

RSGB 80m Club Championship, CW: 2000Z-2130Z, Mar 11
Mode: CW
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: (none)
Exchange: RST + Serial No.
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: (see rules)
Submit logs by: March 18, 2009
E-mail logs to: _cccw.logs@..._ (mailto:cccw.logs@...)
Upload log at: _http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl_ (http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl)
Mail logs to: (none)

Find rules at: _http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/r80mcc.shtml_
(http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/r80mcc.shtml)

NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, Mar 13
Mode: (see rules)
Bands: (see rules)
Classes: (none)
Exchange: (see rules)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: March 15, 2009
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at: _http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/_
(http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm_
(http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm)

HA3NS Sprint Memorial Contest: 1830Z-1900Z, Mar 13 (80m) and
1900Z-1930Z, Mar 13 (40m)
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40m
Classes: Single Op
Exchange: HACWG Members: RST + Membership No.
non-Members: RST + NM
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: March 28, 2009
E-mail logs to: _ha3kna@..._ (mailto:ha3kna@...)
Mail logs to: Radio Club
7100 Szekszard
Rakoczi u. 16.
Hungary
Find rules at:
_http://radioamator.honlapepites.hu/?PHPSESSID=e57dd37c356355de9489e83e42&p=12
80_ (http://radioamator.honlapepites.hu/?PHPSESSID=e57dd37c356355de948
9e83e42&p=1280)

RSGB Commonwealth Contest: 1000Z, Mar 14 to 1000Z, Mar 15
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Open
Restricted
Multi-Op
Exchange: RST + Serial No.
QSO Points: 5 points per QSO
20 additional points for each of first three QSOs with
a Commonwealth Area or HQ station per band
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: April 15, 2009

E-mail logs to: _commonwealth.contest@..._
(mailto:commonwealth.contest@...)
Mail logs to: RSGB-G3UFY
77 Bensham Manor Road
Thornton Heath, Surrey CR7 7AF
England
Find rules at: _http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/rberu.shtml_
(http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/rberu.shtml)

AGCW QRP Contest: 1400Z-2000Z, Mar 14
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op Only
Max power: VLP: 1 watt or less
QRP: 5 watts or less
MP: 25 watts or less
QRO: >25 watts
Exchange: RST + QSO No. + class(pwr) + (AGCW Member No./"NM" if not member)
QSO Points: 0 points/QSO for QRO-QRO
3 points/QSO for QRP-VLP,VLP-QRP,VLP-VLP,QRP-QRP
2 points/QSO for all others
Multipliers: 1 per AGCW member per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: March 31, 2009
E-mail logs to: _qrp-test@..._ (mailto:qrp-test@...)
Mail logs to: Edmund Ramm, DK3UZ
Anderheitsallee 24, Bramfeld
D-22175 Hamburg
Germany
Find rules at: _http://www.agcw.org/en/?Contests:QRP-Contest_
(http://www.agcw.org/en/?Contests:QRP-Contest)

ARCI HF Grid Square Sprint: 1500Z-1800Z, Mar 14
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: All Band
Single Band
High Bands
Low Bands
Exchange: RST + grid square + (ARCI number/power)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with ARCI member
4 points per non-member QSO with different continent
2 points per non-member QSO with same continent
Bonus points: 5000 for battery power portable with
temporary antenna
Multipliers: Grids, once per band
Power Mult: >5W=x1, 1-5W=x7, 250mW-1W=x10,
55-250mW=15x, <55mW=20x
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total grid
squares x power mult) + bonus points

Submit logs by: April 6, 2009
E-mail logs to: _contest@..._ (mailto:contest@...)
Mail logs to: ARCI Spring QSO Party
c/o Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF
139 Elizabeth St. W.
Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3
Canada
Find rules at:
_http://www.qrparci.org/component/option,com_extcalendar/Itemid,/extmode,view/extid,56/lang,en/_
(http://www.qrparci.org/component/option,com_extcalendar/Itemid,/extmode,view/extid,56/lang,en/)

EA PSK31 Contest: 1600Z, Mar 14 to 1600Z, Mar 15
Mode: PSK31
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op All Band
Single Op Single Band
Multi-Op
Exchange: EA: RST + province code
non-EA: RST + Serial no.
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point/QSO with same continent on 20-10m
2 points/QSO with different continent on 20-10m
3 points/QSO with same continent on 80-40m
6 points/QSO with different continent on 80-40m
Multipliers: Once each band (see rules)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: March 31, 2009
E-mail logs to: _psk31@..._ (mailto:psk31@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:
http://www.ure.es/contest/428-ea-psk31-contest-english-version.html
(http://www.ure.es/contest/428-ea-psk31-contest-english-version.html)

SOC Marathon Sprint: 1800Z-2400Z, Mar 14
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: (none)
Exchange: Member: RST + (state/province/country) + SOC No.
non-Member: RST + (state/province/country) + power
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with member
4 points per QSO with non-member, different continent
2 points per QSO with non-member, same continent
Multipliers: Each state, province, country once per band
Power mult: 0-250mW x15, 250mW-1W x10, 1-5W x7, >5W x1
Key mult: x1.5 for use of homebrew paddle
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x power mult x key mult
Submit logs by: April 13, 2009

E-mail logs to: _n4bp@..._ (mailto:n4bp@...)
Mail logs to: Bob Patten, N4BP
2841 N.W. 112 Terrace
Plantation, FL 33323
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.qsl.net/soc/090314.htm_
(http://www.qsl.net/soc/090314.htm)

Elecraft QSO Party: 1800Z, Mar 14 to 1800Z, Mar 15
Mode: CW, SSB, Digital
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: (none)
Max power: 100 watts
Exchange: Elecraft Users: RS(T) + (state/province/country) + rig
ID (see rules)
non-Users: RS(T) + (state/province/country)
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with Elecraft user
3 points per QSO with non-user
Multipliers: Each US state, province, country once per band per mode
Power mult: (see rules)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x power mult
Submit logs by: April 10, 2009
E-mail logs to: _EQP2009@..._ (mailto:EQP2009@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.elecraft.com/Awards/eqp_2009.htm_
(http://www.elecraft.com/Awards/eqp_2009.htm)

Idaho QSO Party: 1900Z, Mar 14 to 1900Z, Mar 15
Mode: CW, Phone, Digital
Bands: All, except WARC
Classes: Single Op (CW/Phone/Digital/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Single (CW/Phone/Digital/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Multi (CW/Phone/Digital/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Mobile/Rover (CW/Phone/Digital/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
School (CW/Phone/Digital/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Max power: HP: >150 watts
LP: 150 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: ID: RS(T) + County
non-ID: RS(T) + (state/province/country)
Work stations: Once per mode per band
QSO Points: 1 point per SSB QSO
2 points per CW/digital QSO
Multipliers: ID: Each state, province and country once per mode
non-ID: Each ID county once per mode
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 14, 2009
E-mail logs to: _idqplogs@..._ (mailto:idqplogs@...)
Mail logs to: Edward Campbell, NX7TT
157 N 3300 E

Rigby, ID 83442
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.nx7tt.com/main_page_link/rules.htm_
(http://www.nx7tt.com/main_page_link/rules.htm)

North American Sprint, RTTY: 0000Z-0400Z, Mar 15
Mode: RTTY
Bands: 80, 40, 20m
Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)
Max operating hours: 4 hours
Max power: HP: 1500 watts
LP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: [other station's call] + [your call] + [serial no.] +
[your name] + [your state/province/country]
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO
non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station
Multipliers: Each US state (including KL7) once
Each VE province once
Each North American country (except W/VE) once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: March 21, 2009
E-mail logs to: (see rules, web upload preferred)
Upload log at: _http://www.ncjweb.com/sprintlogsubmit.php_
(http://www.ncjweb.com/sprintlogsubmit.php)
Mail logs to: Ed Muns, W0YK
P.O. Box 1877
Los Gatos, CA 95031-1877
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.ncjweb.com/sprintrules.php_
(http://www.ncjweb.com/sprintrules.php)

UBA Spring Contest, 6m: 0700Z-1100Z, Mar 15
Mode: CW, Phone
Bands: 6m Only
Classes: Single
SWL
Max power: non-QRP: >5 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: ON: RS(T) + Serial No. + UBA Section
non-ON: RS(T) + Serial No.
QSO Points: 3 points per QSO with Belgian station
Multipliers: Each UBA Section
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 5, 2009
E-mail logs to: _ubaspring@..._ (mailto:ubaspring@...)
Mail logs to: Michel Gertis, ON4CAQ
Mommestraat 69
B-3550 Heusden Zolder
Belgium

Find rules at: _http://www.uba.be/vhf/contest/spring2009_GB.pdf_
(http://www.uba.be/vhf/contest/spring2009_GB.pdf)

Mar 15 to 0100Z, Mar 1Wisconsin QSO Party: 1800Z6
Mode: CW, Phone
Bands: All, except WARC
Classes: Single Op (Fixed/Mobile/Novice/Tech)(QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Op (Fixed/Mobile/Tech)(QRP/Low/High)
M/M (Fixed/Mobile)(QRP/Low/High)
Max power: HP: >150 watts
LP: 150 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: WI: county
non-WI: (state/province/country)
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 1 point per Phone QSO
2 points per CW QSO
Bonus Points: 500 points for mobiles for each county
from which you make at least 12 QSOs
Multipliers: WI Stations: WI counties, states, provinces once
Non-WI Stations: WI counties once
Power mults: HP x1.0, LP x1.5, QRP x2.0
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x power mult x
total mults) + bonus points
Submit logs by: April 17, 2009
E-mail logs to: _k9kr@..._ (mailto:k9kr@...)
Mail logs to: Wisconsin QSO Party
West Allis Radio Amateur Club
P. O. Box 1072
Milwaukee, WI 53201
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.warac.org/wqp/2009/wiqp_rules.htm_
(http://www.warac.org/wqp/2009/wiqp_rules.htm)

Run for the Bacon QRP Contest: 0100Z-0300Z, Mar 16
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Band
All Band
Max power: 5 watts
Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (Member No./power)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member
3 points per QSO with member on same continent
5 points per QSO with member on different continent
Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
Multiply mults by 2 if >50 members worked
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: March 22, 2009
E-mail logs to: (none)
Upload log at: _http://www.fpqrp.com/autolog.php_

(http://www.fpqrp.com/autolog.php)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.fpqrp.com/fpqrprun.php_
(http://www.fpqrp.com/fpqrprun.php)

Bucharest Contest: 1600Z-1729Z, Mar 16 and 1730Z-1859Z, Mar 16
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: Single Op QRP
Single Low Power (LPI)
Multi-Op (LPC)
SWL
Max power: LP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: YO3: RS(T) + QSO No. + Sector
non-YO: RS(T) + QSO No. + "AA"
Work stations: Once per mode
QSO Points: 2 points per QSO: YO3-YO3 or YO-YO/AA
4 points per QSO: YO3-YO/AA
Multipliers: Each YO area once per contest segment
Each YO3 sector
Each AA once
Score Calculation: Total score = total score of each segment(total
QSO points x total mults)
Submit logs by: March 26, 2009
E-mail logs to: _fenyo3jw@..._ (mailto:fenyo3jw@...)
Mail logs to: Bucharest Contest
Fenyo Stefan Pit
CP 19-43
033210 Bucuresti 19
Romania
Find rules at:
http://www.bucuresti.110mb.com/Regulament%20Bucuresti%20engleza.pdf
(http://www.bucuresti.110mb.com/Regulament%20Bucuresti%20engleza.pdf)

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eecreditreport.com%2Fpm%2Fdefault.aspx%3Fsc%3D668072%26hmpgID
%3D62%26bcd%3DfebemailfooterNO62)

400. RE: [CQCQCQ] Contest Page...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-14 18:53:56 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 399 Message: 400

Hello KC2AUP , This came into as Spam and it was Stopped , I had to Approve it , I recently did a Pole and 90 Percent of the members who voted thought Posting this Type of Info was fine . So as Far as I am concerned it is OK with Me,

I am just the Owner if the Majority of Members Don't want it of Course I will have to Stop it . I let this Group run by the what ever the Majority of the Members want. It is their Group and everyone is Welcome

Thanks for Posting

73 De Don KA9QJG

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401. Re: [CQCQCQ] Contest Page...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-15 02:32:56 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 399 Message: 401

Don,

No problem. I send this out to a few groups each week as I had mentioned.
I am also a moderator for a few Yahoo groups and they request it from me
since starting it a couple of years ago for the contesters like myself.
If you want, I will put it out a few more times and if the group still wants
it, I will send it on a regular weekly basis, if not, no big deal.
Like you said, it is up to the members... BTW, I was one of the 90% that
voted for the posting...

Frank
KC2AUP...

In a message dated 3/14/2009 2:55:03 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time,
KA9QJG@... writes:

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73 De Don KA9QJG

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eecreditreport.com%2Fpm%2Fdefault.aspx%3Fsc%3D668072%26hmpgID
%3D62%26bcd%3DfebemailfooterNO62)

402. Promoting Ham Radio

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-18 21:17:42 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 402 Message: 402

This may be Old News to some But New for me so I thought I would post it

This is what Walter Cronkite had to say about Ham Radio, He is also a Amateur and in His Case a Professional Radio Operator

Holding a Novice Class lic KB2GSD, He would have learned the Code, but He may be a Novice but we all know He is an Extra Class Special Person.

I like comment He said it was once said that The Only Fail Safe Communications in the World is Ham Radio

Born 4□Nov 1916 92 Yrs Old

And His Famous Quote that He always Ended with I will use is And that's the Way it is

Video http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5Z9136_Nhh4

And His Info http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Walter_Cronkite

73 De Don KA9QJG

403. DX News - A NEW IOTA....

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-18 21:43:03 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 403 Message: 403

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*** D X N E W S INFORMATION ***
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>>> AS-192, IOTA NEW ONE <<<

Mohamad, HZ1MD has announced that he, along with Firas/HZ1FS and Sulaiman/7Z1SJ, will be active as HZ1FS/p from the Red Sea Coast South/ Jizan Province group, IOTA AS-192 (new one) on 19-23 March (depending on the living conditions on the island, they might extend their stay). They plan to have three stations "with many antennas", including a Spiderbeam for 20, 15 and 10 metres, and to operate mainly SSB, with some digital modes.

**********Great Deals on Dell 15" Laptops - Starting at $479
(http://pr.atwola.com/promoclk/100126575x1220433363x1201394532/aol?redir=http:%2F%2Fad.doubleclick.net%2Fclk%3B212935224%3B34245239%3Bb)

404. This weeks contests - CW, SSB, 10-10, RTTY, QSO, Phone, PSK31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-19 15:56:26 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 404 Message: 404

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:
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NAQCC Straight Key/Bug Sprint: 0030Z-0230Z, Mar 19
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40, 20m
Classes: (none)
Max power: 5 watts
Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (NAQCC No./power)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member
2 points per QSO with member
Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
Key Type Mult: 2x if straight key, 1.5x if bug, 1x if other
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x
key type mult
Submit logs by: March 23, 2009
E-mail logs to: _naqcc33@..._ (mailto:naqcc33@...)
Post log summary at: _http://home.windstream.net/johnshan/sprintlog.html_
(http://home.windstream.net/johnshan/sprintlog.html)
Mail logs to: John Shannon, K3WWP
478 E. High St.
Kittanning, PA 16201
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.arm-tek.net/~yoel/sprint200903.html_
(http://www.arm-tek.net/~yoel/sprint200903.html)

RSGB 80m Club Championship, SSB: 2000Z-2130Z, Mar 19
Mode: SSB
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: (none)
Exchange: RS + Serial No.
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: (see rules)
Submit logs by: March 26, 2009
E-mail logs to: _ccssb.logs@..._ (mailto:ccssb.logs@...)
Upload log at: _http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl_
(http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/r80mcc.shtml_
(http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/r80mcc.shtml)

NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, Mar 20
Mode: (see rules)
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Bands: (see rules)
Classes: (none)
Exchange: (see rules)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: March 22, 2009
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at: _http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/_
(http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm_
(http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm)

Feld Hell Sprint: 0000Z-2400Z, Mar 21
Mode: Feld Hell
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: (none)
Max power: 100 watts
Exchange: (see rules)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: (see rules)
Bonus Points: (see rules)
Multipliers: Each state, province and country once only
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults)
+ bonus points
Submit logs by: April 1, 2009
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at: _http://www.bambinomusical.com/autolog.html_
(http://www.bambinomusical.com/autolog.html)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub/Home/contests_
(http://sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub/Home/contests)

10-10 Int. Mobile Contest: 0001Z-2359Z, Mar 21
Mode: Any
Bands: 10m Only
Classes: Individual
Club
QRP
Max power: QRP: 10 watts
Exchange: Name + (state/province/country) + 10-10 number + (US/VE/G)county
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Counties
Score Calculation: Fixed: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Mobile: Total score = total QSO points x (total
mults + counties activated)
Submit logs by: April 4, 2009
E-mail logs to: _tentencontest@..._
(mailto:tentencontest@...)
Mail logs to: Dan Morris, KZ3T
131 Valencia Lane
Statesville, NC 28625

USA
Find rules at: _http://www.ten-ten.org/Forms/mobile_rules_new.pdf_
(http://www.ten-ten.org/Forms/mobile_rules_new.pdf)

BARTG HF RTTY Contest: 0200Z, Mar 21 to 0200Z, Mar 23
Mode: RTTY
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op Expert All Band
Single Op All Band
Single Op All Band 6 Hours
Single Op Single Band
Multi-Single
Multi-Multi
SWL
Max operating hours: Single Op: 30 hours with at least 3 hour rest period
Single Op 6 Hours: 6 hours
Multi-Op: 48 hours
Exchange: RST + Serial No. + 4-digit time (UTC)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: DXCC countries once per band
JA, W, VE and VK areas once per band
Continents once regardless of band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total
country/area mults x continents
Submit logs by: May 1, 2009
E-mail logs to: _ska@..._ (mailto:ska@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.bartg.org.uk/contests/HF%20Rules%202009.pdf_
(http://www.bartg.org.uk/contests/HF%20Rules%202009.pdf)

Russian DX Contest: 1200Z, Mar 21 to 1200Z, Mar 22
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op All Band Mixed (QRP/Low/High)
Single Op All Band CW (Low/High)
Single Op All Band SSB (Low/High)
Single Op Single Band Mixed
Multi-Single
Multi-Two
SWL
Exchange: Ru: RS(T) + 2-character oblast
non-Ru: RS(T) + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: Ru Stations: 2 points per QSO with same country same continent
Ru Stations: 5 points per QSO with same country
different continent
Ru Stations: 3 points per QSO with different country
same continent
Ru Stations: 5 points per QSO with different continent
non-Ru Stations: 10 points per QSO with Ru station

non-Ru Stations: 2 points per QSO with same country
non-Ru Stations: 3 points per QSO with different
country same continent
non-Ru Stations: 5 points per QSO with different continent
5 points per QSO with /MM
Multipliers: Each oblast once per band
Each country once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 7, 2009
E-mail logs to: _rdxc@..._ (mailto:rdxc@...)
Mail logs to: Russian DX Contest
P.O. Box 88
119311 Moscow
Russia
Find rules at: _http://www.rdxc.org/asp/pages/rulesg.asp_
(http://www.rdxc.org/asp/pages/rulesg.asp)

Oklahoma QSO Party: 1300Z, Mar 21 to 0100Z, Mar 22 and 1300Z-1900Z, Mar 22
Mode: CW/Digital, Phone
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Single
Rover-Assisted
Rover-Unassisted
Rover-Multi-Xmtr
Max power: HP: >100 watts
LP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: OK: RS(T) + County
non-OK: RS(T) + (state/province/"DX")
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 2 points per phone QSO
3 points per Digital/CW QSO
Multipliers: OK: Each state, province, OK county once
non-OK: OK counties once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 30, 2009
E-mail logs to: _logs@..._ (mailto:logs@...)
Mail logs to: Oklahoma QSO Party
OK DX Association
P.O. Box 2591
Claremore, OK 74018-2591
USA
Find rules at: _http://okdxa.org/web/html/rules09.htm_
(http://okdxa.org/web/html/rules09.htm)

North Dakota QSO Party: 1700Z, Mar 21 to 0100Z, Mar 22
Mode: CW, Phone
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2m
Classes: Fixed
Mobile

Out of State
Exchange: ND: RS(T) + County
non-ND: RS(T) + (state/province/country)
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
2 points per CW QSO
Multipliers: ND Stations: each state, country and ND county once
Non-ND Stations: each ND county once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 1, 2009
E-mail logs to: _K0LN@..._ (mailto:K0LN@...)
Mail logs to: NDRA
c/o Lynn Nelson, K0LN
6940 4th St. SW
Minot, ND 58701
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.qsl.net/svarc/ndqso09.htm_
(http://www.qsl.net/svarc/ndqso09.htm)

Virginia QSO Party: 1800Z, Mar 21 to 0100Z, Mar 23
Mode: CW, Phone, Digital
Bands: All, except WARC
Classes: Single Op
(Fixed/Mobile/Expedition)(High/Low/QRP)(Multi-Band/Single-Band)(CW/Phone/Digit
al/Mixed)
Multi-Single
(Fixed/Mobile/Expedition)(High/Low/QRP)(Multi-Band/Single-Band)(CW/Phone/Digit
al/Mixed)
Multi-Multi
(Fixed/Mobile/Expedition)(High/Low/QRP)(Multi-Band/Single-Band)(CW/Phone/Digit
al/Mixed)
Exchange: VA: Serial No. + county
non-VA: Serial No. + (state/province/country)
Work stations: Once per band per mode
Score Calculation: (see rules)
Submit logs by: April 15, 2009
E-mail logs to: _vqp@..._ (mailto:vqp@...)
Mail logs to: VA QSO Party
Call Box 599
Sterling, VA 20167
USA
Find rules at:
_http://www.qsl.net/sterling/VA_QSO_Party/2009_VQP/2009_VQP_Rules.html_
(http://www.qsl.net/sterling/VA_QSO_Party/2009_VQP/2009_VQP_Rules.html)

UBA Spring Contest, 2m: 0700Z-1100Z, Mar 22
Mode: CW, Phone
Bands: 2m Only
Classes: Single
SWL
Max power: non-QRP: >5 watts

QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: ON: RS(T) + Serial No. + UBA Section
non-ON: RS(T) + Serial No.
QSO Points: 3 points per QSO with Belgian station
Multipliers: Each UBA Section
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 12, 2009
E-mail logs to: _ubaspring@..._ (mailto:ubaspring@...)
Mail logs to: Michel Gertis, ON4CAQ
Mommestraat 69
B-3550 Heusden Zolder
Belgium
Find rules at: _http://www.uba.be/vhf/contest/spring2009_GB.pdf_
(http://www.uba.be/vhf/contest/spring2009_GB.pdf)

9K 15-Meter Contest: 1200Z-1600Z, Mar 22
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 15m Only
Classes: Single Op SSB
Single Op CW
Exchange: RS(T) + Serial No.
Work stations: Once
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each DXCC country once
Each 9K station once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 21, 2009
E-mail logs to: _9k2rr@..._ (mailto:9k2rr@...)
Mail logs to: Faisal N. Al-Ajmi, 9K2RR
P.O.Box 1124
Alfarwanya 80000
Kuwait
Find rules at: _http://www.9k2hn.com/9kcc/9KCCRule.htm_
(http://www.9k2hn.com/9kcc/9KCCRule.htm)

QRP Homebrewer Sprint: 0000Z-0400Z, Mar 23
Mode: CW, PSK31
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: (none)
Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + power out
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 2 points per QSO with commercial equipment
3 points per QSO with homebrew xmtr OR rcvr
4 points per QSO with homebrew xmtr AND rcvr
Multipliers: Power: >5W: x1, 1-5W: x7, 250mW-1W: x10, <250mW: x15
States, provinces, countries once per band per mode
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x power mult *
total SPC mults
Submit logs by: April 21, 2009
E-mail logs to: _w2lj@..._ (mailto:w2lj@...)
Mail logs to: Larry Makoski, W2LJ

327 Clinton Place
South Plainfield, NJ 07080
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.njqrp.org/data/qrphomebrewersprint.html_
(http://www.njqrp.org/data/qrphomebrewersprint.html)

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405. Upcoming Contests

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-20 19:41:18 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 405 Message: 405

SOC Marathon Sprint: 1800Z-2400Z, Mar 14 Mode: CW Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m Classes: (none) Exchange: Member: RST + (state/province/country) + SOC No.
non-Member: RST + (state/province/country) + power Work stations: Once per band QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with member
4 points per QSO with non-member, different continent
2 points per QSO with non-member, same continent Multipliers: Each state, province, country once per band
Power mult: 0-250mW x15, 250mW-1W x10, 1-5W x7, >5W x1
Key mult: x1.5 for use of homebrew paddle Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x power mult x key mult Submit logs by: April 13, 2009 E-mail logs to: n4bp[at]bellsouth[dot]net
Mail logs to: Bob Patten, N4BP
2841 N.W. 112 Terrace
Plantation, FL 33323
USA Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/soc/090314.htm
<http://www.qsl.net/soc/090314.htm> NAQCC Straight Key/Bug Sprint: 0030Z-0230Z, Mar 19 Mode: CW Bands: 80, 40, 20m Classes: (none) Max power: 5 watts Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (NAQCC No./power) Work stations: Once per band QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with non-member
2 points per QSO with member Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
Key Type Mult: 2x if straight key, 1.5x if bug, 1x if other Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x key type mult Submit logs by: March 23, 2009 E-mail logs to: naqcc33[at]alltel[dot]net Post log summary at: http://home.windstream.net/johnshan/sprintlog.html
<http://home.windstream.net/johnshan/sprintlog.html> Mail logs to: John Shannon, K3WWP
478 E. High St.
Kittanning, PA 16201
USA Find rules at: http://www.arm-tek.net/~yoel/sprint200903.html
<http://www.arm-tek.net/~yoel/sprint200903.html> RSGB 80m Club Championship, SSB: 2000Z-2130Z, Mar 19 Mode: SSB Bands: 80m Only Classes: (none) Exchange: RS + Serial No. QSO Points: 1 point per QSO Multipliers: (none) Score Calculation: (see rules) Submit logs by: March 26, 2009 E-mail logs to: ccssb[dot]logs[at]rsgbhfcc[dot]org Upload log at: http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl
<http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl> Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/r80mcc.shtml
<http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/r80mcc.shtml> NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, Mar 20 Mode: (see rules) Bands: (see rules) Classes: (none) Exchange: (see rules) Score Calculation: Total

score = total QSO points x total mults Submit logs by: March 22, 2009
E-mail logs to: (none) Post log summary at:
http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/
<http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/> Mail logs to: (none) Find
rules at: http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm
<http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm> Feld Hell Sprint: 0000Z-2400Z,
Mar 21 Mode: Feld Hell Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m Classes:
(none) Max power: 100 watts Exchange: (see rules) Work
stations: Once per band QSO Points: (see rules)
Bonus Points: (see rules) Multipliers: Each state, province and
country once only Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points
x total mults) + bonus points Submit logs by: April 1, 2009 E-mail
logs to: (none) Post log summary at:
http://www.bambinomusical.com/autolog.html
<http://www.bambinomusical.com/autolog.html> Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: http://sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub/Home/contests
<http://sites.google.com/site/feldhellclub/Home/contests> 10-10 Int.
Mobile Contest: 0001Z-2359Z, Mar 21 Mode: Any Bands: 10m Only
Classes: Individual
Club
QRP Max power: QRP: 10 watts Exchange: Name +
(state/province/country) + 10-10 number + (US/VE/G)county QSO Points:
1 point per QSO Multipliers: Counties Score Calculation: Fixed:
Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Mobile: Total score = total QSO points x (total mults + counties
activated) Submit logs by: April 4, 2009 E-mail logs to:
tentencontest[at]roadrunner[dot]com Mail logs to: Dan Morris, KZ3T
131 Valencia Lane
Statesville, NC 28625
USA Find rules at: http://www.ten-ten.org/Forms/mobile_rules_new.pdf
<http://www.ten-ten.org/Forms/mobile_rules_new.pdf> BARTG HF RTTY
Contest: 0200Z, Mar 21 to 0200Z, Mar 23 Mode: RTTY Bands: 80, 40,
20, 15, 10m Classes: Single Op Expert All Band
Single Op All Band
Single Op All Band 6 Hours
Single Op Single Band
Multi-Single
Multi-Multi
SWL Max operating hours: Single Op: 30 hours with at least 3 hour
rest period
Single Op 6 Hours: 6 hours
Multi-Op: 48 hours Exchange: RST + Serial No. + 4-digit time (UTC)
Work stations: Once per band QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: DXCC countries once per band
JA, W, VE and VK areas once per band
Continents once regardless of band Score Calculation: Total score =
total QSO points x total country/area mults x continents Submit logs
by: May 1, 2009 E-mail logs to: ska[at]bartg[dot]demon[dot]co[dot]uk
Mail logs to: (none) Find rules at:
http://www.bartg.org.uk/contests/HF%20Rules%202009.pdf

<http://www.bartg.org.uk/contests/HF%20Rules%202009.pdf> SARL VHF/UHF
Contest: 1000Z, Mar 21 to 1000Z, Mar 22 Mode: CW, FM, SSB, Digital
Bands: 50 MHz, 70 MHz, 144 MHz, 432 MHz, 1296 MHz Classes: Portable
Multi-Op
Portable Single-Op
Fixed Single-Op
Fixed Multi-Op
Limited Exchange: RS(T) + 6-character grid locator Work stations:
Once per band per contest period Score Calculation: (see rules)
Submit logs by: April 6, 2009 E-mail logs to:
sarl[dot]contest[at]peer[dot]co[dot]za Mail logs to: The Contest
Committee
PO Box 11198
Queenswood
0121 Pretoria
South Africa Find rules at:
http://www.sarl.org.za/public/contests/SARL%202009%20Contest%20Manualv3.\
pdf
<http://www.sarl.org.za/public/contests/SARL%202009%20Contest%20Manualv3\
.pdf> Russian DX Contest: 1200Z, Mar 21 to 1200Z, Mar 22 Mode: CW,
SSB Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m Classes: Single Op All Band
Mixed (QRP/Low/High)
Single Op All Band CW (Low/High)
Single Op All Band SSB (Low/High)
Single Op Single Band Mixed
Multi-Single
Multi-Two
SWL Exchange: Ru: RS(T) + 2-character oblast
non-Ru: RS(T) + Serial No. Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: Ru Stations: 2 points per QSO with same country same
continent
Ru Stations: 5 points per QSO with same country different continent
Ru Stations: 3 points per QSO with different country same continent
Ru Stations: 5 points per QSO with different continent
non-Ru Stations: 10 points per QSO with Ru station
non-Ru Stations: 2 points per QSO with same country
non-Ru Stations: 3 points per QSO with different country same continent
non-Ru Stations: 5 points per QSO with different continent
5 points per QSO with /MM Multipliers: Each oblast once per band
Each country once per band Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO
points x total mults Submit logs by: May 7, 2009 E-mail logs to:
rdxc[at]srr[dot]ru Mail logs to: Russian DX Contest
P.O. Box 88
119311 Moscow
Russia Find rules at: http://www.rdxc.org/asp/pages/rulesg.asp
<http://www.rdxc.org/asp/pages/rulesg.asp> Oklahoma QSO Party: 1300Z,
Mar 21 to 0100Z, Mar 22 and 1300Z-1900Z, Mar 22 Mode: CW/Digital,
Phone Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m Classes: Single Op
(QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Single

Rover-Assisted
Rover-Unassisted
Rover-Multi-Xmtr Max power: HP: >100 watts
LP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts Exchange: OK: RS(T) + County
non-OK: RS(T) + (state/province/"DX") Work stations: Once per band
per mode QSO Points: 2 points per phone QSO
3 points per Digital/CW QSO Multipliers: OK: Each state, province, OK
county once
non-OK: OK counties once Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO
points x total mults Submit logs by: April 30, 2009 E-mail logs
to: logs[at]okdxa[dot]org Mail logs to: Oklahoma QSO Party
OK DX Association
P.O. Box 2591
Claremore, OK 74018-2591
USA Find rules at: http://okdxa.org/web/html/rules09.htm
<http://okdxa.org/web/html/rules09.htm> AGCW VHF/UHF Contest:
1600Z-1900Z, Mar 21 (144) and 1900Z-2100Z, Mar 21 (432) Mode: CW
Bands: 144 MHz, 432 MHz Classes: Single Op Max operating hours: 3
hours: 144 MHz
2 hours: 432 MHz Max power: A: 5W
B: 5-50W
C: >50W Exchange: RST + "/" + Serial No. + "/" Power class + "/" +
6-character grid locator
non-AGCW: RST + Serial No. Work stations: Once per band QSO
Points: 1 point per km per QSO Multipliers: (none) Score
Calculation: Total score = total QSO points Submit logs by: April 6,
2009 E-mail logs to: vhf-uhf[at]agcw[dot]de Mail logs to: Manfred
Busch, DK7ZH
Ebachstr. 13
D-35716 Dietzhoelztal-Mandeln
Germany Find rules at:
http://www.agcw.org/en/?Contests:VHF-UHF_Contest
<http://www.agcw.org/en/?Contests:VHF-UHF_Contest> North Dakota QSO
Party: 1700Z, Mar 21 to 0100Z, Mar 22 Mode: CW, Phone Bands: 160,
80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2m Classes: Fixed
Mobile
Out of State Exchange: ND: RS(T) + County
non-ND: RS(T) + (state/province/country) Work stations: Once per band
per mode QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
2 points per CW QSO Multipliers: ND Stations: each state, country and
ND county once
Non-ND Stations: each ND county once Score Calculation: Total score =
total QSO points x total mults Submit logs by: May 1, 2009 E-mail
logs to: K0LN[at]srt[dot]com Mail logs to: NDRA
c/o Lynn Nelson, K0LN
6940 4th St. SW
Minot, ND 58701
USA Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/svarc/ndqso09.htm
<http://www.qsl.net/svarc/ndqso09.htm> Virginia QSO Party: 1800Z, Mar

21 to 0100Z, Mar 23 Mode: CW, Phone, Digital Bands: All, except
WARC Classes: Single Op
(Fixed/Mobile/Expedition)(High/Low/QRP)(Multi-Band/Single-Band)(CW/Phone\
/Digital/Mixed)
Multi-Single
(Fixed/Mobile/Expedition)(High/Low/QRP)(Multi-Band/Single-Band)(CW/Phone\
/Digital/Mixed)
Multi-Multi
(Fixed/Mobile/Expedition)(High/Low/QRP)(Multi-Band/Single-Band)(CW/Phone\
/Digital/Mixed) Exchange: VA: Serial No. + county
non-VA: Serial No. + (state/province/country) Work stations: Once per
band per mode Score Calculation: (see rules) Submit logs by: April
15, 2009 E-mail logs to: vqp[at]verizon[dot]net Mail logs to: VA
QSO Party
Call Box 599
Sterling, VA 20167
USA Find rules at:
http://www.qsl.net/sterling/VA_QSO_Party/2009_VQP/2009_VQP_Rules.html
<http://www.qsl.net/sterling/VA_QSO_Party/2009_VQP/2009_VQP_Rules.html>
UBA Spring Contest, 2m: 0700Z-1100Z, Mar 22 Mode: CW, Phone Bands:
2m Only Classes: Single
SWL Max power: non-QRP: >5 watts
QRP: 5 watts Exchange: ON: RS(T) + Serial No. + UBA Section
non-ON: RS(T) + Serial No. QSO Points: 3 points per QSO with Belgian
station Multipliers: Each UBA Section Score Calculation: Total
score = total QSO points x total mults Submit logs by: April 12, 2009
E-mail logs to: ubaspring[at]uba[dot]be Mail logs to: Michel Gertis,
ON4CAQ
Mommestraat 69
B-3550 Heusden Zolder
Belgium Find rules at:
http://www.uba.be/vhf/contest/spring2009_GB.pdf
<http://www.uba.be/vhf/contest/spring2009_GB.pdf> 9K 15-Meter Contest:
1200Z-1600Z, Mar 22 Mode: CW, SSB Bands: 15m Only Classes:
Single Op SSB
Single Op CW Exchange: RS(T) + Serial No. Work stations: Once
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO Multipliers: Each DXCC country once
Each 9K station once Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO
points x total mults Submit logs by: April 21, 2009 E-mail logs
to: 9k2rr[at]9kcc[dot]com Mail logs to: Faisal N. Al-Ajmi, 9K2RR
P.O.Box 1124
Alfarwanya 80000
Kuwait Find rules at: http://www.9k2hn.com/9kcc/9KCCRule.htm
<http://www.9k2hn.com/9kcc/9KCCRule.htm> QRP Homebrewer Sprint:
0000Z-0400Z, Mar 23 Mode: CW, PSK31 Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: (none) Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + power out
Work stations: Once per band per mode QSO Points: 2 points per QSO
with commercial equipment
3 points per QSO with homebrew xmtr OR rcvr
4 points per QSO with homebrew xmtr AND rcvr Multipliers: Power: >5W:

x1, 1-5W: x7, 250mW-1W: x10, <250mW: x15
States, provinces, countries once per band per mode Score
Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x power mult * total SPC
mults Submit logs by: April 21, 2009 E-mail logs to:
w2lj[at]verizon[dot]net Mail logs to: Larry Makoski, W2LJ
327 Clinton Place
South Plainfield, NJ 07080
USA Find rules at: http://www.njqrp.org/data/qrphomebrewersprint.html
<http://www.njqrp.org/data/qrphomebrewersprint.html> SKCC Sprint:
0000Z-0200Z, Mar 25 Mode: CW Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: (none) Exchange: Name + (state/province/country) + (SKCC
No./power) Work stations: Once per band QSO Points: 1 point per
QSO
Bonus Points: 5 points per Centurion member QSO per band
Bonus Points: 10 points per Tribune member QSO per band
Bonus Points: 25 points per QSO with SKCC club call (K9SKC) per band
Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once Score Calculation:
Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) + bonus points Submit
logs by: March 27, 2009 E-mail log summary to: (none) Post log
summary at: http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/sks/sks-submit.html
<http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/sks/sks-submit.html> Mail logs to:
(none) Find rules at: http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/sks/
<http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/sks/>
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406. W.A.S

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-26 14:55:49 UTC
From: EriK Bott
Topic: 406 Message: 406

Hey Everyone

Well, it's almost that time of year, yepp sporadic E's season *yay*
which of course means the 6 m nuts will get an opportunity to
enjoy some openings :)

I need 3 states for W.A.S on 6 AK,HI and Wy ,while,not expecting
to hearing the 1st 2 for awhile yet,but will be looking for Wy this year.

Is anyone on here in Wy and do you have 6 m ?

Also, going for W.A.S on 17 and need North and South Dakota
again ,which seem to be rare state on that band .

Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Eric
N3TVV

407. Re: [CQCQCQ] W.A.S

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-27 03:35:11 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 406 Message: 407

In a message dated 3/26/2009 10:58:23 A.M. Eastern Daylight Time,
erik_bott@... writes:

Hey Everyone

Well, it's almost that time of year, yepp sporadic E's season *yay*
which of course means the 6 m nuts will get an opportunity to
enjoy some openings :)

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408. ICOM 2720

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-27 03:36:48 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 408 Message: 408

Does anybody in the group have any experience with this radio?

I am trying to figure out a function...

Frank
KC2AUP...
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409. RE: [CQCQCQ] ICOM 2720

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-27 03:55:15 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 408 Message: 409

Frank I don't have one and I don't know if You have the Manual if Not
You can get it Here

http://www.icomamerica.com/en/downloads/Default.aspx?Category=12

I do however have a Friend who has one what kind of Info are you looking
for

73 De Don KA9QJG

410. Re: [CQCQCQ] ICOM 2720 (for KA9QJG..)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-27 04:39:07 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 410 Message: 410

Don,

Thanks for the info. I do have the manual, but cannot seem to locate what I want. First, I was wondering how to do a 1 Meg split, and the second, I have the repeater codes for our local repeater to turn on a link to our other OEM repeater.
However, when I key up the mic and press numbers, there are no tomes coming out. I was told that it might be turned off. How do I turn that function back on so I can get the tones to come out?

If your friend has the book, you can just send me the page numbers that this info is on. I cannot find it at all. If not, the procedures to do these 2 things in an e mail will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you,
Frank
KC2AUP...

In a message dated 3/26/2009 11:55:39 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time, KA9QJG@... writes:

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411. RE: [CQCQCQ] ICOM 2720 (for KA9QJG..)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-27 05:15:14 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 410 Message: 411

Frank , I called My friend who's Name is also Frank He said He has never changed anything but the defaults and has always been afraid to push the wrong button , I know the feeling , Anyway I looked at the Manual This appears to be a Good Radio lots of features ,

It looks like on Pg 51 is some Touch Tone Info about the Mic

And on Pg -27 Shows about the Offset, I was going to Post the Manual to the Files section of the Group but after second thought Icom has some Pretty good lawyers and it Might be Copy write .

I know You have the Manual , but I did leave the link to it on here If You still have a problem Maybe Someone on here can Check out the Manual and Help and Of Course our Member Lawyer can keep Me straight on the Copy write Issue Being a Fellow Ham He might even give us a Break on the Fee LOL

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73 De Don KA9QJG

412. Fwd: [CQCQCQ] ICOM 2720 (for KA9QJG..)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-27 15:26:48 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 412 Message: 412

I see what you are saying. However, the offset is not what I am looking for, the "Split" is what I really need.
Thanks for your help. I will try to look thru the book again. I had to have missed it somewhere...

Frank

From: KA9QJG@...
Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 3/27/2009 1:15:47 A.M. Eastern Daylight Time
Subj: RE: [CQCQCQ] ICOM 2720 (for KA9QJG..)

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I know You have the Manual , but I did leave the link to it on here If You still have a problem Maybe Someone on here can Check out the Manual and Help and Of Course our Member Lawyer can keep Me straight on the Copy write Issue Being a Fellow Ham He might even give us a Break on the Fee LOL
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k)

413. This is NOT A April Fool Joke

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-31 22:39:26 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 413 Message: 413

I normally do not believe in all the Virus Reports I hear about but this one appears to be true. I already have a Problem with Something called VUNDO

Check it out at

http://www.snopes.com/computer/virus/conficker.asp

Good Luck

Don KA9QJG

414. Re: [CQCQCQ] This is NOT A April Fool Joke

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-03-31 22:52:36 UTC
From: Byron
Topic: 413 Message: 414

Both MaFee and Norton don't think it's as big a deal as the media does. From what I've gathered that if you've updated your operating system and antivirus there's a very little possibility of a problem. If you haven't well kept things up to date then you could be in trouble.
Byron AK7EE

-----Original Message-----
>From: Don <KA9QJG@...>
>Sent: Mar 31, 2009 6:39 PM
>To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
>Subject: [CQCQCQ] This is NOT A April Fool Joke
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>I normally do not believe in all the Virus Reports I hear about but this one appears to be true. I already have a Problem with Something called VUNDO
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>Check it out at
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>Good Luck
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>Don KA9QJG
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415. FCC Considers Reinstating CW Requirement...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-01 16:12:54 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 415 Message: 415

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416. Reply to Frank/Group

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-01 16:28:51 UTC
From: norman triantafilos
Topic: 416 Message: 416

Well Frank/group i sure hope they do as Cw did a wonderfull job of keeping the lazy,semi-ignorant hams at bey.
I`m of the opinion that a person/ham needs to do what ever is required to Earn what he/she wants in life and amateur radio is no exception.
And always remember that ``Real Hams`` do cw,keep detailed logbooks and qsl 100 percent.
Norman

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http://mysite.verizon.net/res868sp/thetriantafilosfamily/index.html

--- On Wed, 4/1/09, kc2aup@... <kc2aup@...> wrote:

From: kc2aup@... <kc2aup@...>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] FCC Considers Reinstating CW Requirement...
To: AB2DX@..., stanleythegrouch@..., hodgkiss@..., Kc2aup@..., jfv508@optonline.net, atdell694@..., kc2tje@..., bryster@..., wb2rsu@..., kc2ifi@..., w2msa@..., SHRosenEsq@..., n3fip@..., BOBWA2UEE@..., kc2toj@..., nu2jmarc@..., kc2oug@..., PEGSTER1012@..., kx2v@..., SENTRYSL@..., radioant@..., kc2lsd@..., DenSutphen@..., Hatzolahp11@..., raymond.hodgkiss@..., dovid@..., CRALAH@aol.com, w2dcq@..., kg2gl@..., ronster672@..., kc2qjb@arrl.net, tagresta@..., kc2udj@..., hatzolahems@..., SPEEDBUG103@..., charli22@..., kc2udj@..., kc2pjh@...
Date: Wednesday, April 1, 2009, 12:12 PM

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417. Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Frank/Group

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-01 16:45:51 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 417 Message: 417

I know. You are absolutely right. I totally agree. I just got this from a friend of mine and thought it was just too funny not to send out for a quick laugh....

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From: mr_norm_1999@...
Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 4/1/2009 12:29:39 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time
Subj: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Frank/Group

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418. Re: Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Frank/Group

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-01 17:17:31 UTC
From: Byron
Topic: 417 Message: 418

Isn't it a shame that world changes. It's more of a shame when change is not accepted. Even worse is when changes are bitched about.

FYI - My license says I'm a real Amateur Radio operator. When I squeeze my arm it sure feels like I'm real.

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From: kc2aup@...
Sent: Apr 1, 2009 12:45 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Frank/Group

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419. Re: Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Frank/Group

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-01 17:34:49 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 417 Message: 419

Interesting... and correct.

I see the said KB9YGD, who claims doing CW is what makes
you a "real ham operator," posted a log showing nearly 15,500
contacts, but only 3343 of those were CW contacts, which
means he works CW only 28 % of the time - and which also
means 72 % of the time, he does not work CW.

Sort of ironic for a CW guy to spend so much time doing
modes which do not constitute, under his definition,
"real ham radio." ....

========== Anonymous - K8JHR ==========

Byron wrote:
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420. Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Frank/Group

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-01 18:07:19 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 417 Message: 420

Guys, guys... I sent this out as a joke. I did not think that something like this would happen. Everybody here is a licensed operator, most of everybody here has been on the airwaves for a long time, and everybody has a good time in the hobby. That's all.

Lets just enjoy what we have...

Frank
KC2AUP....

From: abkinnaman@...
Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 4/1/2009 1:18:16 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time
Subj: Re: Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Frank/Group

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Sent: Apr 1, 2009 12:45 PM
To: CQCQCQ@...:
Subject: Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Frank/Group

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421. This weeks contests - CW, QSO Party, digital, Phone.....

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-01 17:16:40 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 421 Message: 421

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:
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NCCC Sprint Ladder: 0230Z-0300Z, Apr 3
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20m
Classes: Single
Max power: 100 watts
Exchange: [other station's call] + [your call] + [serial no.] +
[name] + [your state/province/country]
Work stations: Dupes allowed after at least one intervening QSO
QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO
non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station
Multipliers: Each US state (including KL7 and KH6) once per band
Each VE province once per band
Each North American country (except W/VE) once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 5, 2009
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at: _http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/_
(http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm_
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LZ Open 40m Sprint Contest: 0000Z-0400Z, Apr 4
Mode: CW
Bands: 40m Only
Classes: Single Op
Multi-Op
QRP
Max power: QRP: 5W
Exchange: 3-Digit Serial No. + 3-Digit Serial No. received from last QSO
Work stations: Once each 30 minutes
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: May 4, 2009
E-mail logs to: _LZ1GL@..._ (mailto:LZ1GL@...)
Mail logs to: LZ Open 40m Sprint Contest
P.O. Box 830
Sofia 1000
Bulgaria
Find rules at: _http://www.lzopen.com/lzocc40/indexF.htm_
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Montana QSO Party: 0000Z, Apr 4 to 2400Z, Apr 5
Mode: CW, Digital, Phone
Bands: 160 to 70cm
Classes: Fixed
Mobile/Portable
Exchange: MT: RST + county
non-MT: RST + (state/province/country)
Work stations: Once per MT county
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Bonus: 10 points for each Montana mobile station worked
Bonus: 10 points for each Montana QRP station
Bonus: 100 points for working a Montana lake or river shoreline
Bonus: 100 points for working a state or national park
in Montana
Multipliers: MT: Each (state/province/country) once
Non-MT: Each MT county once
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults)
+ bonus points
Submit logs by: May 31, 2009
E-mail logs to: _normsclassicradio@..._
(mailto:normsclassicradio@...)
Mail logs to: Norm Palin K7NCR
68 Silver Leaf Drive
Kalispell, MT 59901
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.fvarc.org/Events/events.htm_
(http://www.fvarc.org/Events/events.htm)

ARCI Spring QSO Party: 1200Z, Apr 4 to 2359Z, Apr 5
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: All Band
Single Band
High Bands
Low Bands
Max operating hours: 24
Exchange: RS + (state/province/country) + (ARCI number/power)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with ARCI member
4 points per non-member QSO with different continent
2 points per non-member QSO with same continent
Multipliers: States, once per band
VE Provinces, once per band
Countries, once per band
Power Mult: >5W=x1, 1-5W=x7, 250mW-1W=x10,
55-250mW=15x, <55mW=20x
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x (state mults +
province mults + country mults) x power mult
Submit logs by: May 5, 2009

E-mail logs to: _va3jff@..._ (mailto:va3jff@...)
Mail logs to: ARCI Spring QSO Party
c/o Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF
139 Elizabeth St. W.
Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3
Canada
Find rules at: _http://www.qrparci.org/content/view/8347/118/_
(http://www.qrparci.org/content/view/8347/118/)

SP DX Contest: 1500Z, Apr 4 to 1500Z, Apr 5
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op All Band Mixed (QRP/Low/High)
Single Op Three Band Mixed
Single Op All Band Phone (Low/High)
Single Op All Band CW (Low/High)
Single Op Single Band Phone
Single Op Single Band CW
Multi-Op All Band Mixed
SWL Mixed
Max power: HP: >100 watts
LP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: SP: RS(T) + 1-character province
non-SP: RS(T) + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: SP: 3 points per QSO outside of Europe
SP: 1 point per QSO with non-SP Europe
non-SP: 3 points per QSO with SP
Multipliers: SP: Each DXCC country once per band regardless of mode
non-SP: Each SP province once per band regardless of mode
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 30, 2009
E-mail logs to: _spdxc-logs@..._ (mailto:spdxc-logs@...)
Mail logs to: Polski Zwiazek Krotkofalowcow
SPDX Contest Committee
P. O. Box 320
00-950 WARSZAWA
POLAND
Find rules at: _http://www.spdxcontest.info/reg/reg_g.html_
(http://www.spdxcontest.info/reg/reg_g.html)

EA RTTY Contest: 1600Z, Apr 4 to 1600Z, Apr 5
Mode: RTTY
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op All Band
Single Op Single Band
Multi-Op
Exchange: EA: RST + province
non-EA: RST + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per band

QSO Points: 1 point per QSO on 20, 15 or 10m with same continent
2 points per QSO on 20, 15 or 10m with different continent
3 points per QSO on 40 or 80m with same continent
6 points per QSO on 40 or 80m with different continent
Multipliers: Each DXCC country once per band
Each EA province once per band
Each USA, VE, JA or VK call area once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 25, 2009
E-mail logs to: _rttycontest@..._ (mailto:rttycontest@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.ure.es/contest/430-ea-rtty-contest.html_
(http://www.ure.es/contest/430-ea-rtty-contest.html)

Missouri QSO Party: 1800Z, Apr 4 to 0500Z, Apr 5 and 1800Z-2400Z, Apr 5
Mode: CW, Phone
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Missouri
Missouri Mobile/Rover
Non-Missouri
DX
Exchange: MO: RS(T) + Serial No. + county
non-MO W/VE: RS(T) + Serial No. + (state/province/territory)
DX: RS(T) + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
2 points per CW QSO
Bonus: 100 points for at least one QSO with special
event station
Multipliers: MO: Each MO county, state, province and territory once
MO: Maximum of one DXCC country once
Non-MO: Each MO county once
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) + bonus
Submit logs by: May 5, 2009
E-mail logs to: _moqp@..._ (mailto:moqp@...)
Mail logs to: K2DP, S. David Propper
7488 Cornell Ave.
University City, MO 63130
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.w0ma.org/mo_qso_party.htm_
(http://www.w0ma.org/mo_qso_party.htm)

QCWA Spring QSO Party: 1800Z, Apr 4 to 1800Z, Apr 5
Mode: CW/Digital, Phone
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, VHF/UHF
Classes: CW/Digital Only
Phone Only
Mixed
Exchange: last 2 digits of year first licensed +
(state/province/country or QCWA chapter)
Work stations: Once per band regardless of mode

QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
2 points per CW/digital QSO
Multipliers: (see rules)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mult points
Submit logs by: May 5, 2009
E-mail logs to: _w2od@..._ (mailto:w2od@...)
Mail logs to: W2OD, Robert Buus
8 Donner Street
HOLMDEL N.J. 07733-2004
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.qcwa.org/2009-qso-party-rules.htm_
(http://www.qcwa.org/2009-qso-party-rules.htm)

RSGB RoPoCo 1: 0700Z-0900Z, Apr 5
Mode: CW
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: (none)
Exchange: RST + postcode received
QSO Points: 10 points per QSO with UK station
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: April 21, 2009
E-mail logs to: _ropoco1.logs@..._
(mailto:ropoco1.logs@...)
Mail logs to: RSGB G3UFY
77 Bensham Manor Road, Thornton Heath
Surrey CR7 7AF
England
Find rules at: _http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/rropoco.shtml_
(http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/rropoco.shtml)

RSGB 80m Club Championship, CW: 1900Z-2030Z, Apr 6
Mode: CW
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: (none)
Exchange: RST + Serial No.
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: (see rules)
Submit logs by: April 13, 2009
E-mail logs to: _cccw.logs@..._ (mailto:cccw.logs@...)
Upload log at: _http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl_
(http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/r80mcc.shtml_
(http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/r80mcc.shtml)

144 MHz Spring Sprint: 1900 local - 2300 local, Apr 6
Mode: (not specified)
Bands: 2m Only
Classes: Single Op

Rover
Rookie
Exchange: 4-character grid square (6-character grid square optional)
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each 4-character grid square
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 21, 2009
E-mail logs to: _springsprintlogs@..._
(mailto:springsprintlogs@...)
Mail logs to: 2009 Spring Sprints
c/o Chuck Towner, W9KQJ
PO BOX 73
PALATINE, IL 60078-0073
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.sysadnet.com/vhfsprintrules.htm_
(http://www.sysadnet.com/vhfsprintrules.htm)

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(http://pr.atwola.com/promoclk/100126575x1220631247x1201390185/aol?redir=http:%2F%2Fad.doubl
eclick.net%2Fclk%3B213540506%3B35046329%3Bx)

422. Re: Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Frank/Group

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-01 20:30:15 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 417 Message: 422

No problem, Frank. I like old time radio shows... so... I guess
one might quote, Fibber McGee and Molly, =

"It just ain't funny, McGee..."

Humor is so hard to do in email. This one just did not seem funny.

========== KJHR ==========

kc2aup@... wrote:
> Guys, guys... I sent this out as a joke.

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423. Solar Minimum is a Big Event

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-03 03:36:57 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 423 Message: 423

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Space Weather News for April 2, 2009
http://spaceweather.com

SPOTLESS SUNS: Yesterday, NASA announced that the sun has plunged into the deepest solar minimum in nearly a century. Sunspots have all but vanished and consequently the sun has become very quiet. In 2008, the sun had no spots 73% of the time, a 95-year low. In 2009, sunspots are even more scarce, with the "spotless rate" jumping to 87%. We are currently experiencing a stretch of 25 continuous days uninterrupted by sunspots--and there's no end in sight.

This is a big event, but it is not unprecedented. Similarly deep solar minima were common in the late-19th and early-20th centuries, and each time the sun recovered with a fairly robust solar maximum. That's probably what will happen in the present case, although no one can say for sure. This is the first deep solar minimum of the Space Age, and the first one we have been able to observe using modern technology. Is it like others of the past? Or does this solar minimum have its own unique characteristics that we will discover for the first time as the cycle unfolds? These questions are at the cutting edge of solar physics.

You can monitor the progress of solar minimum with a new "Spotless Days Counter" on spaceweather.com. Instead of counting sunspots, we're counting no sunspots. Daily updated totals tell you how many spotless days there have been in a row, in this year, and in the entire solar cycle. Comparisons to historical benchmarks put it all in perspective. Visit http://spaceweather.com for data.

100 HOURS OF ASTRONOMY: This week, astronomers are celebrating the 400th anniversary of Galileo's original telescopic exploration of the sky with "100 Hours of Astronomy," a cornerstone project of the International Year of Astronomy. Running from April 2 through April 5, many different public programs are planned worldwide. Is one of them near you? Visit the 100 Hours web site to find out: http://www.100hoursofastronomy.org/ Note that the celebration ends on Sun Day, April 5th, a special date devoted to observations of the sun: http://solarastronomy2009.org/100-hours-sunday/ .

424. FCC Proposes New Rules for Medical Devices on 70 CM Band

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-03 03:44:19 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 424 Message: 424

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

FCC PROPOSES NEW RULES FOR MEDICAL DEVICES OPERATING ON 70 CM BAND

On March 20, the FCC issued a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) <http://hraunfoss.fcc.gov/edocs_public/attachmatch/FCC-09-20A1.pdf>, proposing to allocate spectrum and adopt service and technical rules for the utilization of new implanted medical devices that operate on 413-457 MHz (70 cm).

Last month, ARRL General Counsel Chris Imlay, W3KD, and Technical Relations Manager Brennan Price, N4QX, met with officials of the Alfred Mann Foundation, developers of the implanted neuromuscular microstimulators, to discuss ARRL concerns with the NPRM. Imlay and Price both came away satisfied that the project should have little, if any, impact on Amateur Radio operators. "There are redundant layers of interference rejection mechanisms built into the product that should protect its users from being impacted by strong Amateur Radio signals," Price said. "The very low power output of these devices should have no impact on the Amateur Radio Service. The ARRL Executive Committee will monitor this filing and take action as appropriate."

425. D X N E W S INFORMATION.....

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-05 03:28:57 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 425 Message: 425

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*** D X N E W S INFORMATION ***
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9A - Once again Zik, VE3ZIK will be active as 9A/VE3ZIK from Bilice, Croatia on 12-21 April. He plans to operate CW, SSB and digital modes on the HF bands, with an emphasis on 80, 40 and 30 metres. He also plans to operate SSB and CW on 20 and 40 metres from Ugljan Island (EU-170) and Pasman Island (EU-170) for one day. QSL via DO7ZZ (e-mail requests for bureau cards can be sent to _ve3zik@..._ (mailto:ve3zik@...) .
9H - Augusto, I2JJR will be operate holiday style as 9H3JR from Malta (EU-023) on 10-14 April. He plans to operate SSB mainly on 40 and 17 metres. QSL via home call.
C9 - The C91FC team now includes nine operators from Belgium and South Africa: Steffi/ON3AEO, Filip/ON4AEO, Jose/ON4CJK, Kath/ON7BK, Adele/ZR6APT, Deon/ZS6ABR, Lucas/ZS6ACT, Sid/ZS6AYC and Gert/ZS6GC. They will operate SSB, RTTY, PSK and CW on 80-10 metres from 9 to 13 April. QSL via ON4CJK, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at _http://www.c91fc.be_ (http://www.c91fc.be)
GM - The website for the MM0RAI/p expedition to Rockall (EU-189)
is now up and running at _http://www.rockall.be/_ (http://www.rockall.be/) . The
operators will be Patrick/ON4HIL, Theo/ON4ATW, Marc/ON6CC, Luc/ON4IA and Karel/ON5TN. They will attempt at landing on Rockall between 30 April and 1 May, and, depending on weather and sea conditions, they will be active with two stations on 80-10 metres SSB and CW for about 48 hours. QSL via ON4BR, direct or bureau.
HA - In 1849 the Hungarian city of Debrecen was the capital of Hungary for a short time during the Hungarian Revolution and War of Independence. Commemorating the events of 160 ago, special event station HG160FNY (QSL via HA0DX) will be active from 1 April until 31 July. Look for also five HA160 individual special prefixes (HA160DX, HA160KA, HA160NDE, HG160BW and HG160JUV) to be aired during that time frame. Further information on this event and the relevant award can be found at www.qrz.com under HG160FNY.
HS - Tony, E21IZC and others will be active as E21IZC/p from Lipe Island (AS-126) on 12-13 April. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 20 and 40 metres. QSL via E21IZC.
I - Walter, IN3XUG will be active as IC8/IN3XUG from Ischia Island (EU-031, IIA NA-001) on 1-10 April. Look for him mainly on 20 and 40 metres SSB and RTTY. QSL via home call.

JT - JH1AWN and three members of the Akita DX Association (JA7AGO, JA7LU and JA7ZP) will be active from Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia on 21-28 April. They will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 from two different locations, JT1KAA's shack and their hotel. Plans are to be QRV on 160-6 metres, but 160m activities will depend on local conditions. The callsigns and relevent QSL routes are: JT1AWN via JH1AWN, JT1AGO via JA7AGO, JT1LU via JA7LU, JT1ZP via JA7ZP. Cards can be sent direct or via the JARL bureau.
JW - Francois, F8DVD will be active once again from Spitsbergen Island (EU-026), Svalbard on 18-26 April. Look for him to operate as JW/F8DVD from the Longyearbyen ARC, with main activity on 40 and 20 metres SSB and CW. His 16-year-old son Victor, F0EPL will be with him. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
KH4 - The dates for the K4M expedition to Miday Island are now set for 9 through 19 October. Further information, including details on how contribute to the expedition, can be found at _www.midway2009.com_ (http://www.midway2009.com) .
KL - The KL7RRC IOTA expedition to Ogliuga Island (NA-233, new one) is now expected between 23 July and 5 August, IOTA Contest included. Preliminary information can be found at _http://www.na-234.com/index.html_ (http://www.na-234.com/index.html) (click on "NA-233 Plans").
LA - Fred, ON6QR will be active as LA/ON6QR from Moskenesoy Island (EU-076) on 8-12 April. He will operate CW QRP on 40-40 metres during his evenings. QSL via home call.
OA - Marco/CE6TBN, Rene/DL2JRM, Zoli/HA1AG and Jorge/OA4BHY will be active as 4T6I from Isla La Leona (SA-098) on 10-13 April. They plan to operate CW and SSB on 10-80 metres with two stations. QSL via DL2JRM, direct or bureau.
OZ - Ben, DO1BEN will be active again as OZ/DO1BEN from Lolland Island (EU-029) on 9-17 April. He plans to operate SSB and digital modes on the HF bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
PY - A large group of operators from the Teresina DX Group will be active as ZW8BBC from Ilha das Canarias (SA-072) from 29 April to 3 May. Plans are to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 160-6 metres. QSL via PS8DX.
S7 - Bernd, DL7UCX will be active as S79UCX from the Seychelles on 5-17 April. He will operate holiday style on 10-80 metres mainly CW, running 100 watts into dipoles and a vertical antenna. QSL via home call, direct or bureau. The log will be uploaded to LoTW.
SP - Eleven special event stations will be active from Poland on 16-19 April to commemorate the World Amateur Radio Day (18 April): 3Z0WARD, 3Z2009WARD, HF2009WARD, HF84WARD, HF9WARD, SN0WARD, SN2009WARD, SP0WARD, SP2009WARD, SQ0WARD and SQ2009WARD. QSL via SP2FAP. Further information can be found at _http://www.ward.pzk.pl/_ (http://www.ward.pzk.pl/)
T8 - JH0IXE (T88CW) and JA0FOX (T88NF) will be active from Palau on 4-12 April. They plan to operate CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK31 and SSTV on 80-6 metres. QSL via home calls.
TA - The TC Special Wireless Activity Team (_www.tcswat.org_

(http://www.tcswat.org)) will
operate as TC57A on 22-27 April in remembrance of the role played
by the 57th Infantry Regiment of the Turkish Fifth Army during the
Dardanelles Campaign in 1915. QSL via TA1HZ.
TK - Joachim, F6BUL will be active holiday style as TK/F6BUL from
Corsica (EU-014) on 8-15 April. He will operate QRP on 40-10
metres CW and SSB. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
TK - Look for Gabriele, TK/IZ5FDD and Alessandro, TK/IW5ELA to be
active from Corsica on 20-24 May. They plan to operate SSB and CW
on 40-6 metres. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau.
VK9M - The VK9GMW operators have passed the 7,000 QSOs mark, with 80
metres as their most productive low band. The weather continues to
be fine and they expect to remain on Mellish Reef until 10 April
at least. Regular updates and on-line logs can be found at
http://www.vk9gmw.com (http://www.vk9gmw.com) . QSL via HA7RY.
VU - Yamini, VU2YAM and Manju, VU2SMS have joined the team that will
operate as AT9RS from Grandi Island (AS-177) between 5 and 7-8
April. They will run two stations, one for SSB and
one for CW, with verticals and dipoles on the following announced
frequencies:
CW 28040, 24920, 21040, 18098, 14040, 10114, 7030, 3530 kHz
SSB 28560, 28460, 24950, 21260, 18128, 14260, 7055, 3765 kHz
QSL via W3HNK (South and North America) and DL4KQ (rest of the
world). Further information can be found at either _www.vu3rsb.org_
(http://www.vu3rsb.org)
and _www.mdxc.org/at9rs_ (http://www.mdxc.org/at9rs)
XU - Eddy, XU7AFU (CW) Wim, XU7TZG (SSB and PSK31) will be active as
XU7KOH from Koh Russei (Bamboo Island, AS-133), on 3-6 April. QSL
via ON7PP (direct only).
XU - Reijo, OH4MDY will be active again as XU7MDY from Shinanoukville,
Cambodia on 9-21 April. He plans to operate CW, SSB and some
digital modes on 80-10 metres. QSL via home call, direct only.

NORTHERN TOUR ---> Maurizio, IW4BLZ will be active on 80-6 metres as
OY/IW4BLZ from the Faroe Islands on 27-29 July, and as TF/IW4BLZ from
Iceland from 31 July to 11 August. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.

**********Hurry! April 15th is almost here. File your Federal taxes FREE
with TaxACT.
(http://pr.atwola.com/promoclk/100126575x1220239440x1201335902/aol?redir=http:%2F%2Fwww.taxact.com%2F08tax.asp%3Fsc%3D084102950001%26p%3D82)

426. rsgbtech

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-05 10:31:27 UTC
From: leslieg0cib
Topic: 426 Message: 426

Hi,

Just a quick message to let you to let you know that rsgbtech has recently been set up.
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/rsgbtech

Regards Leslie

G0CIB

427. HF Contests - QSO Party, CW, Digital, Phone, SSB

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-11 04:30:44 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 427 Message: 427

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:
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ARLHS Annual Spring Lites QSO Party: 0001Z, Apr 9 to 2359Z, Apr 19
Mode: Any
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: (none)
Exchange: Members: Member No. + name + (state/province/country)
Non-Members: Serial No. + name + (state/province/country)
Lighthouse/Lightship: ARHLS No. + name + (state/province/country)
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
2 additional points per QSO with member
3 additional points per QSO with lighthouse/lightship
Bonus: x2 multiplier for all points if participant
activated a lighthouse/lightship
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: May 19, 2009
E-mail logs to: (none)
Mail logs to: Dave Ruch, NF0J
P.O. Box 20696
Bloomington, MN 55420-0696
USA
Find rules at: _http://arlhs.com/SL-2009-guidelines.html_
(http://arlhs.com/SL-2009-guidelines.html)

URE 60th Anniversary Contest: 0000Z, Apr 11 to 2359Z, Apr 12
Mode: Any
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op Multi-Band
Exchange: EA: RST + province
non-EA: RST + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each EA province once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: April 30, 2009
E-mail logs to: _60aniversario@..._ (mailto:60aniversario@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:
_http://www.ure.es/contest/1232-ure-60-anniversary-contest-.html_
(http://www.ure.es/contest/1232-ure-60-anniversary-contest-.html)

JIDX CW Contest: 0700Z, Apr 11 to 1300Z, Apr 12
Mode: CW
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Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op All Band (Low/High)
Single Op Single Band (Low/High)
Multi-Single
Maritime Mobile
Max power: HP: >100W
LP: 100W
Exchange: JA: RST + Prefecture No.
non-JA: RST + CQ Zone No.
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 4 points per JA-DX QSO on 160m
2 points per JA-DX QSO on 80m
1 points per JA-DX QSO on 40, 20, 15m
2 points per JA-DX QSO on 10m
Multipliers: JA Stations: DXCC countries and CQ zones once per band
non-JA Stations: JA prefectures plus JD1/O, JD1/MT,
JD1/OT once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 31, 2009
E-mail logs to: _cw@..._ (mailto:cw@...)
Mail logs to: JIDX CW Contest
c/o Five-Nine Magazine
P.O. Box 59, Kamata
Tokyo 144-8691
Japan
Find rules at: _http://www.jidx.org/jidxrule-e.html_
(http://www.jidx.org/jidxrule-e.html)

PODXS 070 Club PSK 31 Flavors Contest: 1200-1800 local, Apr 11
Mode: BPSK31, QPSK31, BPSK63, QPSK63, BPSK125
Bands: 20m Only
Classes: QRP
Low
Medium
Max power: Medium: 100 watts
Low: 20 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: 070 members: (state/province/country) + member no.
Non-members: (state/province/country) + name
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each state, province and DXCC country once per mode
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 11, 2009
E-mail logs to: _pskflavors@..._ (mailto:pskflavors@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at:
http://harvey.licht.home.sprynet.com/PSKFlavors/2009/2009RulesPost.htm
(http://harvey.licht.home.sprynet.com/PSKFlavors/2009/2009RulesPost.htm)

Radio Maritime Day: 1200Z, Apr 11 to 1200Z, Apr 12
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Coastal Station
Single Op Former Radio Officers
Single Op Radio Amateur
Multi-Op Former Radio Officers
Multi-Op Radio Amateurs
Max power: 100 watts, except Coastal Stations
Exchange: Radio Officers: QSA + call of last ship/aircraft
Radio Amateurs: QSA + Serial No.
QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with Coastal Station
3 points per QSO ship to ship
2 points per QSO ship to amateur or amateur to ship
1 point per QSO between Radio Amateurs
Multipliers: Each maritime nation once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 1, 2009
E-mail logs to: _F6DGU@..._ (mailto:F6DGU@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.radiomaritimeday.org/_
(http://www.radiomaritimeday.org/)

EU Spring Sprint, CW: 1600Z-1959Z, Apr 11
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40, 20m
Classes: Single Op (Low/High)
Max power: HP: >100W
LP: 100W
Exchange: [your call sign] + [other station's call sign] + Serial No. +
Name
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: April 26, 2009
E-mail logs to: _eusprint@..._ (mailto:eusprint@...)
Mail logs to: Dave Lawley, G4BUO
Carramore, Coldharbour Road
Penshurst, Kent TN11 8EX
England
Find rules at: _http://www.eusprint.com/index.php?page=140&lang=g_
(http://www.eusprint.com/index.php?page=140&lang=g)

Georgia QSO Party: 1800Z, Apr 11 to 0359Z, Apr 12 and 1400Z-2359Z, Apr 12
Mode: CW/Digital, Phone
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6m
Classes: Single Op (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Single (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Multi (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Rover Single Op (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Rover Multi-Op (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)

Max power: HP: >150W
LP: 150W
QRP: 5W
Exchange: GA: RST + county
non-GA: RST + (state/province/"DX")
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
2 points per CW QSO
Multipliers: GA Stations: Each state and VE region once per mode
non-GA Stations: each GA county once per mode
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 15, 2009
E-mail logs to: _gqp@..._ (mailto:gqp@...)
Mail logs to: John Laney, K4BAI
PO Box 421
Columbus, GA 31902-0421
USA
Find rules at: _http://gqp.contesting.com/Rules.htm_
(http://gqp.contesting.com/Rules.htm)

Yuri Gagarin International DX Contest: 2100Z, Apr 11 to 2100Z, Apr 12
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, Satellites
Classes: Single Op Multi-Band
Single Op Single Band
Multi-Single
SWL
Exchange: RST + ITU Zone No.
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 2 points per QSO with same country
3 points per QSO with different country on same continent
4 points per QSO with different continent
3x QSO points on 160/80m, 2x QSO points on 40m
Multipliers: ITU zones once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 10, 2009
E-mail logs to: _gc09@..._ (mailto:gc09@...)
Mail logs to: GC Contest Committee
P.O.Box 2020
Moscow, 101000
Russia
Find rules at: _http://gc.qst.ru/en/section/32_
(http://gc.qst.ru/en/section/32)

SKCC Weekend Sprint: 0000Z-2400Z, Apr 12
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6m
Classes: (none)
Exchange: RST + Name + (state/province/country) + (SKCC No./"NONE")
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO

Bonus Points: 5 points per Centurion member QSO per band
Bonus Points: 10 points per Tribune member QSO per band
Bonus Points: 25 points per QSO with SKCC club call per band
Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults)
+ bonus points
Submit logs by: April 17, 2009
Post log summary at: _http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/wes-submit.html_
(http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/wes-submit.html)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/_
(http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/)

UBA Spring Contest, SSB: 0600Z-1000Z, Apr 12
Mode: SSB
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: Single
SWL
Max power: non-QRP: >5 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: ON: RS + Serial No. + UBA Section
non-ON: RS + Serial No.
QSO Points: 3 points per QSO with Belgian station
Multipliers: Each UBA Section
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 3, 2009
E-mail logs to: _ubaspring@..._ (mailto:ubaspring@...)
Mail logs to: Michel Gertis, ON4CAQ
Mommestraat 69
B-3550 Heusden Zolder
Belgium
Find rules at: _http://www.uba.be/vhf/contest/spring2009_GB.pdf_
(http://www.uba.be/vhf/contest/spring2009_GB.pdf)

Low Power Spring Sprint: 1400Z-2000Z, Apr 13
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op Single Band
Single Op Two/Three Band
Single Op All Band
Max power: A: 1 watt
C: 5 watts
Q: 25 watts
X: 50 watts
Y: 100 watts
Exchange: RST + 4-character grid square + power category (A/C/Q/X/Y)
QSO Points: 3 points per QSO with same continent
9 points per QSO with different continent
18 points per QSO with OM station
Multipliers: Each grid square once per band
Each prefix once per band

Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 13, 2009
E-mail logs to: _om3kfv@..._ (mailto:om3kfv@...)
Mail logs to: Radioklub OM3KFV
P.O.Box 3
038 61 Vrutky
Slovakia
Find rules at:
http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/lowpowerspringsprint2008.pdf
(http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/lowpowerspringsprint2008.pdf)

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428. More DX Contests..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-11 04:50:05 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 428 Message: 428

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3V - Special event Scout station TS1LYMC (I Love You My Country) will
be activated from Tunisia on 12-30 April. Expect activity on 80-10
metres CW, SSB, RTTY, PSK and SSTV. QSL to TS1LYMC, 33 Rue plaine
Lune Borj Louzir, Ariana 2073 Tunis, Tunisia.
C6 - Joe/AA4NN (C6DX), Carl/N4AA (C6AAA), Janet/W8CAA (C6AYL) and
Joe/W8GEX (C6DX) will be active from Eleuthera (NA-001), Bahamas
on 17-24 April. They will operate CW, SSB and RTTY on all bands.
QSL C6AAA via N4AA, QSL C6AYL and C6DX via W8GEX.
CN - Announced frequencies for the upcoming multi-operator activity
from Morocco, including Mogador Island (AF-065), are the following:
SSB 28455, 24955, 21255, 18145, 14255, 7055, 3775, 1845
CW 28025, 24895, 21025, 18075, 14025, 10115, 7025, 3525, 1825
RTTY 28085, 24920, 21085, 18100, 14085, 10145, 7040, 3585
BPSK31 28075, 24915, 21075, 18100, 14075, 10145, 7040, 3595
Activity is also expected on 2m and 6m. The current roster includes
nine operators: I0SNY (5C2Y), I2FUG (5C2F), I8LWL (5C2L), I8YGZ
(5C2Z), IK2AQZ (5C2A), IK6CAC (5C2C), IK7JWX (5C2J), IS0AGY (5C2B)
and IZ7ATN (5C2SG). Activity is expected to start on 19 April and
to finish on the 25th: the callsign to be used from Mogador will
be 5C2J/p, while on the mainland each operator will use his
individual callsign (/m from lighthouses). Please note that the
QSL routes have changed: QSL 5C2Y via I0SNY (direct) or EA4URE
(bureau), all others via IK7JWX (direct or bureau); stations in CQ
Zones 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32 can QSL via VK4FW (direct or bureau)
for all callsigns. Further information, including online logs (to
be updated on a regular basis during the expedition) and an Online
QSL Request System (OQRS) for requesting your direct or bureau
card, can be found at _www.mogador2009.altervista.org_
(http://www.mogador2009.altervista.org)
D4 - Uli, DF8KN will be active as D44TEP from Boa Vista (AF-086), Cape
Verde until 13 April. He operates QRP using a "very short aerial".
QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
DL - DF6LPC, DJ9IE, DL3HBZ, DL5HAQ and DL8HAL will be active as DK0RZ
from Hooge Island (EU-042) on 15-17 April. QSl via bureau.
EA - Celebrating the end of the International Polar Year,, special

event station EG2IPY will be active on 13-19 April. QSL via EA2RC.
GM - The Camb-Hams will be active as either GM3PYE/p and GS3PYE/p
from
the Island of Harris (EU-010) on 18-25 April. 2M0OVV, 2M0TXY,
G0BOE, G0DDX, G1SAA, G4HUN, M0VFC, M1BXF and MM1BJP. They plan to
operate on most HF bands with two stations (SSB and digital
modes), with activity also on 6, 4 and 2 metres. QSL via G4HUN,
direct or bureau. Further information can be found at
http://www.camb-hams.com/coming-events/2009-dxpedition
(http://www.camb-hams.com/coming-events/2009-dxpedition)
LA - The Radio Club of Gardermoen will be active as LN2G for the
Norsk
Hammeeting 2009 (_http://www.hammeeting.no/_ (http://www.hammeeting.no/))
that will take place
in Eidsvoll on 17-19 April. Expect main activity on 20 and 40
metres SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via LA2G.
OH - Jukka, OH3OJ will be active as OH3OJ/p from Kustavi
Island
(EU-096) on 8-11 April. He will operate CW, SSB and digital modes
on the HF bands, with main activity on 20-40 metres. QSL via home
call, bureau preferred.
VK9M - The VK9GMW team on Mellish Reef is likely to go QRT on 12
April
around 20 UTC. While they have been operational sporadically on
SSB, they have given up on RTTY as "it is just too much for such a
small team". However, neither SSB/RTTY nor the high bands have
ever been a priority for the two operators: they clearly stated
from the very beginning that they specialize in low band
operations, and that their focus would be on 160, 80 and 40
metres. "Many large DXpeditions do a great job of working the high
bands, SSB and digital modes", they say, and "there is a very good
chance that one will be on Mellish Reef soon". Regular updates and
on-line logs (15,880 QSOs at 20.20 UTC on 9 April) can be found at
http://www.vk9gmw.com (http://www.vk9gmw.com) . QSL via HA7RY.

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429. Re: [CQCQCQ] More DX Contests..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-11 23:26:02 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 428 Message: 429

Thanks for the contest and DX updates. Short, and to the point.
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Happy trails. ========== K8JHR ==========

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kc2aup@... wrote:

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430. Fwd: [CQCQCQ] More DX Contests..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-11 23:55:02 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 430 Message: 430

No problem. Always willing to help. I will try to provide contest info
each week to the group...

Frank
KC2AUP....

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From: jruing@...
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
CC: AB2DX@..., stanleythegrouch@..., hodgkiss@...,
Kc2aup@..., atdell694@..., kc2tje@..., bryster@...,
wb2rsu@..., kc2ifi@..., w2msa@..., SHRosenEsq@...,
n3fip@..., BOBWA2UEE@..., kc2toj@..., nu2jmarc@...,
PEGSTER1012@..., SENTRYSL@..., radioant@..., kc2lsd@...,
DenSutphen@..., Hatzolahp11@..., raymond.hodgkiss@...,
dovid@..., CRALAH@..., w2dcq@..., kg2gl@...,
ronster672@..., kc2qjb@..., kc2udj@..., SPEEDBUG103@...,
kc2udj@..., kc2pjh@..., jim-n2tdi@..., bmags48@...,
Holusha@..., mathews_paul@...
Sent: 4/11/2009 7:26:22 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time
Subj: Re: [CQCQCQ] More DX Contests..

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431. Happy Easter

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-12 17:00:23 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 431 Message: 431

[easter34.gif] Norm [B-)]

432. Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy Easter

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-12 17:29:27 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 431 Message: 432

I painted my Easter eggs Heathkit green

Norm

433. Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy Easter

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-12 18:04:57 UTC
From: norman triantafilos
Topic: 431 Message: 433

wow sarg i like that take care,N

http://www.qsl.net/kb9ygd/index.html Search My Logbook->
http://dx.qsl.net/cgi-bin/logform.cgi?kb9ygd
http://mysite.verizon.net/res868sp/thetriantafilosfamily/index.html

--- On Sun, 4/12/09, Sarge <sarge43@...> wrote:

From: Sarge <sarge43@...>
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy Easter
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Sunday, April 12, 2009, 1:29 PM

I painted my Easter eggs Heathkit green
Norm

434. OT Welcome to Our New RF Interference Problems

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-16 22:46:16 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 434 Message: 434

Welcome to Our New RF Interference Problems

I know some of our Members including myself have been watching News of the Wind Farms. thought I would share about some Interference Problems popping up , I think in Ham radio and Scanner Listening We experience it in Multipath , Picket Fencing Etc
Seems like there is always a trade off for something new

73 De
Don KA9QJG

Wind Farm Interference to Doppler Weather http://tinyurl.com/cgvavh

And TV Interference http://tinyurl.com/dy6su7

435. DX News Information....

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-19 18:21:54 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 435 Message: 435

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3D2 - Jan, OK2ZAW will be active from the Fiji Islands between 1 and 8
May. His itinerary is as follows:
1 May Viti Levu OC-016 3D2ZW/p
2-4 May Mamanuca Group OC-121 3D2ZW/p
4-8 May Yasawa Group OC-156 3D2ZW
8 May Viti Levu OC-016 3D2ZW/p
He will be running 100 watts into a vertical antenna and dipoles.
QSL via OK2ZAW, direct or bureau.
8Q - Cliff, SV1JG will be active as 8Q7SV from the Maldives
(AS-013)
from 29 April to 5 May. He plans to operate mostly CW and digital
modes, on all bands. QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
9A - Aniko/HA5TAA, Feri/HA5AZZ, Neno/9A5AN, Livio/9A3KS and Tom/9A2AA
will be active from a number of Croatian islands for a few days
starting on 18 April. Islands named are Krk (EU-136, IOCA CI-046)
and Sv. Marko (EU-136, IOCA CI-117), but the team plans to visit
and operate from several other nearby islands.
C6 - K3IXD, K4QO, W2GJ and W3PP will be active from Crooked
Island
(NA-113), Bahamas on 23-27 July. They will participate in the IOTA
Contest as C6APR; before and after the IOTA event C6APR will be on
80-10 metres CW and SSB. The team will sign C6AXD on RTTY and
C6AQO on 6 metres (grid FL22). The calls are good for Bird Rock
Lighthouse (ARLHS BAH-005). All QSLs via K3IXD.
CE0Z - CE6TBN, LA5FJA, LA6EIA, LA6FJA, LA7WCA, LA8BCA and RA0FU will
be
active as XR0ZN from Juan Fernandez (SA-005) from 24 November to 3
December, CQ WW CW Contest included. QSL route TBA. Preliminary
information can be found at _http://www.la6fja.eu/dx/XR0ZN/_
(http://www.la6fja.eu/dx/XR0ZN/)
CT - The Algarve S.T.A.R. DX Team (_http://algarvedx.com_
(http://algarvedx.com/)) will be active
as CS6A from the lighthouse Doca Olhao W. (ARLHS POR-129) on 18
April, from 7 to 13 UTC. They plan to operate SSB and CW on 40,
30, 20 and 17 metres with two stations. QSL via CT1GFK, direct or
bureau.
DL - Helmut, DL7VOX will be active as DL7VOX/p from Usedom
Island
(EU-129) from 27 April to 16 May. He will operate holiday style
mainly CW on 160-10 metres, with 100 watts and wire antennas. QSL

via DL7VOX, direct or bureau.
EA9 - Look for EE9IB (QSL via EA9IB), EE9RY (QSL via EA9RY) and
EE9CF
(QSL via EA9CF) to be active from Bonete Lighthouse (ARLHS
CEU-011), Melilla on 18-19 April.
GM - Charlie/MM0GNS, Willie/GM4ZNC and Rodger/GM3JOB will be active
as
MS0TJT/p from the Island of Coll, Inner Hebrides (EU-008) on 3-8
May. They hope to be QRV on 80-6 metres, and plan to operate
mainly SSB, with a little CW and PSK. QSL via GM4ZNC.
HB0 - Look for Kasimir, DL2SBY and Georg, DF1SR to be active
from
Liechtenstein from 24 April to 4 May. They will be signing
HB0/DL2SBY on 80-10 metres SSB, CW and RTTY and HB0/DF1SR on 13
and 23cm via EME.
I - Ezio/IT9OJW, Sebastiano/IT9ZIR, Dario/IT9ZZO,
Vincenzo/IW9EJP,
Filippo/IW9FRB, Giovanna/IW9GVP and Ferdinando/IW9HSK will be
active as IG9/homecall from Linosa Island (AF-019, IIA AG-003) on
24-26 April. They plan to operate SSB, PSK and RTTY on 10-80
metres. QSL via home calls. They have a web page at
www.iw9frb.it/linosa.htm (http://www.iw9frb.it/linosa.htm)
I - Giordano/IK0XFD, Alberto/IK0ZCW, Andrea/IZ0EHO, Vincenzo/IZ0FKE,
Alberto/IZ0FMA and Claudio/IZ0GKX will be active as ID9N from
Vulcano Island (EU-017) on 25-30 April. They plan to operate CW,
SSB and digital modes on 160-6 metres, with a focus on the low
bands. QSL via IZ0GKN. Further information can be found at
www.id9n.com (http://www.id9n.com/)
I - Claudio, IZ0KRC will b active as IC8/IZ0KRC from Ischia
Island
(EU-031) from 29 April to 4 May. He plans to operate SSB on 10,
15, 20 and 40 metres. QSL via home call, bureau preferred.
JD1_oga- Koji, JI1LET will be active as JI1LET/JD1 from
Chichijima
(AS-031), Ogasawara from 29 April to 5 May. He plans to operate
SSB, CW and RTTY on 40-10 metres, and on 6 metres. QSL via home
call, direct or bureau.
JW - Francois, F8DVD will once again be active as JW/F8DVD from
the
Longyearbyen ARC on Spitsbergen Island (EU-026), Svalbard on 19-25
April. He plans to operate CW and SSB on all HF bands. QSL via
home call, direct or bureau.
OZ - Dominic/ON4AZP, Michel/ON4CAQ, Francois/ON6VP, Herman/ON7FH
and
Maurice/ON7KS will be active as OZ5K from Romo Island (EU-125) on
17-23 May. They will operate on 80-10 metres, as well as on 2m. QSL
via ON4AMM, direct or bureau. The web pages for the activity are at
_http://www.on4dst.be/iota_eu125_1.html_
(http://www.on4dst.be/iota_eu125_1.html)
PY - Nine operators (namely PY1ZV, PY1NB, PY1YB, PY1IBM, PY1KN, PY2WC,

PY2NDX, PY4OG and PY4OY) will be active as PT1R from Ilha Rasa
(SA-079, DIB RJ-07) on 1-4 May. They plan to be be QRV on 160-10
metres SSB, CW and digital modes with two stations, while another
station will be active on 6 and 2 metres during the Araucaria VHF
Contest (details at _http://www.avhfc.com/_ (http://www.avhfc.com/)). QSL
via PY1NB, direct
or bureau. The web page for the operation is at
http://riodxgroup.dxwatch.com/rasa (http://riodxgroup.dxwatch.com/rasa)
S2 - Ramon, DU1UGZ will be active as S21UGZ from Dhaka, Bangladesh
until 20 June. He operates in his spare time using a low band
dipole. For the time being, he will focus on 40 and 80 metres SSB
and RTTY, but in May he should get a beam for 10, 12, 15, 17 and
20 metres and hopefully a linear amplifier as well. QSL via home
call.
SM - Kjell, SM4DDS will be active as 7S5A from Boko Island (Stora
Alo,
EU-177) on 17-19 April. He will operate CW and SSB on 10-80 metres
using a G5RV. QSL via SM4DDS, direct or buro.
TI - TI7KK is the callsign to be used by Klaus/DK6AO,
Gunter/TI7WGI,
Andy/DH8WR, Norbert/DL2RNS, Rene/DL2JRM and Daniel/DL5YWM during
their 17-20 April IOTA activity from the Murcielago Islands
(NA-191). They plan to operate around the clock on
160-10 metres SSB, CW, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via DK6AO, direct or
bureau. The website for the expedition is at _www.ti7.info_
(http://www.ti7.info/)
TI - Look for Orrin, TI6/K9KEJ (QSL via EB7DX) and Don, TI6/W9YOR to
be
active on 40, 20 and 17 metres SSB from Costa Rica from 28 April
to 1 May.
TK - Manu, F4FLQ will operate holiday style as TK/F4FLQ from Corsica
in
11-29 May. Plans are to concentrate on the digital modes and 30,
17 and 12 metres. QSL via home call.
TK - Gabriele, IZ5FDD and Alessandro, IW5ELA will be active as
TK/
homecall from Corsica (EU-014) on 20-24 May. They plan to operate
SSB and CW on 40-10 metres, plus 2m. Their planned activity on
50 MHz has been canceled as 6m are not allowed in
Corsica. QSL via home calls, direct or bureau.
V6 - Look for JA7HMZ (V63DX) and JH7IOS (V63CW) to be active on
40-6
metres from Pohnpei (OC-010), Micronesia on 11-16 May. QSL via
home calls.
VE - Celebrating the 50th anniversary of the George Massey tunnel,
the
Delta Amateur Radio Club (_www.deltaamateurradio.com_ (http://www.deltaama
teurradio.com/)) from Delta,
British Columbia will be active as CG7GMT from Deas Island (CisA
BC-045) on 23-24 May. Look for activity on 80 and 20 metres

between 17 and 1 UTC. QSL via VE7SUN.
VE - Eight members of the "NA-128 Contest Group" (VA2RC, VA2ZO, VE2EDA, VE2EBK, VE2FSK, VE2TKH, VE2MTK and VE2QRA) will be active as CG200I from Ile Verte (NA-128) on 23-26 July, IOTA Contest included. The special callsigns celebrates the 200th anniversary of the lighthouse located on the island, and the group will operate many stations from the lighthouse keeper's quarters. Look for them on 160-6 metres all modes. QSL via VE2CQ, direct or bureau. Further information can be found at www.qrz.com under CG200I.
VK - Nao, JK1FNL will be active as JK1FNL/VK4 from Hamilton Island
(OC-160) on 5-9 May. QSL via home call.
W - Eight operators from QCWA Chapter 119 (K4CQW, K4MIL, K5VIP,
KE4AZL, KI4RXC, W4TVG, W4VIC and W8RJL) will be active as W4T from Tangier Island (NA-083) on 23-26 July, IOTA Contest included. They will run three stations on 80-6 metres CW, SSB, and RTTY. QSL via K5VIP.
XU - Wim, XU7TZG will be active again as XU7KOH from Koh Russei (Bamboo
Island, AS-133) from 17 April until around 5 UTC on the 20th. He plans to operate SSB with some PSK31 on 80, 40, 20, 17, 15, 12 and 10 metres. QSL via ON7PP. Log search and further information at _www.xu7tzg.be_ (http://www.xu7tzg.be/)
YV - The Asociation de Radioaficionados de Venezuela will participate
in the International Marconi Day (25 April) as 4M5M. Look for activity on 160-10 metres SSB, CW and digital modes. QSL via W4SO (mail drop).

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436. Qso Penny Tax Proposed by Feds...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 18:19:11 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 436 Message: 436

This May Interest you...

Qso Penny Tax Proposed by Feds

As concerns about the economy grow, the government continues to seek ways of funding its massive expansion by the levy of a tax on each QSO an amateur radio operator completes while using the nation's airwaves [:O]

Justifying the QSO tax, sources on Capitol Hill say the FCC will be empowered to no longer allow users free access to the radio spectrum. "The radio airwaves belong to the people and business interests are paying good money to acquire rights to use this precious resource" says one source.

The proposed tax would be similar to other user fees proposed by the administration. Pilots face a similar threat as user fees for operating in the nation's airspace are being considered as replacements for the simple tax on aviation fuel.

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The ``Real Ham`` [:*]

[Click This Text To View My Web Slideshow]
<http://picasaweb.google.com/kb9ygd/HamPhotoS/photo#s4979507013952667666\
>

437. Re: [CQCQCQ] Qso Penny Tax Proposed by Feds...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 18:24:39 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 436 Message: 437

Norm,
where was this on April Fool's Day ?

Sarge

438. RE: [CQCQCQ] Qso Penny Tax Proposed by Feds...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 18:27:36 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 436 Message: 438

Who are you kidding...

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Monday, April 20, 2009 11:19 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Qso Penny Tax Proposed by Feds...

This May Interest you...

Qso Penny Tax Proposed by Feds

As concerns about the economy grow, the government continues to seek ways of funding its massive expansion by the levy of a tax on each QSO an amateur radio operator completes while using the nation's airwaves :O <http://us.i1.yimg.com/us.yimg.com/i/mesg/tsmileys2/11.gif>

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439. Re: [CQCQCQ] Qso Penny Tax Proposed by Feds...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 19:34:14 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 436 Message: 439

Isn't that "whom" are you kidding...? ;-)

========== JHR ==========

James M.(Jim) Geidl wrote:

> Who are you kidding...

> ---

440. He he he...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 19:48:09 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 440 Message: 440

Aw..man..what an overwhelmin` responce!Yes indeed i did open the controversial can of work`s but not to worrie [#-o] Ah.. well [:-?] i cannot comment as to the authenticity of this article as it was sent to me in an email address where the FROM line had been munged/spoofed...but i did check the ip and it said a whole different story!Naw dis is not a 4-09 prank so maby we had better be prepared to start handin` out the cash...especialy me as i send/xceive many qsl`s. ``The Real Ham``

[Click qsl card to see actual size]
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kedwidth=actual&linkpath=http://mysite.verizon.net/res868sp/sitebuilderc\
ontent/sitebuilderpictures/Norm5b-6.jpg&target=_self> [:*]

441. Re: [CQCQCQ] He he he...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 20:37:42 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 440 Message: 441

Norm,
which picture on the QSL card is you?? hahahaha!

Sarge

442. To Sarg from Norm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 20:43:08 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 442 Message: 442

Ah... the one in the middle is me Sarg..Hey you been usin` that heathkit green again [:-$]

Is Brazoria County tx the same as the city of Brazoria Texas [:-?]

N [O:)]

443. RE: [CQCQCQ] He he he...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 20:49:53 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 440 Message: 443

Norm,

which picture on the QSL card is you?? hahahaha!

Sarge

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Sarge that is funny , Ol Norms OK Dos a lot to promote this Wonderful Hobbie and live up here by Me in N/W Indiana , Now what is Real Funny in Both Pictures they used the same Teeth Now that is Funny Ha Ha

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS Dos My Audio sound Better with My Dentures in or Out

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444. Re: [CQCQCQ] To Sarg from Norm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 21:14:53 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 442 Message: 444

The village of Brazoria is in Brazoria County, yes.
and I ran out of heathkit green on Easter. haha!

Ah... the one in the middle is me Sarg..Hey you been usin` that heathkit green again

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N

445. Reply to Don/Ka9qjg from Norm/Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 21:45:51 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 445 Message: 445

Aw Gawd... you mens r cruel but ya it true them is me false teet there
Don i just pixel cloned `em from my pitcher he he he

Do u remember we actualy seen Henry do a post?I seen it wit me own eyes
its true and thanks for the kind words also.

N

[Click here to go to the Ka9qjg repeater site at yahoo groups]
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/KA9QJGREPEATERS/>

446. Re: [CQCQCQ] He he he...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 22:43:30 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 440 Message: 446

Norm... I have just GOT to get one of your QSL cards someday!

========== James -K8JHR ==========

Norm wrote:
>
> qsl`s. ``The Real Ham``*
>
> Click qsl card to see actual size

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447. Re: [CQCQCQ] He he he...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 22:54:05 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 440 Message: 447

I have one!
brag
73
Bill ab9qu
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From: "Richards" <jruing@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, April 20, 2009 5:43:30 PM GMT -06:00 US/Canada Central
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448. Re: [CQCQCQ] He he he...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-20 22:56:07 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 440 Message: 448

Great... another guy crappin' on my parade route!

Some guys have all the luck. ;-)

========= K8JHR ==========

ab9qu@... wrote:
>
>
> I have one!
> brag

449. OT Sat Pirates

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-22 18:52:02 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 449 Message: 449

I know as Scanner users Some of us have listened to the Sats I found this Article very interesting and thought I would Share

Happy Scanning

Don KA9QJG

A most interesting article about ingenuity and availability. The former wins the race for availability every time. Now the interesting question. Could not a country use this vehicle for Communications Operations Attacks (gotta be a better name for it) on our forces, spoofing our own radio shacks?

Could it be the AQ or others be using such tools to talk to each other?

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http://www.wired.com/politics/security/news/2009/04/fleetcom?currentPage=all

The Great Brazilian Sat-Hack Crackdown
By Marcelo Soares 04.20.09

Brazilian satellite hackers use high-performance antennas and homebrew gear to turn U.S. Navy satellites into their personal CB radios.

Photo: Divulgação/Polícia Federal

CAMPINAS, Brazil ☐ On the night of March 8, cruising 22,000 miles above the Earth, U.S. Navy communications satellite FLTSAT-8 suddenly erupted with illicit activity. Jubilant voices and anthems crowded the channel on a junkyard's worth of homemade gear from across vast and silent stretches of the Amazon: Ronaldo, a Brazilian soccer idol, had just scored his first goal with the Corinthians.

It was a party that won't soon be forgotten. Ten days later, Brazilian Federal Police swooped in on 39 suspects in six states in the largest crackdown to date on a growing problem here: illegal hijacking of U.S. military satellite transponders.

"This had been happening for more than five years," says Celso Campos, of the Brazilian Federal Police. "Since the communication channel was open, not encrypted, lots of people used it to talk to each other."

The practice is so entrenched, and the knowledge and tools so widely available, few believe the campaign to stamp it out will be quick or easy.

Much of this country's geography is remote, and beyond the reach of cellphone coverage, making American satellites an ideal, if illegal, communications option. The problem goes back more than a decade, to the mid-1990s, when Brazilian radio technicians discovered they could jump on the UHF frequencies dedicated to satellites in the Navy's Fleet Satellite Communication system, or FLTSATCOM. They've been at it ever since.

Truck drivers love the birds because they provide better range and sound than ham radios. Rogue loggers in the Amazon use the satellites to transmit coded warnings when authorities threaten to close in. Drug dealers and organized criminal factions use them to coordinate operations.

Today, the satellites, which pirates called "Bolinha" or "little ball," are a national phenomenon.

"It's impossible not to find equipment like this when we catch an organized crime gang," says a police officer involved in last month's action.

The crackdown, called "Operation Satellite," was Brazil's first large-scale enforcement against the problem. Police followed coordinates provided by the U.S. Department of Defense and confirmed by Anatel, Brazil's FCC. Among those charged were university professors, electricians, truckers and farmers, the police say. The suspects face up to four years and jail, but are more likely to be fined if convicted.

First lofted into orbit in the 1970s, the FLTSATCOM bird was at the time a major advance in military communications. Their 23 channels were used by every branch of the U.S. armed forces and the White House for encrypted data and voice, typically from portable ground units that could be quickly unpacked and put to use on the battlefield.

As the original FLTSAT constellation of four satellites fell out of service, the Navy launched a more advanced UFO satellite (for Ultra High Frequency Follow-On) to replace them. Today, there are two FLTSAT and eight UFO birds in geosynchronous orbit. Navy contractors are working on a next-generation system called Mobile User Objective System beginning in September 2009.

Until then, the military is still using aging FLTSAT and UFO satellites □ and so are a lot of Brazilians. While the technology on the transponders still dates from the 1970s, radio sets back on Earth have only improved and plummeted in cost □ opening a cheap, efficient and illegal backdoor.

To use the satellite, pirates typically take an ordinary ham radio transmitter, which operates in the 144- to 148-MHZ range, and add a frequency doubler cobbled from coils and a varactor diode. That lets the radio stretch into the lower end of FLTSATCOM's 292- to 317-MHz uplink range. All the gear can be bought near any truck stop for less than $500. Ads on specialized websites offer to perform the conversion for less than $100. Taught the ropes, even rough electricians can make Bolinha-ware.

"I saw it more than once in truck repair shops," says amateur radio operator Adinei Brochi (PY2ADN) "Nearly illiterate men rigged a radio in less than one minute, rolling wire on a coil."

Brochi, who assembled his first radio set from spare parts at 12, has been tracking the Brazilian satellite hacking problem (.pdf) for years.

Brochi says the Pentagon's concerns are obvious.

"If a soldier is shot in an ambush, the first thing he will think of doing will be to send a help request over the radio," observes Brochi. "What if he's trying to call for help and two truckers are discussing soccer? In an emergency, that soldier won't be able to remember quickly how to change the radio programming to look for a frequency that's not saturated."

When real criminals use these frequencies, it's easy to tell they're hiding something, but it's nearly impossible to know what it is. In one intercepted conversation posted to YouTube, a man alerts a friend that he should watch out, because things are getting "crispy" and "strong winds" are on their way.

Sometimes loggers refer to the approach of authorities by saying, "Santa Claus is coming," says Brochi.

When the user's location is stable, the signal can be triangulated. That's how the Defense Department got the coordinates to feed Brazilian authorities in March's raids.

While Brazil may be the world capital of FLTSATCOM hijacking, there have been cases in other countries ☐ even in the United States. In February of last year, FCC investigators used a mobile direction-finding vehicle to trace rogue transmissions to a Brazilian immigrant in New Jersey. When the investigators inspected his radio gear, they found a transceiver programmed to a FLTSAT frequency, connected to an antenna in the back of his house. Joaquim Barbosa was hit with a $20,000 fine.

A technician with Anatel, speaking on condition of anonymity, says the chief problem with ending the satellite abuse in this country is that U.S. and Brazilian authorities simply waited too long to start. Thousands of users are believed to have the know-how to use the system. After a bust, the airwaves always go quiet for a while, but the hijackers always return.

One week after the "Operation Satellite," Brochi met with Wired.com at a gathering of amateur radio enthusiasts in a bucolic square in Campinas, about 60 miles north of Sao Paulo. Brochi switches on his UHF receiver and scans through the satellite frequencies.

It's relatively quiet now on the satellite underground, except for the static-like sound of encrypted military traffic. But eventually, a lone creaky voice cuts through. It's a man in Porto Velho, the capital of Rondônia, a day's drive north into the upper Amazon basin. He's making small talk with a friend in Portuguese. The satellite pirates are creeping back on the air.

Amateur radio operators, of which I am one, have been uses similar technology for decades. A satellite transponder has an uplink range of frequencies which are rebroadcasted on another set of frequencies. Since military tactical satellite frequencies (which are in the same area as military aviation) in the 200 to 400 MHz band, it is not all that hard. Now there are other frequencies for satellites around 2 GHz and 5 GHz. Military air and TACSAT frequencies are right in the middle of the most common amateur radio VHF and UHF bands which are also used for amateur satellites (generally uplink on 440 MHz and downlink on 144 MHz bands).

The question is why commercial satellite transponders are not being hacked. It could be that they are at 1800 to 2200 MHz or above 5 GHz. Or they have some form of password protection that limits uplinking. That the hackers can use TACSAT transponders is bad enough. However this also means that anyone with with a high power transmitter (at least 100 Watts) and a high gain antenna could overload the uplink frequencies thus putting the transponder out of commission.

Back in WW2 the typical US soldier was a farm boy who was used to improvising equipment. Now so many new troops have never had to make anything and tend to be fearful of those who can can think out of the box. In much of the world there still are those who can do "farm

boy engineering".

The real problem is the growing use of amateur radio equipment for illegal communictions. At what point would governments start banning amateur radio like they now do guns?

450. Re: [CQCQCQ] OT Sat Pirates

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-22 20:10:09 UTC
From: Sarge
Topic: 449 Message: 450

Boy howdy! That is NOT good!!

451. Eight days to Indiana QSO Party

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-24 00:45:56 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 451 Message: 451

FYI

I Did E-Mail Mel KJ9C and got Permission to Post this info from Him

I really do not see a Problem of Others Posting info about their Areas But I will leave that up to the Members And if their is a Problem of me posting it Let Me know .

73 De Don KA9QJG

I hope you all take advantage of the good weather we'll have this weekend to tweak those dipole antennas .... or the mobile rig... or to pre-install your portable antennas for what we hope will be the best INQP yet.

We've increased the number of awards for out of state entries.... there are high power, low power, and QRP plaques... and plaques to encourage W7 and New England stations to log MORE Indiana stations while they operate in their QSO Parties next weekend. Take a look at the publicity package at the INQP website. It offers operating tips as well as a list of plaques. There will also be certificates for high scores by Indiana county.
www.hdxcc.org/inqp

and gas prices are way down from 2008, so those mobiles that are still planning should be posting those plans pretty soon on the reflector.

OPERATING HINT - Forty meters has been going really long early - like mid-afternoon. We should check 80 meters from time to time.... we might get on 80 on the hour and half hour, to see if there's anybody calling CQ...
might pick up a few extra mults... mobiles should call CQ, since they will be the multipliers. (Yes, I know it's one more thing for the mobile op to remember to do..... but give it a try)

Mel KJ9C (Keeper of the activity map www.hdxcc.org/inqp/activity.php

452. RE: [CQCQCQ] Daily Propagation Group, 18.153, 1755 Z To 1830 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-24 17:59:32 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 59 Message: 452

Is this group still meeting on 18.153 at 18:00z =/-?

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> Sent: Monday, February 16, 2009 8:35 AM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] Daily Propagation Group, 18.153, 1755 Z To 1830 Z
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> Just a group of guys that get together on a daily basis to
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> minutes before 1800 Z and usually run until about 1830 Z. We
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> parts in between. We announce the WWV solar conditions at 18
> minutes after the hour and then QSY to check propagation on
> 12 meters at 24.967.5. We then go back to 18.153 and report
> any 12 meter contacts. (Yes, we do find propagation on 12
> meters from time to time.)
>
> We disband at about 1830 Z and the guys on the East Coast go
> off to 40 meters.
>
> Listen in, or better yet join us. We welcome all.
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> Rick, N6NKN (I QSL 100%)
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453. Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Daily Propagation Group, 18.153, 1755 Z To 1830 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-24 18:40:00 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 453 Message: 453

I have e been listening, but heard nothing.... Even threw out my call a few
times...

Frank
kc2aup

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From: jgeidl@...
Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 4/24/2009 2:01:18 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time
Subj: RE: [CQCQCQ] Daily Propagation Group, 18.153, 1755 Z To 1830 Z

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Same-o same-o.

Jim

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of kc2aup@...
Sent: Friday, April 24, 2009 11:40 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Daily Propagation Group, 18.153, 1755 Z To 1830 Z

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Frank
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455. RE: [CQCQCQ] Daily Propagation Group, 18.153, 1755 Z To 1830 Z

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-24 18:50:50 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 453 Message: 455

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Sent: Friday, April 24, 2009 11:40 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Fwd: [CQCQCQ] Daily Propagation Group, 18.153, 1755 Z To 1830 Z

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Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
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Sent: 4/24/2009 2:01:18 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time
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Date: 2009-04-24 19:23:17 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 453 Message: 456

Nothing heard @ 19:22....

From: jgeidl@...
Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 4/24/2009 2:45:23 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time
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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-24 19:27:14 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 453 Message: 457

OK, no problem. I had the day off and thought I could connect with people from the group. Next day off will be a rain day. We do not work in the rain...

From: jgeidl@...
Reply-to: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 4/24/2009 2:51:44 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time
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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-24 18:46:58 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 453 Message: 458

The schedule changed to 1700Z when DST started. (Sorry)

Rick N6NKN

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459. DX INFORMATION....

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-25 04:39:40 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 459 Message: 459

25 April 2009
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***D X N E W S INFORMATION ***
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A3 - Dave, W6ZL will be active as A35KL from Vava'u (OC-064), Tonga
from 25 April to 6 May. He will operate mainly CW on 40-17 metres
with 100 watts and a vertical dipole; QSL via home call or LoTW.
Also expect Paul, A35RK to operate CW and SSB as A35RK/p from the
same location until at least 1 June; QSL via W7TSQ or LoTW.
A5 - Hisa, JA1DOT will be active as A52DT from Bhutan from 24 April
to
6 May. He plans to operate CW, SSB and RTTY on 160-10 metres. QSl
via home call.
CN - Darouf, CN8VO will be active as 5F1ROM from 26 April to 10 May
for
the FIA Touring Car Grand Prix that will be held in Marrakech on
1-3 May. QSL via EA7FTR.
CY0 - The expedition to Sable Island (NA-063) is now
scheduled to take place on 19-26 October. Look for N0TG/CY0,
WA4DAN/CY0 and AA4VK/CY0 to be active on 160-10 metres CW, SSb and
RTTY with three stations (one station will be operated during the
CQ WW DX SSB Contest). QSL for all callsigns via N0TG. The website
for the expedition is at _http://www.cy0dxpedition.com/_
(http://www.cy0dxpedition.com/) . On 30
April-2 May the team will conduct a "CY0 simulation test" from
Core Banks (NA-067, see below).
DL - Look for Juergen, DL1IAI/p to be active from Borkum Island
(EU-047) between 27 April and 18 May. He also plans to operate
from DL0BRF, the club station on the lightvessel "Borkumriff",
during that time frame. QSL via bureau.
F - F4EKT, F5SL, F6GCP, F6GCT and F6ICX will be active as TM6KBK
from
25 April to 10 May to celebrate the 40th anniversary of their
radio club (F6KBK). Expect activity on all of the HF bands CW,
SSB, RTTY and PSK31. QSL via F6GCP.
F - Johann, F4FEP will be active as F4FEP/p from Saint-Nicolas Island
(EU-094) on 1 May (13-16 UTC) and again on 19 May (9-16 UTC). He
plans to operate with 100 watts battery powered into a vertical
antenna on the beach. Look for him on 20 metres SSB (+/- 14260
kHz). QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
G - On 7th May 1909 the Admiralty began a process that was to lead
to
the formation of the Fleet Air Arm. Celebrating the centenary year
of Naval Aviation, the Royal Naval ARS (_www.rnars.org.uk_

(http://www.rnars.org.uk)) will
operate special event station GB100FAA on 1-15 and 19-21 May.
Expect activity on 80-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via operator's
instructions.
GD - Mark/M0MJH, Kevan/2E0WMG, Matt/2E0XIS and James/M0ZZO will
be
active from the Isle of Man (EU-116) from 26 April to 1 May. They
will operate SSB on the HF bands (mainly 80, 40 and 20 metres)
from most locations across the island, with the addition of
VHF/UHF during SOTA activities. Look for them to sign MD0MJH,
2D0WMG, 2D0XIS and MD0ZZO, as well as GT3CO and GT7SRA. Updates
will be posted to _http://m0mjh.blogspot.com/_
(http://m0mjh.blogspot.com/)
I - Celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Nobel Prize in physiscs
awarded to Guglielmo Marconi, ARI Frosinone (IQ0FN) will be active
as IY0NGM between 25 April and 20 July.
I - The 24-26 April activity form Linosa Island (AF-019) has been
postponed
and is now scheduled to take place on 1-3 May.
IT9OJW, IT9ZIR, IT9ZZO, IW9EJP, IW9FRB, IW9GVP and IW9HSK plan to
operate as IG9/homecall on 10-80 metres SSB, PSK and RTTY. QSL via
home calls.
I - Celebrating the 20th anniversary of the local ARI branch, special
callsign II2ERBA will be aired on the HF bands SSB, CW and digital
modes from Erba (Como) on 1-25 May. QSL via IQ2ER.
I - Members of ARI San Dona di Piave will be active as IL3T from
Torcello Island (EU-131, IIA VE-011) between 1 and 31 May. QSL via
IQ3SD, direct or bureau. Log search at
http://www.arisandona.it/il3t.html (http://www.arisandona.it/il3t.html)
I - IW4BDG, IW4CEZ, IW4EKS, IW4ELT, IZ1JKW, IZ4FUA, IZ4IPI, IZ4IPU
and
IZ4OSA will operate special event station II4CRI from Piacenza on
2-8 May for the World Red Cross Day and to commemorate the 150th
anniversary of the Battle of Solferino, whose terrible aftermath
(some 40,000 soldiers died or were wounded) eventually led to the
establishment of the International Red Cross. QSL via IZ1JKW,
direct or bureau.
LU - The Bahia Blanca DX Group will be active as L21D from
Ariadne
Island (SA-021) on 1-3 May. Seven operators (LU1EUU, LU4DBP,
LU4DBT, LU4ETN, LU5DEM, LU7DSY and LU8DWR) will be active on 80,
40, 20, 15 and 10 metres SSB, CW and PSK31. QSL via LU7DSY, direct
or bureau.
SP - Seven operators from Poland and Germany will be active as
3Z0LH
from Chelminek Island (not IOTA) and several lighthouses from 30
April to 9 May. QSL via SP1TMN.
UR - Commemorating the 64th anniversary of the end of World War
II,
UU2JQ, UU5DX and UU5WW will operate special event station EO64JM

on 1-15 May. QSL via K2PF.
VE - Steve, VE2TKH will be active as XO0ICE/2 from Quebec City (CQ Zone
5) until 3 May and again on 14-31 May to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the entry in service of the St. Lawrence Seaway. QSL via LoTW only (paper QSLs will not be available.
W - N0TG, WA4DAN and AA4VK will be active from Core Banks (NA-067) from 23 UTC on 30 April through 15 UTC on 2 May. The island is similar in environment (terrain, sand, sea, remoteness, etc.) to Sable Island, and the purpose of the operation will be a "test" of seven potential antennas for use at CY0 in October. AA4VK will also test the feasibility of including operating FM satellites (SO-50, AO-51, and AO-27) in the CY0 operations. Frequencies and modes of operation from NA-067 will be posted to _http://www.cy0dxpedition.com/_ (http://www.cy0dxpedition.com/) .
W - The Fall River Amateur Radio Club will be active as W1ACT/p from Martha's Vineyard (NA-046) on 1-3 May, including the New England QSO Party. QSL via N1JOY.
W - Randy, AJ4RW and a couple of other operators will be active for a few hours from Cumberland Island (NA-058) on 2 May. They plan to be QRV on 20 and 40 metres SSB from around 15 UTC until around 19 UTC.
YJ - Kaku, JA6REX will be active as YJ0KS from Vanuatu between late April and early May. He will operate CW, SSB, RTTY and PSK31 on 160-6 metres from Espiritu Santo (OC-035) on 28 April-3 May and from Tanna Island (OC-035) on 5-7 May. QSL via home call.
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460. This Weekends Contests.. QSO Party, Phone, SSB, CW, RTTY

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-25 04:58:26 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 460 Message: 460

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SP DX RTTY Contest: 1200Z, Apr 25 to 1200Z, Apr 26
Mode: RTTY
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op All Band
Multi-Op
SP
SWL
Exchange: SP: RST + 1-letter province
Non-SP: RST + QSO No.
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 2 points per QSO with same country
5 points per QSO with different country same continent
10 points per QSO with different continent
Multipliers: Each SP province once per band
Each DXCC country once per band
Each continent once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total
DXCC/province mults x continent mults
Submit logs by: May 26, 2009
E-mail logs to: _sprtty@..._ (mailto:sprtty@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.pkrvg.org/zbior.html_
(http://www.pkrvg.org/zbior.html)

Helvetia Contest: 1300Z, Apr 25 to 1259Z, Apr 26
Mode: CW, SSB, Digital
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op (CW/SSB/Mixed/Digital)
Single Op QRP Mixed
Multi-Op (CW/SSB/Mixed/Digital)
SWL
Max operating hours: 18 with a maximum of two rest periods of any length
Exchange: HB: RS(T) + Serial No. + 2-letter canton
non-HB: RS(T) + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: HB Stations: 1 point per QSO with Europe
HB Stations: 3 points per QSO with non-Europe
non-HB Stations: 3 points per QSO with HB
Multipliers: HB Stations: Each canton once per band
HB Stations: Each DXCC country once per band
non-HB Stations: Each canton once per band
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Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 27, 2009
E-mail logs to: _contest@..._ (mailto:contest@...)
Mail logs to: Georges Strub, HB9DUH
54 rue de St-Jean
1213 Petite-Lancy
Switzerland
Find rules at:
_http://www.uska.ch/typo/fileadmin/download/Contest/KW/1-static/KW-Contest_deutsch_2009v1_0.pdf_
(http://www.uska.ch/typo/fileadmin/download/Contest/KW/1-static/KW-Contest_deutsch_2009v1_0.pdf)

QRP to the Field: 1500Z, Apr 25 to 0300Z, Apr 26
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40L, 40H, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op [WPA(W)/CCC(C)/Field(F)/Home(H)]
Multi-Op [WPA(W)/CCC(C)/Field(F)/Home(H)]
Club [WPA(W)/CCC(C)/Field(F)/Home(H)]
Exchange: RST + class + (state/province/country)
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each state, province, country once per band
Location: WPA/CCC: x3, Field: x2, Home: x1
Score Calculation: Total score = sum(QSO points x mults for each
band) x location mult
Submit logs by: June 1, 2009
E-mail logs to: _na5n@..._ (mailto:na5n@...)
Mail logs to: Paul Harden, NA5N
QRPTTF 2008
P.O. Box 757
Socorro, NM 87801
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.zianet.com/QRP/qrpttf_002.htm_
(http://www.zianet.com/QRP/qrpttf_002.htm)

Florida QSO Party: 1600Z, Apr 25 to 0159Z, Apr 26 and 1200Z-2159Z, Apr 26
Mode: CW, Phone
Bands: 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Single (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Multi (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Mobile Single Op (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Mobile Single Op + Driver (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
School(CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
SWL
Max power: HP: >150 watts
LP: 150 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: FL: RS(T) + county
W/VE: RS(T) + (state/province)
DX: RS(T) + DXCC prefix

Work stations: Once per band per mode per FL county
QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
2 points per CW QSO
Multipliers: FL Stations: Each state, VE area, DXCC country,
maritime region once per mode
Non-FL: Each county once per mode
Power: High: x1, Low: x2, QRP: x3
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x power
mult
Submit logs by: May 26, 2009
E-mail logs to: _logs@..._
(mailto:logs@...)
Mail logs to: Florida QSO Party
c/o Ron Wetjen, WD4AHZ
5362 Castleman Dr.
Sarasota, FL 34232
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.floridaqsoparty.org/rules.html_
(http://www.floridaqsoparty.org/rules.html)

Nebraska QSO Party: 1700Z, Apr 25 to 1700Z, Apr 26
Mode: CW, Phone, Digital
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2m
Classes: Single Op
Multi-Single
Mobile
Max power: HP: >150 watts
LP: 150 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: NE: RS(T) + county
non-NE: RS(T) + (state/province/country)
Work stations: Once per band per mode per NE county
QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
2 points per CW or digital QSO
Multipliers: NE Stations: Each NE county, state, province, DXCC country
once
Non-NE: Each county once
Power: High: x1, Low: x2, QRP: x3
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x power
mult
Submit logs by: May 31, 2009
E-mail logs to: _nqp@..._ (mailto:nqp@...)
Mail logs to: HDXA NQP
16111 Hickory St.
Omaha, NE 68130
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.hdxa.net/neqso/neqso.htm_
(http://www.hdxa.net/neqso/neqso.htm)

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(http://toolbar.aol.com/mail/download.html?ncid=txtlnkusdown00000027)

461. OT AATV Video Net on the Internet

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-25 18:57:21 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 461 Message: 461

This Looks Interesting I thing I will also check it out

73 De Don KA9QJG

The Sunday and Wednesday evening video nets will be on batc.tv on a trial basis. Start time is 7:30 PM but there might be activity at other times as well.

Go to http://www.batc.tv/
Click on Member Streams and look for KD7RDB.

If the word "streaming" is there click on it and you can watch the net.

There is also a way to check in with comments via the Internet.

It does require a high speed Internet connection.

There are about a dozen ATV repeaters also available as well as maybe two dozen individual streams.

462. OT ALERT: BreakingHealth: Health Emergency Declared

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-26 20:20:24 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 462 Message: 462

FYI

Don KA9QJG

The Obama admnistration declares health emergency.
Department of Homeland Security Head Janet Napolitano said to free up resources to deal with the Swine Flu.

Links to health alerts and information. Alerts sent immediately.
Lead Swine Flu Alerts updated constantly...

http://www.emergencyemail.org/newsemergency/anmviewer.asp?a=353&z=29

http://www.emergencyemail.org/newsemergency/anmviewer.asp?a=356&z=34

http://www.emergencyemail.org/newsemergency/anmviewer.asp?a=355&z=29

Our Home Page has updated content...
http://www.EmergencyEmail.org

SHARE OUR LINK WITH OTHER TO SIGN UP FOR ALERTS

THE EMERGENCY EMAIL & WIRELESS NETWORK
http://www.EmergencyEmail.org

463. OT ALERT: BreakingHealth: Health Emergency Declared

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-27 02:14:09 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 462 Message: 463

Got this info sent from ARRL And Thought I would share the Info

Don KA9QJG

Sent to IL ARRL Members this afternoon and posted as a Section Alert:

While not directly pertinent to Amateur Radio at this time, the US Dept of Homeland Security has declared a Public Health Emergency in light of an outbreak of Swine Flu originating from Mexico.

All ECs and OES are urged to review their personal and family preparedness plans. No action is reported in the Section at this time, however DHS has released 25% of the government vaccine stockpile. Suggest that you review those portions of your emergency operating plans which relate to vaccine distributions and sheltering in place.

Please monitor this developing situation via reputable sources.

http://www.dhs.gov/index.shtm Department of Homeland Security

http://www.cdc.gov/ Center for Disease Control

464. Google logo today

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-27 14:25:00 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 464 Message: 464

Check out the logo for Google today on their frontpage. VERY COOL!

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
http://mcares.synthasite.com/
"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

465. signal report needed

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-28 03:05:53 UTC
From: Matt
Topic: 465 Message: 465

I just got my psk31 up and running ,after a lot of trouble , which I won't go into detail here.
The transmit waterfall looks really wide on my screen , and I don't want to be a full screen sprectrum lid. Would like an IMD number or a looks good / looks bad / your really tearing up the waterfall...lid.

freq 7072 + - I'll be there or thereabout for an hour or so.
TIME NOW 3:03 utc
thanks see you there
KD3VJ : you call

466. Re: [CQCQCQ] signal report needed

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-28 03:23:46 UTC
From: Leslie Elliott
Topic: 465 Message: 466

Looking for you now, but only see a Olivia station. Most PSK is on 7.070.
KCØPTO
Les

--- On Mon, 4/27/09, Matt <sniffitout@...> wrote:

From: Matt <sniffitout@...>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] signal report needed
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Monday, April 27, 2009, 10:05 PM

I just got my psk31 up and running ,after a lot of trouble , which I won't go into detail here.

The transmit waterfall looks really wide on my screen , and I don't want to be a full screen sprectrum lid. Would like an IMD number or a looks good / looks bad / your really tearing up the waterfall... lid.

freq 7072 + - I'll be there or thereabout for an hour or so.

TIME NOW 3:03 utc

thanks see you there

KD3VJ : you call

467. Re: signal report needed

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-28 03:27:40 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 465 Message: 467

Time: 0326 Z.

I'm looking for you.

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Matt" <sniffitout@...> wrote:
>
> I just got my psk31 up and running ,after a lot of trouble , which I won't go into detail here.
> The transmit waterfall looks really wide on my screen , and I don't want to be a full screen sprectrum lid. Would like an IMD number or a looks good / looks bad / your really tearing up the waterfall...lid.
>
> freq 7072 + - I'll be there or thereabout for an hour or so.
> TIME NOW 3:03 utc
> thanks see you there
> KD3VJ : you call
>

468. Re: signal report needed

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-28 03:32:55 UTC
From: Matt
Topic: 465 Message: 468

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Leslie Elliott <kc0pto@...> wrote:
>
> Looking for you now, but only see a Olivia station. Most PSK is on 7.070.
> KCØPTO
> Les
>
> --- On Mon, 4/27/09, Matt <sniffitout@...> wrote:
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> From: Matt <sniffitout@...>
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] signal report needed
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Date: Monday, April 27, 2009, 10:05 PM
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> thanks Les I"M now on 7070.578 so many buttons
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> I just got my psk31 up and running ,after a lot of trouble , which I won't go into detail here.
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> The transmit waterfall looks really wide on my screen , and I don't want to be a full screen sprectrum lid. Would like an IMD number or a looks good / looks bad / your really tearing up the waterfall... lid.
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>
> freq 7072 + - I'll be there or thereabout for an hour or so.
>
> TIME NOW 3:03 utc
>
> thanks see you there
>
> KD3VJ : you call

>

469. Re: signal report needed

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-28 03:44:59 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 465 Message: 469

Matt,

Make a few calls and I'll see if you are received on my PSK Reporter map.

Rick N6NKN

I just got my psk31 up and running ,after a lot of trouble , which I won't go into detail here.
> >
> > The transmit waterfall looks really wide on my screen , and I don't want to be a full screen sprectrum lid. Would like an IMD number or a looks good / looks bad / your really tearing up the waterfall... lid.
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470. Re: signal report needed

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-28 04:01:21 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 465 Message: 470

Hey Matt,

According to my map you were heard in Seattle, Wa.

Good Going!!!!

Rick N6NKN

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richard Zolla" <N6NKN@...> wrote:
>
> Matt,
>
> Make a few calls and I'll see if you are received on my PSK Reporter map.
>
> Rick N6NKN
>
>
> I just got my psk31 up and running ,after a lot of trouble , which I won't go into detail here.
> > >
> > > The transmit waterfall looks really wide on my screen , and I don't want to be a full screen sprectrum lid. Would like an IMD number or a looks good / looks bad / your really tearing up the waterfall... lid.
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471. Re: signal report needed

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-28 04:03:18 UTC
From: Matt
Topic: 465 Message: 471

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Matt" <sniffitout@...> wrote:
>
> I just got my psk31 up and running ,after a lot of trouble , which I won't go into detail here.
> The transmit waterfall looks really wide on my screen , and I don't want to be a full screen sprectrum lid. Would like an IMD number or a looks good / looks bad / your really tearing up the waterfall...lid.
>
> freq 7072 + - I'll be there or thereabout for an hour or so.
> TIME NOW 3:03 utc
> thanks see you there
> KD3VJ : you call
>
Thanks Guys
Looks like it's not running right. The dogs want to go out then go to bed ,,,so looks like play time is over for tonight.

again Thanks

KD3VJ Matt

472. signal report

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-28 04:13:29 UTC
From: Matt
Topic: 472 Message: 472

So it is working! Just my luck, working into the wrong place. Again Guys a BIG THANKS
KD3VJ
Matt

473. OT National Swine Flu Situation Page LAUNCHED

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-28 18:12:11 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 473 Message: 473

FYI

Don KA9QJG

Now you can access The National Swine Flu Situation Page(tm).
Content on the page updates automatically and contains information from multiple web sites in one location.
CDC, health, maps, RSS news feeds and more.

National Swine Flu Situation Page (tm) link...

http://tinyurl.com/d4snda

474. Nice way to Celebrate Samuel Morse Birthday on the I-Phone App

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-29 02:11:55 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 474 Message: 474

Nice way to Celebrate Samuel Morse Birthday on the I-Phone App

I think the People who know a little CW will appreciate it more

Enjoy http://tinyurl.com/c7z9hc

73 De Don KA9QJG

475. This Weeks Contests.. CW,SSB,Phone,Digital,QSO Party..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-30 03:01:09 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 475 Message: 475

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:
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NCCC Sprint Ladder: 0230Z-0300Z, May 1
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20m
Classes: Single Op
Max power: 100 watts
Exchange: [other station's call] + [your call] + [serial no.] +
[name] + [your state/province/country]
Work stations: Dupes allowed after at least one intervening QSO
QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO
non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station
Multipliers: Each US state (including KL7 and KH6) once per band
Each VE province once per band
Each North American country (except W/VE) once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 3, 2009
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at: _http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/_
(http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm_
(http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm)

AGCW QRP/QRP Party: 1300Z-1900Z, May 1
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40m
Classes: 5W (A)
10W (B)
Exchange: RST + QSO No. + "/" + Class ID (A/B)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with class B
2 points per QSO with class A
Multipliers: DXCC countries once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 31, 2009
E-mail logs to: _qrp-party@..._ (mailto:qrp-party@...)
Mail logs to: Manager
Jo (Juergen) Mertens, DJ4EY
Am Muehlenbruch 32
D-59581 Warstein
Germany
Find rules at: _http://www.agcw.org/en/?Contests:QRP-QRP-Party_
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(http://www.agcw.org/en/?Contests:QRP-QRP-Party)

MARAC CW QSO Party: 0000Z, May 2 to 2400Z, May 3
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Fixed
Mobile
Mixed
Exchange: RST + (state+county/"DX")
Work stations: Once per county per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with fixed station
15 points per QSO with US county station
5 points per QSO with DX station
Multipliers: Each US county once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 7, 2009
E-mail logs to: _aa8r@..._ (mailto:aa8r@...)
Mail logs to: Randy Hatt, AA8R
7878 W. County Line Rd.
Howard City, MI 49239
USA
Find rules at: _http://marac.org/cwrules.htm_
(http://marac.org/cwrules.htm)

MARAC SSB QSO Party: 0000Z, May 2 to 2400Z, May 3
Mode: SSB
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Fixed
Mobile Op
Mixed
Exchange: W: RS + county+state
non-W: RS + (province/country)
Work stations: Once per county per band
QSO Points: Fixed: 1 point per QSO with fixed station
Mobile: 2 points per QSO with fixed station
15 points per QSO with US county station
5 points per QSO with DX station
Bonus Points: (see rules)
Multipliers: Each US county once
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults)
+ bonus points
Submit logs by: June 7, 2009
E-mail logs to: _aa8r@..._ (mailto:aa8r@...)
Mail logs to: Randy Hatt, AA8R
7878 W. County Line Rd
Howard City, MI 49329
USA
Find rules at: _http://marac.org/ssbrules.htm_
(http://marac.org/ssbrules.htm)

10-10 Int. Spring Contest, CW: 0001Z, May 2 to 2359Z, May 3
Mode: CW
Bands: 10m Only
Classes: Individual
Club
QRP
Max power: non-QRP: >5 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: Name + (state/province/country) + 10-10 number
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with a non-member
2 points per QSO with a 10-10 member
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: May 18, 2009
E-mail logs to: _tentencontest@..._
(mailto:tentencontest@...)
Mail logs to: Dan Morris, KZ3T
131 Valencia Lane
Statesville, NC 28625
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.ten-ten.org/Forms/QSOPartyRulesRevised.pdf_
(http://www.ten-ten.org/Forms/QSOPartyRulesRevised.pdf)

10-10 Int. Spring Contest, Digital: 0001Z, May 2 to 2359Z, May 3
Mode: Digital
Bands: 10m Only
Classes: Individual
Club
QRP
Max power: non-QRP: >5 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: Name + (state/province/country) + 10-10 number
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with a non-member
2 points per QSO with a 10-10 member
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: May 18, 2009
E-mail logs to: _tentencontest@..._
(mailto:tentencontest@...)
Mail logs to: Dan Morris, KZ3T
131 Valencia Lane
Statesville, NC 28625
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.ten-ten.org/Forms/QSOPartyRulesRevised.pdf_
(http://www.ten-ten.org/Forms/QSOPartyRulesRevised.pdf)

Microwave Spring Sprint: 0600-1300 local, May 2
Mode: not specified
Bands: All above 902 MHz
Classes: Single Op
Rover
Rookie

Exchange: 4-character grid square (6-character grid square optional)
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each 4-character grid square
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 18, 2009
E-mail logs to: _springsprintlogs@..._
(mailto:springsprintlogs@...)
Mail logs to: 2009 Spring Sprints
c/o Chuck Towner, W9KQJ
PO BOX 73
PALATINE, IL 60078-0073
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.sysadnet.com/vhfsprintrules.htm_
(http://www.sysadnet.com/vhfsprintrules.htm)

7th Call Area QSO Party: 1300Z, May 2 to 0700Z, May 3
Mode: CW, Phone, Digital
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6, 2m
Classes: Single Op (CW/Phone/Digital/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Single (QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Multi
County Expedition
Mobile (CW/Phone/Digital/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Max power: HP: >150 watts
LP: 150 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: 7th Area: RS(T) + 5-letter state/county code
non-7th Area: RS(T) + (state/province/DX)
Work stations: Once per band per mode per county
QSO Points: 2 points per SSB QSO
3 points per CW/Digital QSO
Multipliers: 7th Area: Each state or province once
7th Area: Each DXCC entity once (max of 10)
non-7th Area: Each 7th area county once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 5, 2009
E-mail logs to: _7qplogs@..._ (mailto:7qplogs@...)
Mail logs to: 7th Call Area QSO Party
c/o CODXC
61255 Ferguson Rd
Bend, OR 97702
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.codxc.com/new/Page.asp?Content=DRYLAND7S&Page=3_
(http://www.codxc.com/new/Page.asp?Content=DRYLAND7S&Page=3)

Portuguese Navy Day Contest: 1500Z, May 2 to 1500Z, May 3
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op
Exchange: RS(T) + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per band per mode

QSO Points: See rules
Multipliers: Each prefix once per band per mode
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 1, 2009
E-mail logs to: _contest@..._ (mailto:contest@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.nra.pt/php/bdContestRules.php?lang=en_
(http://www.nra.pt/php/bdContestRules.php?lang=en)

Indiana QSO Party: 1600Z, May 2 to 0400Z, May 3
Mode: Phone, CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op (High/Low/QRP)
Multi-Op
Mobile
Portable
Max power: HP: >100 watts
LP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: IN: RS(T) + county
non-IN: W/VE: RS(T) + (state/province)
DX: RS(T)
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
2 points per CW QSO
Bonus: 50 points for at least one QSO with Bison
Stampede special event station, W9UUU (once)
Multipliers: IN Stations: Each IN county, state, province once per mode
non-IN Stations: Each IN county once per mode
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults)
+ bonus points
Submit logs by: June 15, 2009
E-mail logs to: _inqp@hdxcc,org_ (mailto:inqp@hdxcc,org)
Mail logs to: HDXCC
c/o Mike Goode, N9NS
10340 Broadway
Indianapolis, IN 46280-1344
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/rules.html_
(http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/rules.html)

New England QSO Party: 2000Z, May 2 to 0500Z, May 3 and 1300Z-2400Z, May 3
Mode: Phone, CW/Digital
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op (QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Single
Mobile Single Op (QRP/Low/High)
Mobile Multi-Single
Max power: HP: >150 watts
LP: 150 watts
QRP: 5 watts

Exchange: CT,ME,MA,NH,RI,VT: RS(T) + county + state
non-NE: RS(T) + (state/province/"DX")
Work stations: Once per band per mode per county
QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
2 points per CW/digital QSO
Multipliers: NE Stations: Each state, province, DXCC country once
non-NE Stations: Each NE county once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 2, 2009
E-mail logs to: _logs@..._ (mailto:logs@...)
Mail logs to: NEQP
PO Box 3005
Framingham, MA 01705-3005
USA
Find run: _http://www.neqp.org/rules.html_ (http://www.neqp.org/rules.html)

ARI International DX Contest: 2000Z, May 2 to 1959Z, May 3
Mode: Phone, CW, RTTY
Bands: 160 (no RTTY), 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op CW
Single Op Phone
Single Op RTTY
Single Op Mixed
Multi-Single
SWL
Exchange: I: RS(T) + 2-letter province
non-I: RS(T) + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per mode per band
QSO Points: 0 points per QSO with same country
1 point per QSO with different country same continent
3 points per QSO with different continent
10 points per QSO with I/IS0 stations
Multipliers: Each Italian province once per band
Each DXCC country once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 2, 2009
E-mail logs to: _aricontest@..._ (mailto:aricontest@...)
Mail logs to: ARI Contest Manager
c/o ARI
Via Scarlatti 31
20124 Milano
Italy
Find rules at:
_http://www.associazioneradioamatoritaliani.it/images/stories/filespdf/ARIDX
2009rules.pdf_
(http://www.associazioneradioamatoritaliani.it/images/stories/filespdf/ARIDX2009rules.pdf)

RSGB 80m Club Championship, SSB: 1900Z-2030Z, May 4
Mode: SSB
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: (none)

Exchange: RS + Serial No.
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: (see rules)
Submit logs by: May 11, 2009
E-mail logs to: _ccssb.logs@..._ (mailto:ccssb.logs@...)
Upload log at: _http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl_
(http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/r80mcc.shtml_
(http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/r80mcc.shtml)

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click.net%2Fclk%3B214101948%3B35952020%3Bv)

476. Re: OT National Swine Flu Situation Page LAUNCHED

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-30 15:37:21 UTC
From: Matt
Topic: 473 Message: 476

Thanks for the link to the flu pandemic page. It was really interesting .(at this point I backspaced about 20 lines.) please goto whatreallyhappened.com
for the other side of the story.
Matt*****KD3VJ

477. 10-10 Spring Digital QSO Party this Weekend 2 May 09

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-30 20:43:28 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 477 Message: 477

FYI

Well Everyone better hope the 10 Meter Band is on Better shape then I have seen it in a Long Time , if I recall that was the reason 10-10 Was Started to Promote Activity
My 10 10 Number is 50699

Good luck

73 De Don KA9QJG

The Spring 10-10 Digital QSO Party will be this weekend starting at 0001Z 2 May and running 48 hours. Rules can be found at www.ten-ten.org.

478. Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net, 4/30/2009, 8:30 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-30 21:28:38 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 478 Message: 478

FYI

Use the UTC Time And I think Most will do Better using HZ Polarization , Wow big word for Me I am sure Richards will get it LOL

73 De Don KA9QJG

Title: Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net

Date: Thursday April 30, 2009
Time: 8:30 pm - 9:30 pm
Repeats: This event repeats every week.
Location: Charlestown, IN EM78el
Notes: CQ...CQ...CQ...Announcing a New SSB Net

Spread the Word, Talk it up with Your Friends and Club Members.
Thursday evening, 8:30 PM ET (00:30z) for the _2 METER SSB NET_
Simplex Freq. 144.250 USB
Net Control: Dan K9ZF

The purpose for the net is:
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_1. Increase 2 meter SSB activity in the Southern Indiana / Northern Kentucky Area, and Beyond.
2. To give area operators a chance to test their stations and their capabilities.
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I have a very small station here in EM78el, just east of Charlestown, IN. I have 150 watts and 10 elements at 25 feet. With my station, I will be depending heavily on the other stations to help relay check ins.

We look forward to hearing you!

Dan K9ZF

479. Re: [CQCQCQ] Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net, 4/30/2009, 8:30 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-30 22:30:07 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 478 Message: 479

Uh... wha.... er... ah....

Sorry, I was sleeping.

ZZZzzzzzzz.....

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

Don wrote:

Wow big word for Me I am sure Richards will get it LOL

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480. RE: [CQCQCQ] Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net, 4/30/2009, 8:30 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-04-30 23:01:41 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 478 Message: 480

Uh... wha.... er... ah....

Sorry, I was sleeping.

ZZZzzzzzzz.....

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

Don wrote:

Wow big word for Me I am sure Richards will get it LOL

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I was just kidding that HZ Polarization Was a big word for me but
, You would get it , Sometimes I have to look up Some of your Big words to
understand the Meaning Ha Ha

73 De Don KA9QJG

481. Re: [CQCQCQ] Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net, 4/30/2009, 8:30 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-01 00:19:09 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 478 Message: 481

yes... great fun.

But, seriously folks, the great thing is that everyone brings something different to the table and each contributes in a different way. Except for the engineers among us, I think most hams are self-taught and they have amassed an amazing body of knowledge and tend to be interesting on other topics, as well.

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

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482. Indiana Qso Party Tommorrow

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-01 20:56:11 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 482 Message: 482

Gentlemen,You are encouraged to work the Indiana Qso Party tommorrow and maby.. even work yours truly Kb9ygd.This is the big event for me and many others in indiana and else where as you can work it from other states as well.

As 40 meters has been so bad for So Long i will as I did last year start out at 11:00am cst/16:00 utc/zulu on 80m ssb between 3.804 and 3.870 mhz,then switching to 40 meters cw/ssb at about the greyline.

I am again offering a special Inqp qsl/certificate for this event and if you want one for our qso you must request it as the costs involved are about $6.00 per mailing and mailing out several hundred of these will break me [:O]

Below is all the information needed for you to get involved with the Indiana Qso Party.

N [O:)]

Indiana QSO Party: 1600Z, May 2 to 0400Z, May 3 Mode: Phone, CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m Classes: Single Op (High/Low/QRP)
Multi-Op
Mobile
Portable Max power: HP: >100 watts
LP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts Exchange: IN: RS(T) + county
non-IN: W/VE: RS(T) + (state/province)
DX: RS(T) Work stations: Once per band per mode QSO Points: 1
point per phone QSO
2 points per CW QSO
Bonus: 50 points for at least one QSO with Bison Stampede special event station, W9UUU (once) Multipliers: IN Stations: Each IN county, state, province once per mode
non-IN Stations: Each IN county once per mode Score Calculation:
Total score = (total QSO points x total mults) + bonus points Submit logs by: June 15, 2009 E-mail logs to: inqp[at]hdxcc[dot]org Mail logs to: HDXCC
c/o Mike Goode, N9NS
10340 Broadway
Indianapolis, IN 46280-1344
USA Find rules at: http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/rules.html
<http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/rules.html>

483. OT The New antenneX Issue for May 2009 is Published.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-01 22:11:47 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 483 Message: 483

Last Year I was doing some Antenna Research and Joined this Site, I did finf a Wealth of Anttena info ,

Today I got the Below info I did read the Story of LB And Me it was Very Interesting and Kinda Makes You think , I did call and Check on a Few Old Ham Friends I had not heard of in awhile , I thought I would share this with Others who also Might Enjoy reading it

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS I have No Association With them to Promote .

Folks:
The New antenneX Issue for May 2009 is Published.

A special note: Please checkout my column Stone's Throw!
"LB and Me: My Own Story"
http://www.antennex.com/Stones/st0509/lb_and_me.htm

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If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue #145 for the month of May 2009 is now ready to read at your pleasure!

Whether you are a paid subscriber or not, there are always several new articles and other downloads made freely available in the Guest Rooms each month.

Here is a brief list of things provided from our web sites:
antenneX Preview Articles: FREE 178 articles antenneX Guest Rooms: FREE 300+ articles
Cebik Site: FREE 800 articles (520 are antenneX articles) ---
TOTAL FREE articles 1278 articles (10 years worth of antenneX
subscriptions)

The subscriber reading rooms contain ~1600+ articles for a total of nearly 3000.

The URLs to the above are:
http://www.antennex.com/preview/index.htm
http://guests.antennex.com/rooms/
http://www.cebik.com
http://www.antennex.com/premium.html

To subscribe to Paid areas:
http://www.antennex.com/signup.htm

Also, the above Guest Rooms contain tons of FREE software, including hundreds of modeling files, design programs, utilities, etc. and about 15,000 useful postings from our forums over the past
12 years online.

Please go to our Announcements Page for more info & the various Links:

http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html

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For lots of other good things like books, software, etc. and more etc. 100+ products:
http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm

Thanks for your time & hope to see you soon!

(^_^)
Jack L. Stone, Publisher
antenneX Online Magazine
http://www.antennex.com
jack@...

484. 2009 ARRL/TAPR Digital Communications Conference

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-01 22:24:03 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 484 Message: 484

FYI

In Case someone on Here is going You must get the tickets first

73 De Don KA9QJG

Reminder: Sign up now for the 2009 TAPR/AMSAT Banquet at Dayton Hamvention

Time is running out! Orders for Banquet tickets have to be made by Monday, May 11 -- no exceptions!

2009 TAPR/AMSAT Banquet at Dayton Hamvention

The third annual joint TAPR/AMSAT Banquet will be held Friday evening, May 15, 2008 during the Dayton Hamvention.

The Banquet will be in the Jefferson Room at the Kohler Presidential Banquet Center, Kettering, OH (just south of Dayton).

Reservations are required and must be made by Monday, 11 May 2009. Seating is limited, so make your reservations early.

TICKETS WILL *NOT* BE AVAILABLE AT HAMVENTION; YOU *MUST* REGISTER IN ADVANCE!

The price for the Banquet is $30 per person. Reserved tickets may be picked up at the AMSAT booth at Hamvention on Friday, or at the door.

You may make reservations for the 2009 TAPR/AMSAT Banquet online in the AMSAT Store or contact Martha at the AMSAT office. You can reach Martha from 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM EST/EDT at (301) 589-6062, or in the US toll free at (888) 322-6728.

For additional information contact Martha at the AMSAT office (martha@...).

6:30 PM Doors open and Cash bar is available with Beer, Wine, Liquor and soft drinks.

7:15 PM Buffet Dinner service begins. The Center has a justly deserved reputation for good food and service.

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485. Swine Flu Concerns At Dayton Hamvention

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-05 18:55:37 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 485 Message: 485

For the People going to Dayton this Year here is the Thoughts of a Local TV Station , It appears that the Swine Flu is decreasing , I think from some of the Hamfest I have been going for over 40 Yrs I would worry about catching other Things , I know that was not Nice , Sorry

PS Quote Use Proper Hygiene is that something new and a Requirment now

Enjoy

http://www.whiotv.com/video/19322933/index.html

73 De Don KA9QJG

486. OT New U.S. House of Representatives Bill, HR 2160

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-05 21:24:49 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 486 Message: 486

As Hams being involved in this Type of Communications ,We need to keep an Eye on this Bill

73 De Don KA9QJG

Section Summary, April 2009

The text of a new U.S. House of Representatives Bill, HR 2160, is to be found at: http://www.arrl.org/govrelations/HR2160.pdf <http://www.arrl.org/govrelations/HR2160.pdf> . This bill, introduced by Texas Rep. Ms. Jackson-Lee, and co-sponsored by other members from disaster prone districts, could end up giving us the data we need to fight unreasonable antenna support structure limitations imposed by land use agents, private and public. In itself, it requires the Department of Homeland Security to conduct a study of unnecessary or unreasonable impediments to the 'deployment of Amateur Radio emergency and disaster relief communications'.
The strong wording of the bill reflects the positive impression made by ham radio EMCOMM operations in Texas witnessed by Ms. Jackson-Lee. While we should not rely completely on the bill to do everything for us, it may at some time be the impetus for the end of unreasonable antenna restrictions.
After you read the text of the bill, request your congressman to co-sponsor this important piece of legislation

487. This weeks Contests - CW,Phone,QSO Party,RTTY,SSB

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-06 15:28:39 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 487 Message: 487

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:
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NCCC Sprint Ladder: 0230Z-0300Z, May 8
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20m
Classes: Single Op
Max power: 100 watts
Exchange: [other station's call] + [your call] + [serial no.] +
[name] + [your state/province/country]
Work stations: Dupes allowed after at least one intervening QSO
QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO
non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station
Multipliers: Each US state (including KL7 and KH6) once per band
Each VE province once per band
Each North American country (except W/VE) once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 10, 2009
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at: _http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/_
(http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm_
(http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm)

VK/Trans-Tasman 80m Contest, Phone: 0800Z-1400Z, May 9
Mode: Phone
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: Single Op
Single Op QRP
Multi-Op
SWL
Max power: non-QRP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: Serial No.
Work stations: Once per hour
Score Calculation: (see rules)
Submit logs by: May 30, 2009
E-mail logs to: VK: _vktasman@..._ (mailto:vktasman@...)
ZL: _vktasman@..._ (mailto:vktasman@...)
Mail logs to: VK:
VK/trans-Tasman Contest
28 Crampton Crescent
Rosanna, VIC 3084
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Australia
ZL:
VK/trans-Tasman Contest
P.O. Box 21-363
Christchurch 8143
New Zealand
Find rules at: _http://home.iprimus.com.au/vktasman/RULES.HTM_
(http://home.iprimus.com.au/vktasman/RULES.HTM)

EUCW Fraternizing CW QSO Party: 1000Z-1200Z, May 9 and 1800Z-2000Z, May 10
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: A: EUCW Member Club QRP
B: EUCW Member Club Low Power
C: Non-members QRP
D: Non-members Low Power
E: SWL
Max power: LP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: A/B: RST + QTH + Name + Club + Member No.
C/D: RST + QTH + Name + "NM"
Work stations: Once per day per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each EUCW club once per day per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 30, 2009
E-mail logs to: _eucwfp@..._ (mailto:eucwfp@...)
Mail logs to: Werner Jochem, DK7VW
Wendelsborn 34
D-66606 St.Wendel
Germany
Find rules at: _http://www.agcw.org/eucw/eucwp.html_
(http://www.agcw.org/eucw/eucwp.html)

Contest: 1200Z, May 9 to 115CQ-M International DX 9Z, May 10
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, satellites
Classes: Single Op Single Band (CW/SSB/Mixed)
Single Op All Band (CW/SSB/Mixed/QRP Mixed/LP Mixed)
Multi-Single
SWL
World War II Veteran
Pobeda Mem Spec Stn (Single-Op/Multi-Op)
Max power: HP: >100 watts
LP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: RS(T) + Serial No.
QSO Points: 2 points per QSO for EU/Asia station with Russia
1 point per QSO with same country
2 points per QSO with different country, same continent
3 points per QSO with different continent

Multipliers: Each RS-150-S country once per band, EU Russia and
Asia Russia treated as separate mults
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 15, 2009
E-mail logs to: _CQM@..._ (mailto:CQM@...)
Mail logs to: CQ-M CONTEST COMMITTEE
P.O. BOX 25464
KRASNOYARSK 660049
RUSSIA
Find rules at: _http://www.cq-m.andys.ru/rules_eng.html_
(http://www.cq-m.andys.ru/rules_eng.html)

VOLTA WW RTTY Contest: 1200Z, May 9 to 1200Z, May 10
Mode: RTTY
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op All Band
Single Op Single Band
Multi-Op
SWL
Exchange: RST + QSO No. + CQ Zone
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: See rules
Multipliers: Each country and VK/VE/JA/ZL/W call area (see rules)
once per band
Each country on a different continent worked on at
least 4 bands once (extra mult)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x total
QSOs
Submit logs by: June 30, 2009
E-mail logs to: _log2009@contestvolta.it_ (mailto:log2009@...)

Mail logs to: Francesco Di Michele, I2DMI
P.O. Box 55
22063 Cantu
Italy
Find rules at: _http://www.contestvolta.com/volta43.pdf_
(http://www.contestvolta.com/volta43.pdf)

FISTS Spring Sprint: 1700Z-2100Z, May 9
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: QRP
QRO
Club
Max power: QRO: >5 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: FISTS: RST + (state/province/country) + first name + FISTS No.
non-FISTS: RST + (state/province/country) + first name + power
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with FIST member
FIST members: 2 points per QSO with non-FIST member

Multipliers: Each US state and VE province once
Each DXCC country once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 8, 2009
E-mail logs to: _W8PIG@... _ (mailto:W8PIG@...)
Mail logs to: Dan Shepherd, N8IE
1900 Pittsfield St.
Kettering, Oh 45420
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.fists.org/sprints.html_
(http://www.fists.org/sprints.html)

Nevada Mustang Roundup: 1700Z, May 9 to 1700Z, May 10
Mode: CW, SSB, RTTY
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6m
Classes: Single Op Fixed (High/Low)
Multi-Op Fixed (High/Low)
Single Op Portable
Multi-Op Portable
Exchange: NV: county + RS(T)
non-NV: (state/province/country) + RS(T)
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: NV Stations: Each state, province, country once
non-NV Stations: Each NV county once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 15, 2009
E-mail logs to: _w7gk_1@..._ (mailto:w7gk_1@...)
Mail logs to: Nevada Mustange Roundup 2008
Elko Amateur Radio Club
P.O. Box 5607
Elko, Nevada 89802
USA
Find rules at: _http://nv.arrl.org/NQP/_ (http://nv.arrl.org/NQP/)

50 MHz Spring Sprint: 2300Z, May 9 to 0300Z, May 10
Mode: not specified
Bands: 6m Only
Classes: Single Op
Rover
Rookie
Exchange: 4-character grid square (6-character grid square optional)
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each 4-character grid square
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 26, 2009
E-mail logs to: _springsprintlogs@..._
(mailto:springsprintlogs@...)
Mail logs to: 2009 Spring Sprints
c/o Chuck Towner, W9KQJ
PO BOX 73

PALATINE, IL 60078-0073
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.sysadnet.com/vhfsprintrules.htm_
(http://www.sysadnet.com/vhfsprintrules.htm)

SKCC Weekend Sprint: 0000Z-2400Z, May 10
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6m
Classes: (none)
Exchange: RST + Name + (state/province/country) + (SKCC No./"NONE")
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Bonus Points: 5 points per Centurion member QSO per band
Bonus Points: 10 points per Tribune member QSO per band
Bonus Points: 25 points per QSO with SKCC club call per band
Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults)
+ bonus points
Submit logs by: May 15, 2009
Post log summary at: _http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/wes-submit.html_
(http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/wes-submit.html)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/_
(http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/)

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488. Space Weather News for May 6, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-06 20:34:12 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 488 Message: 488

FYI

Maybe We will see Some Better band Conditions 10 meters did open up a little last Weekend in N/W Indiana

73 De Don KA9QJG

Space Weather News for May 6, 2009
http://spaceweather.com

NASA's STEREO-B spacecraft is monitoring an active region hidden behind the sun's eastern limb. On May 5th, it produced an impressive coronal mass ejection (CME) and a burst of radio emissions signalling the passage of a shock wave through the sun's outer atmosphere. Activity has continued apace today, May 6th, with at least two more eruptions. The blast site is not yet visible from Earth, but the sun is turning the region toward us for a better view. Is a new-cycle sunspot in the offing? Readers with solar telescopes could see it emerge as early as May 7th or 8th. Visit http://spaceweather.com for images, movies and updates.

489. Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net Thursday May 7, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-07 04:24:39 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 489 Message: 489

FYI Be aware of the Time Difference for us in N/W Indiana 7:30 Pm

73 De Don KA9QJG

Title: Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net

Date: Thursday May 7, 2009
Time: 8:30 pm - 9:30 pm
Repeats: This event repeats every week.
Next reminder: The next reminder for this event will be sent in 12 hours, 4 minutes.
Location: Charlestown, IN EM78el
Notes: CQ...CQ...CQ...Announcing a New SSB Net

Spread the Word, Talk it up with Your Friends and Club Members.
Thursday evening, 8:30 PM ET (00:30z) for the _2 METER SSB NET_
Simplex Freq. 144.250 USB
Net Control: Dan K9ZF

The purpose for the net is:
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_1. Increase 2 meter SSB activity in the Southern Indiana / Northern Kentucky Area, and Beyond.
2. To give area operators a chance to test their stations and their capabilities.
3. To give area SSB operators a chance to meet other active stations in the area.
4. Last, but not least, TO HAVE FUN:-)

As your net control I will start the net looking north from EM78el. After gathering check ins from the north I will move the beam east, then south, then west. Most active SSB stations will be using horizontal yagis, but don't let this discourage you if all you have is a vertical. Please give us a try with what you have!

I have a very small station here in EM78el, just east of Charlestown, IN. I have 150 watts and 10 elements at 25 feet. With my station, I will be depending heavily on the other stations to help relay check ins.

We look forward to hearing you!

73
Dan K9ZF
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490. DX NEWS - Lighthouse, Isle of Man, S/E's and more...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-09 15:32:52 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 490 Message: 490

09 May 2009
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D X N E W S INFORMATION
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5B - Jan, OZ1IIL will be active as 5B/OZ1IIL from Cyprus (AS-004) on
9-16 May. On 10 May, starting around 10 UTC, he will operate from
the lighthouse at Paphos Point (ARLHS CYP-005). Updates on
activity from other lighthouses will be posted at _www.oz7aei.dk_
(http://www.oz7aei.dk/)
GD - GB5LB is a special event station on the Isle of Man (EU-116),
to
promote awareness of the activities of the Royal National Lifeboat
Institute. Look for activity on 10 May, 4 June, 4 July, 12 July,
26 July. QSL direct to Port St Mary Lifeboat, The Boat House, Lime
Street, Port St Mary, Isle of Man IM9 5EF, UK
GM - Celebrating the 10th anniversary of the Scottish Parliament,
the
Cockenzie & Port Seton Amateur Radio Club
(_http://www.cpsarc.com/news.php_ (http://www.cpsarc.com/news.php)) will
be running special event
station GB10SP on 16-17 May. Operations will take place from the
Scottish Parliament at Holyrood, Edinburgh, between 9 and 17 each
day. QSL via GM4UYZ.
JA - Ten special event stations (8J040M-8J940M) from each
callsign
district of Japan will be active between 16 May and 20 July to
celebrate the expansion of the 7 MHz band in Japan. QSL all
stations via the JARL bureau.
LZ - Special event station LZ50BNT will be operated until 31 December
to
celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Bulgarian National
Television, the national public television service of the Republic
of Bulgaria. QSL via LZ1HA, direct or bureau.
OH - Special callsign OF5POPOV will be aired on 14 May to
commemorate
Russian physicist and radio pioneer Aleksandr S. Popov. QSL via
OH5VX.
ON - 9 May is Europe Day, and the European Institutions are open to
the
public to show their activity and celebrate the project of the
European integration. Look for OR5EU, the European Union Amateur
Radio Club in Brussels, to participate in the celebrations and be
active on 40-10 metres SSB and digital modes. QSL via the UBA
bureau.

PY - A number of Brazilian special contest callsigns are expected to
be
QRV during the Manchester Mineira All America (MMAA) CW Contest,
which will be held on 16-17 May: PP4W (PY4PW), PQ4F
(PY4FQ), PQ8W (PY2WAS, from the rarest Amapa State), PR5W (PY5FB),
PT5J (PP5KR group), PT5M (PY5MJ), PW1W (PY1WW), PW2B (PY2HL), PW2P
(PY2XAT), PX8XL (PY8MGB), ZW1V (PY1VHF), ZW3F (PY3VK) and ZW4KL
(PY4KL group). This year's event is still for stations in South
and North America, in 2010 it will be world wide.
S2 - Ramon, DU1UGZ did operate as S21UGZ on 2 and 3 May,
before being issued (on 6 May) another callsign, S21XR. He expects
to remain in Bangladesh until 20 June, and to be QRV in his spare
time. QSL via home call.
SM - A team of eight operators will be active as 7S6W from IOTA
group
EU-043 on 14-17 May. They plan to operate on 80-2 metres with four
stations. QSL for this activity via SM6WET, direct or bureau.
SP - The amateur radio club of QTC, the Polish Radio Amateurs'
journal
(SP4KDX), will be active as HF59ED on 8-15 May to celebrate Europe
Day and the 59th anniversary of the European Union. QSL via SP2FAP
and eQSL.cc
SP - Special event station 3Z11EQSLCC will be active on 9-12 May
to
celebrate the 11th anniversary of the Electronic QSL Card Centre.
QSL via SP2FAP (and eQSL.cc, of course).
UA - A large number of Russian stations using special prefix RP
(where
the letter P stands for "pobeda", i.e. "victory") will be QRV
until 10 May to celebrate the 64th anniversary of the end of World
War II. Expect many of them to be active during the 53rd CQ-M
International DX Contest, to be held on 9-10 May (rules at
_http://www.srr.ru/CONTEST/cq_m_9_eng.php_
(http://www.srr.ru/CONTEST/cq_m_9_eng.php))
ZK2 - Chris, ZL1CT (GM3WOJ) is confirmed to be active as ZK2V from Niue
next week. If the weather cooperates, he will land on
Saturday afternoon (16 May), which is early Sunday UTC. Chris
plans to be QRV until 7 UTC on 19 June. His expedition aims to to
give as many stations as possibile their first QSO with ZK2. To
maximise QSOs, he will concentrate on CW and SSB on 80, 40, 30, 20
and 17 metres. Further information and log search can be found at
http://www.zk2v.com (http://www.zk2v.com/) . Chris has been told he
will have Internet
access from his QTH. If so, his plans are to upload logs to LoTW
on a daily or every other day basis. QSL via N3SL, direct or
bureau.

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steps!
(http://pr.atwola.com/promoclk/100126575x1221823232x1201398636/aol?redir=http://www.freecr

editreport.com/pm/default.aspx?sc=668072&hmpgID=62&bcd=
May5909footerNO62)

491. OT Department of Homeland Security Communications Guide

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-10 01:54:26 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 491 Message: 491

The Department of Homeland Security's National Interoperability Field Operations Guide, Version 1.2 lists all of the interoperability frequencies.

This is about the Best Communications Info I have seen in one Place

I"Am glad it is avaible For the ones that are involved in this Wonderful Commuications Hobby , But on a Side note it is also to Whome that may do us harm

Don KA9QJG

http://www.npstc.org/documents/NIFOG%20v1.2%204-14-2008.pdf

http://www.dhhs.state.nc.us/dhsr/EMS/pdf/NIFOG.pdf

492. RE: [CQCQCQ] OT Department of Homeland Security Communications Guide

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-10 03:48:49 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 491 Message: 492

this is a very (almost) comprehensive plan. However, I couldn't find anything about HF frequencies. Shouldn't these have been included?

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
http://mcares.synthasite.com/
"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Don
Sent: Saturday, May 09, 2009 8:54 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] OT Department of Homeland Security Communications Guide

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http://www.dhhs. <http://www.dhhs.state.nc.us/dhsr/EMS/pdf/NIFOG.pdf> state.nc.us/dhsr/EMS/pdf/NIFOG.pdf

493. RE: [CQCQCQ] OT Department of Homeland Security Communications Guide

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-10 04:20:12 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 491 Message: 493

John , I hope they do plan on using HF , Because if they Think VHF/UHF Digital , Trunking , Encryption Pagers , Cell Phones Etc t will work , I would not wish to bet My life on it.

73 De Don KA9QJG

494. RE: [CQCQCQ] OT Department of Homeland Security Communications Guide

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-10 04:51:06 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 491 Message: 494

My thoughts exactly!! Maybe some hams should get together and produce a similar document using HF

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...t
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
http://mcares.synthasite.com/
"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg
Sent: Saturday, May 09, 2009 11:20 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] OT Department of Homeland Security Communications Guide

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73 De Don KA9QJG

495. Nice Ham Info Site

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-10 19:57:25 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 495 Message: 495

Well most of us know about Wikipedia where We can search about almost anything

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Main_Page

But here is one for Ham Radio

http://amateur-radio-wiki.net/index.php?title=Main_Page

But I really Do not know the validity of the info If this is just put here by Hams or People who think they know Everything , We are in trouble for talking all of it as Factual , So I would do My research .

73 De Don KA9QJG

496. Dayton Hamvention 2009 - May 15-17

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-14 01:16:09 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 496 Message: 496

I"am sure By now Everyone is aware of this Upcomming event this Weekend , I went one time 40 Yrs Ago Wow We have come a long way

If You go Be Safe

http://www.hamvention.org/

73 De Don KA9QJG

497. New to group

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-14 01:27:14 UTC
From: Fred VE3FAL
Topic: 497 Message: 497

Hey gang:

Hello from Thunder Bay Ontario Canada.

Name is Fred and Call is VE3FAL...

Always looking for that CW or digital qso..

Cheers

Fred

VE3FAL

498. RE: [CQCQCQ] New to group

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-14 01:35:03 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 497 Message: 498

Fred ,Welcome to the Group You will find a Nice helpful bunch on here ,
Might be a little less Activity because of Dayton Ham Convention . Please
feel Free to Post

73 De Don KA9QJG

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499. RE: [CQCQCQ] New to group

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-14 01:38:08 UTC
From: Fred VE3FAL
Topic: 497 Message: 499

Thanks Don, one day before I leave this planet I will get to Dayton...

But not before I return to Las Vegas over and over again.Hi Hi

Fred

VE3FAL

-----Original Message-----
From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg
Sent: Wednesday, May 13, 2009 9:35 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] New to group

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73 De Don KA9QJG

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500. Re: [CQCQCQ] New to group

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-14 07:20:13 UTC
From: Gary Lane
Topic: 497 Message: 500

Welcome Fred!

I have been to your town years ago and had a great visit!
Welcome to the group.

Gary
KC9GEQ
Indianapolis, IN.

--- On Wed, 5/13/09, Fred VE3FAL <flesnick@...> wrote:

From: Fred VE3FAL <flesnick@...>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] New to group
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Wednesday, May 13, 2009, 9:27 PM

Hey gang:

Hello from Thunder Bay Ontario Canada.
Name is Fred and Call is VE3FAL…..

Always looking for that CW or digital qso……

Cheers
Fred
VE3FAL

501. Yes Virginia There Is a 17 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-14 17:41:25 UTC
From: Richard Zolla
Topic: 501 Message: 501

A group of us meet at 1700Z on 18.153 mHz. Today we had 18 stations in the group from all over the country. Great group to check out your antenna.

Look for us seven days a week at 18.153 at 1700 Z

Rick N6NKN

502. Re: [CQCQCQ] Yes Virginia There Is a 17 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-14 18:35:50 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 501 Message: 502

Yes... I have been thinking of that, myself.

I have prepared my masts and changed my antennas about
to accommodate a new home brew 17 meter sloping dipole
I build - I mentioned doing this before - but did not complete
the task until now.

Now it is up and needs testing and using. That must, however,
wait until I get back on Saturday... leaving in a hour for
Dayton Hamvention.

Thanks for the reminder... I only wish I had finished my install
a bit sooner.

========== Richards ==========

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> Rick N6NKN
>

503. NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-14 20:24:04 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 503 Message: 503

This Might be a useful Link for DX Info and Band Conditions and as of Course We always Give Thanks to People Like Thomas, Who dos all the Hard work and Shares with others involved in this Wonderfull Communications Hobby

73 De Don KA9QJG

The NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-15
has been published on Thursday 05/14/2009 at 1700 UTC, valid 0000 UTC
Saturday 05/16/2009 through 2359 UTC Friday 05/22/2009 at
http://www.kn4lf.com/kn4lf6.htm .

73 & GUD DX,

Thomas F. Giella, NZ4O

504. Re: [CQCQCQ] NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-14 20:48:27 UTC
From: James - KB7TBT
Topic: 503 Message: 504

Check this out, live info for all VHF
http://www.vhfdx.net/spots/map.php?Frec=50&Map=NA

James
KB7TBT
www.kb7tbt.com

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> Thomas F. Giella, NZ4O
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505. RE: [CQCQCQ] NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-14 20:58:54 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 503 Message: 505

Jim , Nice Site Thanks for Posting

73 De Don KA9QJG

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506. Nice VHF.UHF DX Site Info

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-15 00:31:27 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 506 Message: 506

When I post things I think that Might also be of Interest to the Members I do realize Not Everyone dos DX Or HF, But I Do not like to take Credit from Others So I always Ask Permission from The People Who do all the Hard work, Then share it with Others , below is an E-Mail I got Back about the One I recently posted, as You will see He has more informative Sites to Check out too

Enjoy

73 De Don KA9QJG

Hi Don very nice to hear from you. No problem on posting my propagation forecasts to your Yahoo eGroups.

73 & GUD DX,
Thomas F. Giella, NZ4O
Lakeland, FL, USA
nz4o@...
LF/MF/HF/VHF/UHF Frequency Radiowave Propagation Email Reflector:
http://lists.contesting.com/mailman/listinfo/spaceweather
NZ4O Daily Solar Space Weather & Geomagnetic Data Archive: http://www.kn4lf.com/kn4lf5.htm
NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast & Archive:
http://www.kn4lf.com/kn4lf6.htm
NZ4O 160 Meter Radio Propagation Theory Notes: http://www.kn4lf.com/kn4lf8.htm
NZ4O Solar Cycle 24 Forecast Discussion & Archive: http://www.kn4lf.com/kn4lf72.htm

507. Re: [CQCQCQ] Yes Virginia There Is a 17 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-15 21:35:12 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 501 Message: 507

Maybe we can do a night thing also after some of the members here home
from work.....

Frank
kc2aup...

In a message dated 5/14/2009 1:52:04 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time,
N6NKN@... writes:

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group from all over the country. Great group to check out your antenna.

Look for us seven days a week at 18.153 at 1700 Z

Rick N6NKN

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Excfooter51509NO62)

508. RE: [CQCQCQ] Yes Virginia There Is a 17 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-16 01:58:34 UTC
From: Richard Marshall
Topic: 501 Message: 508

Yep pretty tough for me to get on the air at 1700z

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of kc2aup@...
Sent: Friday, May 15, 2009 5:35 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Yes Virginia There Is a 17 Meters

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Rick N6NKN

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509. Re: [CQCQCQ] Yes Virginia There Is a 17 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-16 21:30:19 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 501 Message: 509

good idea.

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

kc2aup@... wrote:
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> Maybe we can do a night thing also after some of the members here home
> from work.....
>

510. Re: [CQCQCQ] Yes Virginia There Is a 17 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-16 23:06:37 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 501 Message: 510

OK. Well, that seems to be a lot of members here that want to have a nightly roundtable. Now we have to determine what night and what time? At least for me, Tuesday and Thursday after dinner time works. I work the other nights. How about you guys?

Frank
kc2aup...

In a message dated 5/16/2009 5:34:55 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time, jruing@... writes:

good idea.

==========<WBR>= Richards - K8JHR===

kc2aup@...2 (mailto:kc2aup@...) wrote:
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> Maybe we can do a night thing also after some of the members here home
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511. Re: [CQCQCQ] Yes Virginia There Is a 17 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-17 00:10:49 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 501 Message: 511

Thurs is OK... I am taking a cW code class on Tues... but that will not go on forever... even though it seems like it now.

========== JHR ==========

kc2aup@... wrote:
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>
> OK. Well, that seems to be a lot of members here that want to have a
> nightly roundtable. Now we have to determine what night and what time?
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> the other nights. How about you guys?
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512. RE: [CQCQCQ] Yes Virginia There Is a 17 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-17 04:16:47 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 501 Message: 512

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
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http://mcares.synthasite.com/
"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richard Marshall
Sent: Friday, May 15, 2009 8:59 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] Yes Virginia There Is a 17 Meters

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513. RE: [CQCQCQ] Yes Virginia There Is a 17 Meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-17 04:19:41 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 501 Message: 513

Any chance of a mid morning net? Say 1400Z or 1500Z. Haven' t tried this band out and would love too. Unfortunately 1700Z is too late (have to be to work by 1800Z, and don't get off until 0500Z. Just curious, but if the interest isn't there for this, that is OK as well.

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<http://geo.yahoo.com/serv?s=97359714/grpId=24046456/grpspId=1705063108/msgId=508/stime=1242439197/nc1=1/nc2=2/nc3=3>

514. CQ CQ CQ

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-17 20:59:00 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 514 Message: 514

AD7LL 10.138 USB PSK31 at about 1200hz Idaho

looking mostly for Logbook of the world users.

tu
73
don ad7ll

515. Are you looking for a Qso!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-18 20:01:28 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 515 Message: 515

If you are i am currently on 10.138.150 (digital calling frequency) on 30m in olivia 8-500 its now 20:00 utc/zulu/3pm cst and I will be there for 10 minuts startin` NOW

Give me a call?

Norm/Kb9ygd [:-?]

516. Happy Memorial Day Weekend 09

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-20 18:30:10 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 516 Message: 516

I would like to Wish Everyone and their Family's a Happy and Safe Memorial Day Weekend ,
Yes I know We all know what it Means

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Memorial_Day

But let us Never Forget and Be Thankful for Our Freedom

73 De Don KA9QJG

517. Reply to Don/Group from Norm;

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-20 20:25:19 UTC
From: norman triantafilos
Topic: 517 Message: 517

Thank you Don and the beast to you and all the fellas in the group to.N

http://www.qsl.net/kb9ygd/index.html Search My Logbook->
http://dx.qsl.net/cgi-bin/logform.cgi?kb9ygd
http://mysite.verizon.net/res868sp/thetriantafilosfamily/index.html

--- On Wed, 5/20/09, Don <KA9QJG@...> wrote:

From: Don <KA9QJG@...>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Happy Memorial Day Weekend 09
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Wednesday, May 20, 2009, 2:30 PM

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Yes I know We all know what it Means

http://en.wikipedia .org/wiki/ Memorial_ Day

But let us Never Forget and Be Thankful for Our Freedom

73 De Don KA9QJG

518. 2 Meter SSB Net Thursday May 21 , 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-21 19:09:06 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 518 Message: 518

FYI

Depending on Your QTH The Time will be Different

73 De Don KA9QJG

Title: Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net

Date: Thursday May 21, 2009
Time: 8:30 pm - 9:30 pm
Repeats: This event repeats every week.
Location: Charlestown, IN EM78el
Notes: CQ...CQ...CQ...Announcing a New SSB Net

Spread the Word, Talk it up with Your Friends and Club Members.
Thursday evening, 8:30 PM ET (00:30z) for the _2 METER SSB NET_
Simplex Freq. 144.250 USB
Net Control: Dan K9ZF

The purpose for the net is:
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_1. Increase 2 meter SSB activity in the Southern Indiana / Northern Kentucky Area, and Beyond.
2. To give area operators a chance to test their stations and their capabilities.
3. To give area SSB operators a chance to meet other active stations in the area.
4. Last, but not least, TO HAVE FUN:-)

As your net control I will start the net looking north from EM78el. After gathering check ins from the north I will move the beam east, then south, then west. Most active SSB stations will be using horizontal yagis, but don't let this discourage you if all you have is a vertical. Please give us a try with what you have!

I have a very small station here in EM78el, just east of Charlestown, IN. I have 150 watts and 10 elements at 25 feet. With my station, I will be depending heavily on the other stations to help relay check ins.

We look forward to hearing you!

73
Dan

519. D-STAR/D-RATS Brochure.pdf

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-21 19:19:53 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 519 Message: 519

Some Members might find this info Useful, Heck I am still trying to keep the Old analog Equipment working

73 De Don KA9QJG

D-STAR/D-RATS Brochure.pdf

Description: Software tool utilizing D-STAR digital voice low-speed data capability to transmit text message, beacons, files transfers, forms & GPS coordinates.

You can access this file at the URL:

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/IndyHamRadio/files/D-STAR/D-RATS%20Brochure.pdf

520. ***Strange Antenna Challenge***

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-21 21:49:25 UTC
From: Harold F. Hawkins II
Topic: 520 Message: 520

*****COME ONE, COME ALL!!*****

To the STRANGE ANTENNA CHALLENGE Saturday, May 23, 2009.

For more info, contact KD8DVY at 770-896-1576 or 146.820 repeater
anytime after 7PM.

73's

Harold/KD8DVY

521. Holiday Weekend Contests.. Sprint, QSO party, SSB, CW

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-22 15:55:51 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 521 Message: 521

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:
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NCCC Sprint: 0230Z-0300Z, May 22
Mode: (see rules)
Bands: (see rules)
Classes: (none)
Exchange: (see rules)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 24, 2009
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at: _http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/_
(http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm_
(http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm)

Bill Windle QSO Party: 0000Z-2359Z, May 23
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, VHF
Classes: Single Op
Exchange: FOC-Member: RST + Name + Member No.
non-Members: RST + Name
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: FOC-Member: Score = Total QSOs/Total Member QSOs
non-Member: Score = Total Member QSOs
Submit logs by: May 30, 2009
E-mail log summary to: _KZ5D@..._ (mailto:KZ5D@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/BWQSOParty052309.pdf_
(http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/BWQSOParty052309.pdf)

UN DX Contest: 1200Z, May 23 to 1200Z, May 24
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op (CW/SSB/Mixed)(Low/High)
Multi-Op Single Transmitter
Max power: HP: >100 watts
LP: 100 watts
Exchange: Kazakhstan: RS(T) + District Code
non-Kazakhstan: RS(T) + QSO No.
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Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 2 points per QSO with same country
3 points per QSO with different country, same continent
5 points per QSO with different continent
non-Kazakhstan: 10 points per QSO with Kazakhstan station
Multipliers: Each KDA district once per band
Each DXCC country once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 23, 2009
E-mail logs to: _contest@..._ (mailto:contest@cqun.kz)
Mail logs to: UN DX Contest
P.O. Box 88
010000 Astana
Kazakhstan
Find rules at: _http://kw.cqun.kz/undxc_eng.html_
(http://kw.cqun.kz/undxc_eng.html)

Baltic Contest: 2100Z, May 23 to 0200Z, May 24
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 80m Only
Classes: Single Op CW/SSB
Single Op CW
Single Op SSB
Multi-Single
SWL
Exchange: RS(T) + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per mode
QSO Points: ES/YL/LY Stations: 1 point per QSO with EU
ES/YL/LY Stations: 2 points per QSO with non-EU
EU Stations: 10 points per QSO with ES/YL/LY
EU Stations: 1 point per QSO with non-EU
non-EU Stations: 20 points per QSO with ES/YL/LY
non-EU Stations: 1 point per QSO with non-ES/YL/LY
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: July 1, 2009
E-mail logs to: _lrsf@..._ (mailto:lrsf@...)
Mail logs to: Baltic Contest
P.O. Box 210
LT-44003Kaunas
Lithuania
Find rules at: _http://www.lrsf.lt/bcontest/english/rules_html.htm_
(http://www.lrsf.lt/bcontest/english/rules_html.htm)

MI QRP Memorial Day CW Sprint: 2300Z, May 25 to 0300Z, May 26
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6m
Classes: less 250 mW
250 mW - 1 W
1 - 5 W
greater 5W

Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + (member no./power output)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with members
2 points per QSO with non-member W/VE stations
4 points per QSO with non-member DX stations
Multipliers: Each state, province or country, once per band
Bonus: multiply total points by 1.25 if xmtr or
receiver is homebrew
Bonus: multiply total points by 1.5 if both xmtr and
receiver are homebrew
Score Calculation: Total score = bonus multiplier x total QSO
points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 25, 2009
E-mail logs to: _n8xx@..._ (mailto:n8xx@...)
Mail logs to: Hank Greeb, N8XX
5727 11 Mile Rd NE
Rockford, MI 49341
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.qsl.net/miqrpclub/contest.html_
(http://www.qsl.net/miqrpclub/contest.html)

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522. Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-16

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-22 22:32:47 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 522 Message: 522

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

The NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-16 has been published on Friday 05/22/2009 at 1400 UTC, valid 0000 UTC Saturday 05/23/2009 through 2359 UTC Friday 05/29/2009 at

http://www.kn4lf.com/kn4lf6.htm .

523. This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-23 17:48:30 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 523 Message: 523

Link #1 http://www.eham.net/articles/10535
<http://www.eham.net/articles/10535>

Link #2 http://www.eham.net/articles/11936
<http://www.eham.net/articles/11936>

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524. New Ant Book

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-28 03:02:48 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 524 Message: 524

FYI

Lots of Great Antenna Info

* Announcing the release of a new book
about a unique modeling method
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Type S Series-Section Broad-Banded Antennas
By Edward J. Shortridge W4JOQ

About the Book
An antenna modeling method is presented, which is capable of increasing the bandwidth of most antennas to about three times without altering the basic design. It is not intrusive on the antenna itself or its radiation characteristics. It does not add anything physically to the antenna. All of the broad banding is accomplished in the transmission line. It is called the "Type S Series-section Broad-Banding method."

Please go to our Main Announcement Page for more info:
http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html

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For lots of other good things like many more books, software, hardware, etc. and more than 100+ products:
http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm

Thanks for your time & hope to see you soon!

All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

525. Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net Thursday May 28, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-28 03:31:50 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 525 Message: 525

FYI

Don"t forget the Tome Diff in N/W Indiana 7:30

73 De Don KA9QJG

Date: Thursday May 28, 2009
Time: 8:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Notes: CQ...CQ...CQ...Announcing a New SSB Net

Spread the Word, Talk it up with Your Friends and Club Members.
Thursday evening, 8:30 PM ET (00:30z) for the _2 METER SSB NET_
Simplex Freq. 144.250 USB
Net Control: Dan K9ZF

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3. To give area SSB operators a chance to meet other active stations in the area.
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We look forward to hearing you!

526. CQ WW WPX Contest, CW:

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-29 23:09:36 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 526 Message: 526

CQ WW WPX Contest, CW: 0000Z, May 30 to 2359Z, May 31 Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m Classes: Single Op All Band
(Low/High)(Tribander/Rookie)
Single Op Single Band (Low/High)(Tribander/Rookie)
Single Op All Band QRP
Single Op Single Band QRP
Single Op Assisted All Band (Low/High)
Multi-Single
Multi-Two
Multi-Multi Max operating hours: Single Op: 36 hours with offtimes of
at least 60 minutes
Multi-Op: 48 hours Max power: HP: 1500 watts
LP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts Exchange: RST + Serial No. Work stations: Once per
band QSO Points: 6 points per 160/80/40m QSO with different continent
3 points per 20/15/10m QSO with different continent
2 points per 160/80/40m QSO with same continent different country
1 point per 20/15/10m QSO with same continent different country
1 point per QSO with same country
Exception: QSO points double for NA-NA QSOs with different country
Multipliers: Prefixes once Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO
points x total mults Submit logs by: July 1, 2009 E-mail logs to:
cw[at]cqwpx[dot]com Mail logs to: CW WPX Contest
CQ Magazine
25 Newbridge Rd, Suite 405
Hicksville NY 11801
USA Find rules at: http://www.cqwpx.com/rules.htm
<http://www.cqwpx.com/rules.htm>

527. Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-29 23:18:41 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 527 Message: 527

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

The NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-17 has been published on Friday 05/29/2009 at 1700 UTC, valid 0000 UTC Saturday 05/30/2009 through 2359 UTC Friday 06/05/2009 at

http://www.kn4lf.com/kn4lf6.htm

528. NASA Science News for May 29, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-31 04:35:43 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 528 Message: 528

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

NASA Science News for May 29, 2009

An international panel of experts has issued a new prediction for the solar cycle which takes into account the surprisingly deep solar minimum of 2008-2009. Read today's story to find out when they think solar maximum will return.

FULL STORY at

http://science.nasa.gov/headlines/y2009/29may_noaaprediction.htm?list716128

Check out our RSS feed at http://science.nasa.gov/rss.xml

529. Starved Rock Hamfest Princeton Il Sunday June 7 09

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-05-31 17:11:47 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 529 Message: 529

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Starved Rock Hamfest, Bureau County Fairgrounds, Princeton, IL, Sunday, June 7

Hamfest Web Site
http://www.qsl.net/w9mks/hamfest.htm

Hamfest Flyer
http://www.qsl.net/w9mks/flyer09..pdf

530. Ham Radio Lic Renewal

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-01 05:48:24 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 530 Message: 530

I thought I would post this info just in Case others May not know We can Renew our Lic on line for FREE

A couple of Weeks ago I got two letters on the same day about Renewing My Lic , one was from W5YI and the other one was from the ARRL, Both wanted Money. I am glad I got the notice because I had forgotten. But in checking I saw we could do that for Free , Now as We all know a lot of Lic ham radio operators are Elderly and May look at the Official looking Letters and Send Money to them to renew.

Don't get Me wrong I see nothing Wrong with Supporting any Group that We may belong to ARRL , W5YI Repeater Clubs Etc . And if We know of a Ham who may not know it can be done for Free let them know Help out if Necessary.

73 De Don KA9QJG

Got the below info from Don KB9UMT Owner of the Yahoo Ham Radio Help Group

Yes it can be done for FREE by you via the FCC website and takes only a few minutes. If you do not want to do this task you can pay to have the ARRL or W5YI do this for you. Here are some links below:

http://wireless.fcc.gov/services/index.htm?job=cft&id=amateur&page=cft_renew_amateur

http://www.arrl.org/arrlvec/renewals.html

http://www.arrl.org/fcc/memberlicenseinstructions.html

http://www.w5yi.org/page.php?id=87

http://www.w7ed.com/renew.htm

http://w4shl.com/Renewals.html

531. New antenneX Issue for June 2009 is Published

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-02 05:52:44 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 531 Message: 531

FYI

Why I post this Well it Has a lot of Good Antenna Info

73 De Don KA9QJG

Folks:
The New antenneX Issue for June 2009 is Published.

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If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue #146 for the month of June 2009 is now ready to read at your pleasure!

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http://www.antennex.com/premium.html

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Thanks for your time & hope to see you soon!

(^_^)
Jack L. Stone, Publisher
antenneX Online Magazine
http://www.antennex.com
jack@...

532. 43rd Annual Central States VHF society's annual conference

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-02 18:19:39 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 532 Message: 532

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Hello all Radio Amateurs;

I just want to extend an invitation to you to come to the suburbs of Chicago for the 43rd annual Central States VHF society's annual conference. If you have any interest in the VHF and UHF weak signal activities, this gathering is for you. This year the conference is being held at the Elk Grove Village Holiday Inn, on Busse Road in the village of Elk Grove, Illinois, on the dates of July 23 through the 26th. (This is the motel where the annual W9DXCC conference has been held, and the recent TAPR meeting last summer)

The conference starts with registration on thursday evening, with a social gathering, and extends through friday, with antenna measuring, preamp measuring and talks/seminars. Saturday, the seminars continue, and a banquet and prize drawing are featured saturday night. Other features include a dealer display, of VHF/UHF goodies, flea market, family program with tours of famous Chicago attractions, rover and antenna displays, and lots of socializing with familiar voices, so you can put a voice with a face.

Much more detailed information on this years conference can be found at the website; http://www.csvhfs.org, including links to the motel for those who plan to stay the duration, and a link to an online registration page for conference registration. Many in the Chicagoland area may opt just to attend for the day on Saturday, but come and join us for the entire weekend if you can.

For more information, you can contact me here, at the address in the header, or please send an email to Kermit W9XA, who is this years president and organizer. He can be reached at w9xa@...

Thanks for considering;

Ken Boston W9GA

Promotions; Central States VHF society
CS VHF Conference Web Site
http://www.csvhfs.org/conference/index.html

533. Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net Thursday June 4, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-04 02:14:05 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 533 Message: 533

FYI

For us Hams in N/W Indiana Area the Time for this Net

is ---------7:30 PM ----------7:30 PM ----------

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS Non of the Hams in My area N/W In Near Chicago using HZ Beams Etc have been able to make any contacts Yet . Maybe some of the Members on Here can

Title: Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net

Date: Thursday June 4, 2009
Time: 8:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Location: Charlestown, IN EM78el
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73
Dan

534. This weeks contests - CW, PSK, RTTY, Phone.....

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-04 03:16:48 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 534 Message: 534

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:
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ARS Spartan Sprint: 0100Z-0300Z, Jun 2
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Skinny
Tubby
Max power: 5 watts
Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + Power
Work stations: Once per band
Submit logs by: June 4, 2009
E-mail logs to: _spartansprin@]yahoo.com_ (mailto:spartansprin@]yahoo.com)

Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://arsqrp.pbwiki.com/Spartan+Sprints_
(http://arsqrp.pbwiki.com/Spartan+Sprints)

NCCC Sprint Ladder: 0230Z-0300Z, Jun 5
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20m
Classes: Single Op
Max power: 100 watts
Exchange: [other station's call] + [your call] + [serial no.] +
[name] + [your state/province/country]
Work stations: Dupes allowed after at least one intervening QSO
QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO
non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station
Multipliers: Each US state (including KL7 and KH6) once per band
Each VE province once per band
Each North American country (except W/VE) once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 7, 2009
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at: _http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/_
(http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm_
(http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm)

Digital Pentathlon: 1800Z-2200Z, Jun 5
Mode: PSK
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: (none)
Max power: 50 watts
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Exchange: Serial No. + 6-Character Grid Square + Power(W)
QSO Points: Points/QSO = distance (km) between stations/(product
of power (W) of two stations)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: July 31, 2009
E-mail logs to: _dp2009@..._ (mailto:dp2009@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://dqso.net/index.files/digipen-en.html_
(http://dqso.net/index.files/digipen-en.html)

Wake-Up! QRP Sprint: 0400Z-0429Z, Jun 6 and 0430Z-0459Z, Jun 6 and
0500Z-0529Z, Jun 6 and 0530Z-0600Z, Jun 6
Mode: CW
Bands: 40, 20m
Classes: (none)
Max power: 5 watts
Exchange: RST + Serial No. + suffix of previous QSO ("QRP" for 1st QSO)
Work stations: Once per band per period
QSO Points: 1 point per km
Multipliers: 1 point per new station worked on each band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total multiplier points
Submit logs by: June 13, 2009
E-mail logs to: _ru2fm@..._ (mailto:ru2fm@...)
Mail logs to: Valentin Kovalchuk
Internatsionalnaya str. 29 kv 39
Kaliningrad, 236011
Russia
Find rules at:
http://qrp.ru/modules/sections/index.php?op=viewarticle&artid=7&page=1
(http://qrp.ru/modules/sections/index.php?op=viewarticle&artid=7&page=1)

DigiFest: 0400Z-1200Z, Jun 6 and 2000Z, Jun 6 to 0400Z, Jun 7 and
1200Z-2000Z, Jun 7
Mode: RTTY75, BPSK63, MFSK16, HELLSCHREIBER, OLIVIA
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: SOAB, All Modes (Low/High)
SOAB, All Modes, 8 Hours (Low/High)
SOAB, Single Mode (Low/High)
Single Op Single Band, All Modes (Low/High)
Multi-Op Single Transmitter
Max power: High: 1500 watts
Low: 100 watts
Exchange: RST + 4-character grid square
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 1 QSO point per km between stations
Multipliers: Each grid square once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 14, 2009
E-mail logs to: _digifest_robot@..._ (mailto:digifest_robot@...)

Upload log at: _http://mixw.net/misc/DigiFest/digifest_log.php_
(http://mixw.net/misc/DigiFest/digifest_log.php)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.mixw.net/misc/DigiFest/rulese.html_
(http://www.mixw.net/misc/DigiFest/rulese.html)

VK Shires Contest: 0600Z, Jun 6 to 0600Z, Jun 7
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: VK Single Op (Rover/Fixed)
VK Multi-Two (Rover/Fixed)
DX Single Op
Exchange: VK: RS(T) + Shire
non-VK: RS(T) + CQ Zone
Work stations: Once per band per mode
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: Each VK shire once per band per mode
VK: Each CQ zone once per band per mode
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: September 1, 2009
E-mail logs to: _contest@..._ (mailto:contest@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.vkshires.info/rukes.htm_
(http://www.vkshires.info/rukes.htm)

SEANET Contest: 1200Z, Jun 6 to 1200Z, Jun 7
Mode: CW, Phone, RTTY
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op
M/S
Exchange: RS(T) + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: SEANET: Each DXCC country once per band
non-SEANET: Each SEANET DXCC country once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: July 31, 2009
E-mail logs to: _kops02@..._ (mailto:kops02@...)
Mail logs to: SEANET CONTEST 2009
c/o HL1IWD, Lee, Sung Ki
KDXC, CPO Box 162
Seoul 100-601
Korea
Find rules at: _http://www.sabah.net.my/seanet/the_contest.htm_
(http://www.sabah.net.my/seanet/the_contest.htm)

UKSMG Summer Contest: 1200Z, Jun 6 to 1200Z, Jun 7
Mode: not specified
Bands: 6m Only
Classes: Single Op (Fixed/Portable)
Multi-Op (Fixed/Portable)
QRP

Outside of EU
SWL
Exchange: RST + (optional UKSMG member no.) + 4-character grid square
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Additional 1 point per QSO with a UKSMG member
Multipliers: Each country once
Each grid square once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total
countries x total grid squares
Submit logs by: July 1, 2009
E-mail logs to: _m5ade@..._ (mailto:m5ade@...)
Mail logs to: Adrian Deane, M5ADE
5 Osbourne Terrace
London Rd, Thrupp
Stroud
Glos., GL5 2BJ
UK
Find rules at: _http://www.uksmg.org/page.php?30_
(http://www.uksmg.org/page.php?30)

RSGB National Field Day: 1500Z, Jun 6 to 1500Z, Jun 7
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Open
Restricted
Low Power
Max operating hours: Open/Restricted: 24 hours
Low Power: 12 hours
Max power: non-LP: 100 watts
LP: 10 watts
Exchange: RST + Serial No.
QSO Points: 2 points per QSO with fixed EU stations
3 points per QSO with fixed non-EU stations
4 points per QSO with portable/mobile EU stations
6 points per QSO with portable/mobile non-EU stations
Double QSO points on 160m and 10m
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: June 22, 2009
Upload log at: _http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl_
(http://www.vhfcc.org/cgi-bin/hfenter.pl)
Mail logs to: RSGB G3UFY
77 Bensham Manor Road
Thornton Heath, Surrey CR7 7AF
England
Find rules at: _http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/rnfd.shtml_
(http://www.vhfcc.org/hfcc/rules/2009/rnfd.shtml)

IARU Region 1 Field Day, CW: 1500Z, Jun 6 to 1459Z, Jun 7
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes: (see your national society rules)
Exchange: RST + Serial No.
Submit logs by: June 30, 2009
E-mail logs to: (see your national society rules)
Mail logs to: Your national society
Find rules at: Your national society web site

Alabama QSO Party: 1600Z, Jun 6 to 0400Z, Jun 7
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op (CW/SSB/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
M/S (CW/SSB/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
M/M (CW/SSB/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Mobile Single Op (CW/SSB/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Mobile Single Op + Driver (CW/SSB/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Mobile Multi-Op (CW/SSB/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Rover Single Op (CW/SSB/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Rover M/S (CW/SSB/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Rover M/M (CW/SSB/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
Max power: HP: >150 watts
LP: 150 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: AL: RS(T) + County
non-AL: RS(T) + (state/province/"DX")
QSO Points: 1 points per phone QSO
2 points per CW QSO
Multipliers: AL Stations: Each state, VE province/territory once per mode
non-AL Stations: Each AL county once per mode
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: July 6, 2009
E-mail logs to: _logs@..._
(mailto:logs@...)
Mail logs to: Jim Johnson, KC4HW
6274 South CR 49
Slocomb, Al 36375-5528
USA
Find rules at: _http://www.alabamaqsoparty.org/2009/2009Rules.pdf_
(http://www.alabamaqsoparty.org/2009/2009Rules.pdf)

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535. YouTube of Youngest Ham on the Letterman Show

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-04 03:33:38 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 535 Message: 535

I got his from a friend and really enjoyed watching it , Thought I would share with the Group

Enjoy

73 De Don KA9QJG

This was Posted By The Ham N2OVO Who had the QSO With the YL

Someone just emailed me that a 1993 David Letterman show segment was just put on YouTube. Although I have it on VHS, I am really happy to see it on YouTube. I contacted the 6 year old who is now 22 and had no idea that it was online. Although we had exchanged QSL cards after the show, we never spoke on the phone until today and it was so delightful!

The segment you will see was planned timewise but not the conversation. My radio club in NY chose me to be on a certain repeater at a designated time when the show was to be taped. I had an older call sign (N2OVO) and you will hear me transmitting from my home halfway through. Veronica was 5 when she was licensed. I give her credit for the patience she had because Letterman drove her crazy as you will see...and she kept her cool and maintained good operating procedure. Here's the url:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-ElRi5Ow_A4

Thanks for watching this!

536. Battleships Weekend Special Event Event..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-05 16:10:13 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 536 Message: 536

Scroll down the page to see all of the ships that will be operating.

This is really a super Special Event.

All of the ships are listed with their call signs.

Click here: Battleship New Jersey ARS - Museum Weekend Special Event
(http://www.nj2bb.org/museum/index.html)

http://www.nj2bb.org/museum/index.html
(http://www.nj2bb.org/museum/index.html)

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Fixed. LendingTree®
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537. 2009 ARRL June VHF QSO Party

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-05 19:05:35 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 537 Message: 537

FYI

I do Not work contest , But I will get on the Air and Give the People who Enjoy it a Point ,

But I have always Wondered How The Person can say I "am 5/9 What was Your Call ?

Wait a Min if I was 5/9 ?

Oh Never Mind I will be nice

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/june-vhf.html

2009 ARRL June VHF QSO Party Rules
General Rules
1. Object: To work as many amateur stations in as many different 2 degrees by 1 degree grid squares as possible using authorized frequencies above 50 MHz. Foreign stations work W/VE amateurs only.
2. Date and Contest Period: The second full weekend in June. Begins 1800 UTC Saturday, ends 0300 UTC Monday (June 13-15, 2009).
3. Entry Categories:
1. 3.1 Single Operator.
1. 3.1.1. Low Power
2. 3.1.2. High Power
4. 3.2 Single Operator Portable.
5. 3.3 Rover. A rover is comprised of no more than two operators that moves among two or more grid squares during the course of a contest. An operator may perform any or all rover functions, but a driver's function shall be limited to driving the vehicle. Drivers may be switched out during the event. Any number of observers is also allowed, however observers may not perform any rover function at any time. Rover vehicles with only one occupant are allowed to perform all functions listed above.
1. 3.3.1. A rover vehicle may transport only one station using a single call sign. An exception is provided for in "General Rules for All ARRL Contests" number 3.5 (Family Rule).
2. 3.3.2. A rover may not operate with more than one call sign.
3. 3.3.3. Rover vehicles must transport all the equipment, power supplies, and antennas used at each operating site.
4. 3..3.4. Rovers MUST sign "rover" on Phone and /R on CW and digital modes after their call sign.
5. 3.3.5. All Rovers are encouraged to adopt operating practices that allow as many stations as possible to contact them.
6. 3.3.6. Rover operators may submit separate logs for single operator (fixed station) in addition to their rover entries. Rovers submitting a score for inclusion in a club competition must also include a secondary summary sheet indicating the portion of the score that counts for the club score if any of the QSOs submitted take place outside of their club's territory.
7. 3.3.7. Rovers are permitted to use APRS. Rovers using APRS transmit only their call sign and position. Any multi-op station may access rover APRS data directly or via the Internet.
8. 3.3.8. A rover may not make more than 100 QSOs with any other one rover.
☐ 3.4. Limited Rover. Same as the "Rover" class above, but operation is permitted only on the 6 Meter, 2 Meter, 220

MHz and 432 MHz bands. Output power limits shall be the same as those defined for the Single Operator Low Power category.
☐ 3.5 Unlimited Rover. Same as "Rover" class above, but Unlimited Rovers may use more than two operators and are exempt from rules 3.3.3 and 3.3.8.
☐ Please see "General Rules For All ARRL Contests Above 30 MHz for more information on the Rover categories.
1. 3.5.1. Unlimited Rover scores may NOT be applied to a club score for Club Competition.
☐ 3.6. Multioperator:
1. 3.6.1. Multioperator (Unlimited): Stations submit logs with more than four bands used.
2. 3.6.2.Limited Multioperator: Stations submit logs with a maximum of four bands used. (Logs from additional bands used, if any, should be included as checklogs.)
☐ Exchange: Grid-square locator (see April 1994 QST, p 86).
1. 4.1. Exchange of signal report is optional.
☐ Scoring:
1. 5.1. QSO points:
1. 5.1.1. Count one point for each complete 50- or 144-MHz QSO.
2. 5.1.2. Count two points for each 222- or 432-MHz QSO.
3. 5.1.3. Count three points for each 902- or 1296-MHz QSO.
4. 5.1.4. Count four points for each 2.3 GHz (or higher) QSO.
☐ 5.2. Multiplier: The total number of different grid squares worked per band. Each 2 degrees by 1 degree grid square counts as one multiplier on each band it is worked.
☐ 5.3. Final score: Multiply the total number of QSO points from all bands operated by the total number of multipliers for final score.
☐ 5.4. Rovers only: The final score consists of the total number of QSO points from all bands times the sum of unique multipliers (grid squares) worked per band (regardless of which grid square they were made in) plus one additional multiplier for every grid square from which they successfully completed a contact.
1. 5.4.1. Rovers are listed in the contest score listings under the Division from which the most QSOs were made.
☐ Reporting:
1. 6.1. Entries may be submitted as follows:
1. 6.1.1. Electronic submissions in the Cabrillo format may be emailed to JuneVHF@...
2. 6.1.2. Hand written paper logs or diskettes mailed to June VHF, ARRL, 225 Main St, Newington, CT 06111.
3. 6.1.3. Web entries submitted via the web-based applet at: http://www.b4h.net/cabforms/
☐ 6.2. Entries that have been electronically generated must submit their log file in the Cabrillo file format. Paper print outs of electronic files are not acceptable substitutes.
☐ 6.3. Entries must be emailed or postmarked no later than 0300 UTC Wednesday, July 15, 2009. Late logs may be designated as checklogs only.
☐ Miscellaneous:
1. 7.1. Stations may be worked for credit only once per band from any given grid square, regardless of mode. This does not prohibit working a station from more than one grid square with the same call sign (such as a Rover).
2. 7.2. Only permitted one signal per band (6, 2, 11/4, etc) at any given time is permitted, regardless of mode.
3. 7.3. Multi-operator stations may not include QSOs with their own operators except on frequencies higher than 2.3 GHz. Even then, a complete, different station (transmitter, receiver and antenna) must exist for each QSO made under these conditions.
4. 7.4. Forms may be obtained by:
1. 7.4.1. Downloading from the Internet at the Contest Branch Website: http://www.arrl.org/contests/forms.
2. 7.4.2. Sending an SASE with 2 units of postage to June VHF Form Request, ARRL, 225 Main St, Newington, CT 06111.
☐ Awards: Certificates will be awarded in the following categories:
1. 8.1. Single operator.
1. 8.1.1. Top Single Operator Low and High power entry in each ARRL/RAC Section.
2. 8.1.2. Top Single Operator Low and High power on each band (50, 144, 222, 432, 902, 1296 and 2304-and-up

categories) in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Note: Since the highest score per band will be the award winner for that band, an entrant may win a certificate with additional single-band endorsements.) For example, if W1INF has the highest Single-Operator all-band score in the CT Section and his 50- and 222-MHz scores are higher than any other CT single operator's, he will earn a certificate for being the single-operator Section leader and endorsements for 50 and 222 MHz.

☐ 8.2. Top Single-Operator Portable in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Single-operator Portable entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

☐ 8.3. Top Rover, Limited Rover and Unlimited Rover in each ARRL Division and Canada where significant effort or competition is evident. (Rover entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

☐ 8.4. Top Multioperator score in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

☐ 8.5. Top Limited Multioperator in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Limited multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

☐ 8.6. Plaques, if sponsored, will be awarded in the following categories:

1. 8.6.1. Top 10 Single Operator (both High and Low Power) scorers.
2. 8.6.2. Top 5 Single Operator Portable scorers.
3. 8.6.3. Top 5 Rover, Limited Rover and Unlimited Rover scorers.
4. 8.6.4. Top 10 Multi-Operator scorers.
5. 8.6.5.. Top 5 Limited Multi-Operator scorers.

☐ Other:

1. 9.1. See "General Rules for All ARRL Contests" and "General Rules for ARRL Contests on bands above 50 MHz (VHF)" at www.arrl..org/contests/forms
2. 9.2. For more information, queries or questions contact contests@arrl.org or (860) 594-0232.

538. Re: [CQCQCQ] Battleships Weekend Special Event Event..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-07 01:11:39 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 536 Message: 538

Thanks for the list. I am surprised at how many are in my home state
of Michigan.

========== James - K8JHR ==========

kc2aup@... wrote:
> Scroll down the page to see all of the ships that will be operating.
>

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539. Re: [CQCQCQ] 2009 ARRL June VHF QSO Party

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-07 01:20:33 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 537 Message: 539

Don -- You cannot fight City Hall. ;-)

I think a REAL contest would require each exchange to contain some unique information such that each operator would have to write down the same UNIQUE information in the contest log which could only arise if it was a unique and real contact. There would be fewer contacts, but also far less chance of false entries, I think.

Just MY take...

========== K8JHR ==========

Don wrote:
Wondered How The Person can say I "am 5/9 What was Your Call ?

> Oh Never Mind I will be nice

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540. D-Day June 6 1944

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-07 06:35:48 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 540 Message: 540

Let us Never Forget

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y_qeCNg8fO0

73 De Don KA9QJG

541. ATV Sources

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-09 02:07:32 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 541 Message: 541

FYI Below is a E-Mail I got from a Friend I know some Members have Played around with ATV

73 De Don KA9QJG

Hi everyone, My name is Shawn Harlan, and I am Gene Harlan's son.

I sorry that I was not able to attend Dayton this year, just could not
get the extra time off work.

I have inherited my fathers business ventures and I am pleased to say:

Harlan Technologies is still up and running, and I have a full supply of Comtech boards
and the PIC IC's along with the saw filters for the upgrade shown in the newest issue
of ATVQ. I did not take over the magazine, but Bill Brown, WB8ELK and
Mike Collis, WA6SVT are doing a fantastic job with it.

I am in the process of updating the web page, so some of the links are not working,
but I hope to have it all up and running smoothly very soon.

The email has not changed: atvq@...
and the site is still www.hampubs.com

Thanks again for all the past support, and I look forward to serving your Comtech
needs in the future.

de: Shawn Harlan - KA9BXA

Shawn Harlan - KA9BXA
Sara Harlan

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atvq@hampubs.com www.hampubs.com

542. Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net Thursday June 11, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-11 04:26:23 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 542 Message: 542

FYI

Don"t forget N/W Ind Time this net is at 7:30 PM

73 De Don KA9QJG

Title: Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net

Date: Thursday June 11, 2009
Time: 8:30 pm - 9:30 pm
Repeats: This event repeats every week.

Location: Charlestown, IN EM78el
Notes: CQ...CQ...CQ...Announcing a New SSB Net

Spread the Word, Talk it up with Your Friends and Club Members.
Thursday evening, 8:30 PM ET (00:30z) for the _2 METER SSB NET_
Simplex Freq. 144.250 USB
Net Control: Dan K9ZF

The purpose for the net is:
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_1. Increase 2 meter SSB activity in the Southern Indiana / Northern Kentucky Area, and Beyond.
2. To give area operators a chance to test their stations and their capabilities.
3. To give area SSB operators a chance to meet other active stations in the area.
4. Last, but not least, TO HAVE FUN:-)

As your net control I will start the net looking north from EM78el. After gathering check ins from the north I will move the beam east, then south, then west. Most active SSB stations will be using horizontal yagis, but don't let this discourage you if all you have is a vertical. Please give us a try with what you have!

I have a very small station here in EM78el, just east of Charlestown, IN. I have 150 watts and 10 elements at 25 feet. With my station, I will be depending heavily on the other stations to help relay check ins.

We look forward to hearing you!

543. Mission Critical Mag Wed June 10 -09

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-11 04:30:48 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 543 Message: 543

FYI

A Nice Communications Mag I get Hey it"s Free keeps us up to Date on New Tech

Enjoy http://mccmag.com/SubscribeEmail/ONL.cfm

Don KA9QJG

544. (OT) Low-Power FM Broadcast Stations win over Natl Assoc. of Broadcasters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-11 20:17:19 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 544 Message: 544

FYI

Well at least We did not loose anymore Ham Freqs { YET}
73 De Don KA9QJG

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Low power radio stations saved by D.C. Circuit Court ruling
Court vindicates FCC's effort to save small stations from loss of channels

Today, the U.S. Court of Appeals of the D.C. Circuit ruled in favor of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and against the National Association of Broadcasters (NAB), affirming the December 2007 Federal Communications Commission decision to protect low power FM (LPFM) stations against "encroachment" by full power radio stations. Had the FCC not intervened, these low power stations would have been forced off the air by full power stations wanting to change their broadcasting location.The Prometheus Radio Project, represented by Media Access Project attorney Parul Desai, was an intervenor in the case on behalf of the FCC and the threatened LPFM stations.

In the lawsuit, the NAB alleged that the FCC defied the Radio Broadcasting Preservation Act when it granted waivers to keep LPFM stations on the air. The court denied some of the NAB's claims as lacking merit, and dismissed others as being unripe for review at this time. Thus, the FCC is free to continue balancing the interests of LPFM stations and full power stations that want to change their facilities.

The Prometheus Radio Project, on behalf of hundreds of low power radio stations across the country, thanks the D.C. Circuit Court for their decision vindicating the FCC's new procedures regarding low power stations threatened with encroachment.

"This is terrific news for the low power radio community," said Sakura Saunders, a board member of the Prometheus Radio Project. "The few protections offered to these small stations were threatened by this lawsuit. Now, these stations can focus on serving their local communities, rather than live in fear of displacement due to the whims of their full-powered neighbors."

Prometheus would like to acknowledge the outstanding work of the low power radio stations across the country, whose public service has won them a measure of protection in the face of full power encroachment.

According to Pete Tridish of the Prometheus Radio Project, "Many lesser organizations would have folded in the face of the sheer financial and legal resources of the National Association of Broadcasters. However, the dedication of the volunteers at low power stations to their mission ☐ to serve their communities with local content and democratize the airwaves ☐ has proven so great that they will endure any challenge in their work to free the electromagnetic spectrum from corporate dominance."

Prometheus would like to thank the Justices on the DC Circuit Court of Appeals for their careful attention to this complex case. We would also like to thank the attorneys in the office of General Counsel at the FCC for their sophisticated handling of the issues. We also credit the team at the Media Bureau for their thoughtful solutions to the problem of encroachment that have now been borne out by the court. We also commend the Chairman, Commissioners and their staff at the FCC, who have given much time in recent years to defending their service of the public interest from the private trade associations that seek to undermine it.

Prometheus also thanks the attorneys at Media Access Project, Parul Desai and Andrew Schwartzman, for their tireless support in Prometheus' intervention in the case. Also, we would like to thank radio engineer Mike Brown, attorney Michael Couzens and Senior Policy Advisor to Senator Maria Cantwell, Michael Daum, who against great odds first defended the low-powered radio station KYRS in Spokane, Washington.

for background: http://prometheusra dio.org/rahrahra h

Extra!
On June 11th the Subcommittee on Communications, Technology, and the Internet of the House Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on Low Power Radio. The hearing is the next step for the Local Community Radio Act, co-sponsored by Congressmen Mike Doyle, Lee Terry and 49 others, a new bill removing restrictions from the FCC implementation of LPFM.

Representing Low Power Radio will be Cheryl Leanza, Executive Director of the United Church of Christ Office of Communications, Inc, the National Federation of Community Broadcasters, and a board member of the Prometheus Radio Project.

The hearing will be in Rayburn 2322, and a live stream will be available at energycommerce. house.gov

Look for more details soon.

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Sakura Saunders, sakura@prometheusra dio.org, 415-287-3737
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545. This Weeks Contests - CW, Sprint, MFSK, RTTY, SSB

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-12 02:20:16 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 545 Message: 545

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:
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NCCC Sprint Ladder: 0230Z-0300Z, Jun 12
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20m
Classes: Single Op
Max power: 100 watts
Exchange: [other station's call] + [your call] + [serial no.] +
[name] + [your state/province/country]
Work stations: Dupes allowed after at least one intervening QSO
QSO Points: NA station: 1 point per QSO
non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station
Multipliers: Each US state (including KL7 and KH6) once per band
Each VE province once per band
Each North American country (except W/VE) once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 14, 2009
E-mail logs to: (none)
Post log summary at: _http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/_
(http://www.hornucopia.com/3830score/)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm_
(http://www.ncccsprint.com/rules.htm)

Digital Pentathlon: 1800Z-2200Z, Jun 12
Mode: MFSK
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: (none)
Max power: 50 watts
Exchange: Serial No. + 6-Character Grid Square + Power(W)
QSO Points: Points/QSO = distance (km) between stations/(product
of power (W) of two stations)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: July 31, 2009
E-mail logs to: _dp2009@..._ (mailto:dp2009@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://dqso.net/index.files/digipen-en.html_
(http://dqso.net/index.files/digipen-en.html)

ANARTS WW RTTY Contest: 0000Z, Jun 13 to 2400Z, Jun 14
Mode: All digital modes
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op One Transmitter
Multi-Op One Transmitter
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SWL
Max operating hours: Single Op: 30
Multi-Op: 48
Exchange: RST + Time(UTC) + CQ Zone No.
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: (see rules)
Multipliers: Each VK, VE, JA and W call area and each DXCC country
(other than VK,VE,JA,W) once per band
Each continent once
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total
country/call area mults x total continent mults) + VK bonus points
Submit logs by: August 1, 2009
E-mail logs to: _anarts@bartg.org.uk_ (mailto:anarts@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://anarts.com.au/rules2009.htm_
(http://anarts.com.au/rules2009.htm)

Portugal Day Contest: 0000Z-2400Z, Jun 13
Mode: CW, SSB
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op (CW/SSB/Mixed)
Exchange: CT: RS(T) + District
non-CT: RS(T) + Serial No.
QSO Points: (see rules)
Multipliers: Each CT region and each DXCC country once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: August 31, 2009
E-mail logs to: _rep-concursos@..._ (mailto:rep-concursos@...)
Mail logs to: REP Award/Contest Manager
Rua D. Pedro V, No. 7-40
1250-092 Lisboa
Portugal
Find rules at: _http://www.rep.pt/concursos/REP_Contest_Portugal_Day.pdf_
(http://www.rep.pt/concursos/REP_Contest_Portugal_Day.pdf)

VK/Trans-Tasman 160m Contest, Phone: 0800Z-1400Z, Jun 13
Mode: Phone
Bands: 160m Only
Classes: Single Op
Single Op QRP
Multi-Op
Max power: non-QRP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: Serial No.
Work stations: Once per hour
Score Calculation: (see rules)
Submit logs by: July 4, 2009
E-mail logs to: VK: _vktasman@..._ (mailto:vktasman@...)
ZL: _vktasman@robglassey.com_ (mailto:vktasman@...)
Mail logs to: VK:
VK/trans-Tasman Contest

28 Crampton Crescent
Rosanna, VIC 3084
Australia
ZL:
VK/trans-Tasman Contest
P.O. Box 21-363
Christchurch 8143
New Zealand
Find rules at: _http://home.iprimus.com.au/vktasman/RULES.HTM_
(http://home.iprimus.com.au/vktasman/RULES.HTM)

Asia-Pacific Sprint, SSB: 1100Z-1300Z, Jun 13
Mode: SSB
Bands: 20, 15m
Classes: Single Op Single Radio
Max power: Asia Pacific: 150 watts
Non-Asia Pacific: maximum legal
Exchange: RS + Serial No.
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: Asia-Pacific: 1 point per QSO
Non-Asia-Pacific: 1 point per QSO with an Asia-Pacific station
Multipliers: Each prefix once
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: June 20, 2009
E-mail logs to: _apsprint@jsfc.org_ (mailto:apsprint@...)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://jsfc.org/apsprint/aprule.txt_
(http://jsfc.org/apsprint/aprule.txt)

GACW WWSA CW DX Contest: 1500Z, Jun 13 to 1500Z, Jun 14
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: Single Op All Band (QRP/Low/High)
Single Op Single Band (QRP/Low/High)
Multi-Single
Multi-Multi
Max power: HP: >100 watts
LP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts
Exchange: RST + CQ Zone No.
QSO Points: 0 points per QSO with same country
1 point per QSO with different country, same continent
3 points per QSO with different continent
Non-SA stations: 5 points per QSO with South America
Multipliers: Each CQ zone once per band
Each country once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: July 30, 2009
E-mail logs to: _auranito@..._ (mailto:auranito@...)
guillev[at]v2r[dot]com[dot]ar
Mail logs to: GACW DX Contest

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Buenos Aires
Argentina
Find rules at: _http://gacw.no-ip.org/contest.html_
(http://gacw.no-ip.org/contest.html)

SKCC Weekend Sprint: 0000Z-2400Z, Jun 14
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, 6m
Classes: (none)
Exchange: RST + Name + (state/province/country) + (SKCC No./"NONE")
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Bonus Points: (see rules)
Multipliers: Each state, province, or country once
Score Calculation: Total score = (total QSO points x total mults)
+ bonus points
Submit logs by: June 19, 2009
Post log summary at: _http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/wes-submit.html_
(http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/wes-submit.html)
Mail logs to: (none)
Find rules at: _http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/_
(http://www.skccgroup.com/sprint/wes/)

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546. Re: Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net Thursday June 11, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-11 23:44:18 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 542 Message: 546

Just Got this E-Mail

Might still be Someone Listening

73 De Don

KA9QJG

Good evening group,

I'm sorry, but I'm going to have to pull out of tonight's net. Several times in the past few weeks I haven't been able to run the net. I'm sorry, but sometimes "stuff" happens.

My problem this week is I have most of my home station taken apart.
This weekend is the big ARRL June VHF QSO Party, so I have most of my gear pulled from my home station and am in the process of rigging up the
Rover station. Normally this wouldn't be a problem, I have my Icom 746
as my primary rig at home, and I use an FT897D in the Rover. However, a few months ago my trusty old 746 broke down on me and I have been using the FT897 to keep me on the air at home.

I'll get the 746 repaired eventually, but with the economy the way it is I can't afford to put a weeks pay into repairing a radio so it will have to wait.

I will likely leave the FT897D in the Rover at least through field day, so after this week I may try to call the net from the Rover. The only difference you folks will likely notice is a better signal and slightly different beam heading. But should be fun:-)

If you get a chance this weekend, get on the air for the contest.
Contest weekends, particularly the June contest, brings out a lot of folks who don't get on the air often so the bands should be active this
weekend. And, we are all hoping for a big E'skip opening on 6 meters.
Last year we had amazing conditions on 6, lets hope for a repeat!

I plan to start the contest [1800z] south of Louisville in EM67, then
head for EM77, EM68, and EM78 on Saturday. Sunday morning I will start
out up north of Indy in EN60, then hit EN70, EM79, and EM69. It should
be a fun contest, get on and join us! I'll send out a better "schedule"
soon.

73
Dan
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547. HEALTH ALERT: Global Pandemic Now DECLARED

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-11 23:59:24 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 547 Message: 547

I Just got this from a Friend I did NOT Go to CNN Or check to see if it is True

Be Safe
Wash the HANDS Ofetn

73 De Don KA9QJG

June 11, 2009 World Health Organization DECLARES Global Pandemic for Swine Flu

Details...
http://www.emergencyemail.org/newsemergency/anmviewer.asp?a=391&z=34

Explanation of Phases link...
http://www.emergencyemail.org/newsemergency/anmviewer.asp?a=392&z=1

National Swine Flu Situation Page (tm) link...
http://www.vuetoo.com/vue1/Situationpagenews.asp?sit=4540

THE EMERGENCY EMAIL & WIRELESS NETWORK
http://www.EmergencyEmail.org and now at http://www.NewsEmergency.com

Swine Flu Situation Page made possible by VueTOO "You're on the Situation Page"(tm) powered by VueTOO http://www.VueTOO.com

548. A.R.R.L. June vhf contest today

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-13 17:54:54 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 548 Message: 548

The contest starts in about 10 minuts at 18:00 utc/zulu.

I will be on 6m/2m cw/ssb and hope to add you to my logbook.

N [:)]

549. DX NEWS and a Pacific Tour..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-13 14:43:09 UTC
From: kc2aup@arrl.net
Topic: 549 Message: 549

13 June 2009
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*** D X N E W S INFORMATION ***
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5H - 5H3TSA will be active on 20 and 15 metres (+/- 14290 kHz and 21360
kHz) for Tanzaree 2009, the Tanzania National Scouts jamboree that
will be held at Mbeya, southern Tanzania on 12-19 June. QSL direct
via 5H3HO (Hidan Ricco, P.O. Box 661945, Dar Es Salaam, Tanzania).
7X - Bureaucratic hitches have caused Mike, DB1JAW to cancel his
13-20
June visit to Algeria [425DXN 944]. He was expected to be active
as 7X/DB1JAW and to attend the International Sahara Meeting.
8R - Dave/N3DB & Chris/W3CMP as 8R1DB (from 16 to 26 June) and
Terry/K4RX & Ken/AC4TO as 8R1TO (from 27 June to 6 July) will
operate on 6 metres from Guyana. QSL via N3DB, direct or bureau.
The website for the expedition is at
www.6meterbeaconproject.org/8r2009.html
(http://www.6meterbeaconproject.org/8r2009.html)
9H - Giorgio, IV3EPO will be active holiday style as 9H3EP from
Malta
(EU-023) on 23-29 June. He plans to operate almost exclusively CW
on 10, 15, 20, 30 and 40 metres. QSL via home call, direct or
bureau.
CE0Y - VK9LA (Lord Howe island) veterans Stan/SQ8X and Vicky/SV2KBS
are
looking for one or two operators to join a DXpedition to Easter
Island (SA-001) from 31 October to 15 November. "It's not top most
wanted DXCC", they say, "but there is still a strong demand on
contacts with that entity - especially in Europe, which will be
our main target". They plan to have two stations up and running
for almost two weeks and to operate as CE0Y/homecall. Further
details are expected in due course. Please visit
http://dx-hamspirit.com/ (http://dx-hamspirit.com/) for preliminary
information and Stan's
e-mail address.
DU - Gerard, F2JD is back to the Philippines for at least five
months.
He hopes to be able to renew his previous licence (DU1/G0SHN) and
to visit a few island groups during his stay. QSL via F6AJA.
F - Special event callsign TM6SCH will be in use on 15-28 June
to
commemorate the 65th anniversary of the liberation of the city of
Cherbourg. Expect activity on 80-10 metres CW and SSB. QSL via
F5LHB, direct or bureau.

F - Francois, F5JNE will be active from Belle Ile (EU-048, DIFM
AT-015)
on 16-24 June. He plans to operate CW only on 40 and 20 metres
during his evening hours. On 20 June he expects to go and operate,
along with Max/F5IRH, from nearby Ile aux Chevaux (EU-048, DIFM
AT-109). QSL via F5JNE, direct or bureau.
F - F1UGV, F4BJW, F5DBC, F5NLR and F5SRH will operate CW and SSB
as
TM5DUM from Dumet Island (EU-064) on 20-21 June. QSL via
operator's instructions.
F - Jean-Pierre, F6ITD will be active as F6ITD/p from
Belle-Ile
(EU-048) on 20-28 June. He will operate SSB only on 10, 15, 20, 40
and 80 metres. QSL via home call. [TNX F6AJA and Les Nouvelles DX]
F - Commemorating the 150th anniversary of the birth of
radioactivity
pioneer and Nobel laureate Pierre Curie, special event station
TM7RPC will be active from 21 June to 5 July.
FO - Phil, F5PHW will be living and working on Tahiti, French
Polynesia
for two years (August 2009-July 2011). He plans to be active as
FO/F5PHW (but he will also try to get a FO5 callsign upon arrival)
and to operate CW, RTTY and some SSB on 80-10 metres. QSL via
F8BPN, direct or bureau. Phil's logs will be uploaded to LoTW.
Further information at _http://f5phw.chez.com_ (http://f5phw.chez.com/)
FT5G - The French military amateur radio operators who will be
active
from Ile de la Grande Glorieuse (AF-011) on 9-28 July are
Philippe/F4EGS, Freddy/F5IRO, Yves-Michel/F5PRU, Jean-Marc/F5RQQ
and Sylvain/F5TLN. Their trip to Glorioso is first of all a
military operation, not a DXpedition. At all events, they will
have four complete stations with amplifiers, three Spiderbeams for
the higher bands, verticals for 40 and 80 metres, an Inverted L
for 160 metres and a K9AY array receiving system, plus a G5RV for
6 metres. They plan to be QRV during both the IARU HF World
Championship and the IOTA Contest. Requested callsign is FT5GA
(see "Iles Eparses" below). QSL via F5OGL, direct or bureau.
Further information, including log-search, can be found at
http://glorieuses2008.free.fr/ (http://glorieuses2008.free.fr/)
GM - Jurij, MM0DFV and John, GM0WRR will be active portable from
the
Loch Lomond and the Trossachs National Park during the WFF Green
Days (_http://wff44.com/en/contest/_ (http://wff44.com/en/contest/)) on
13-14 June. They plan to
operate SSB, CW and PSK. A special colourful QSL card will be
printed.
GM - Members of the Workington and District Amateur Radio Club
will
operate as MS0WRC from the Island of Barra (EU-010) from 26
September to 2 October. The team will include Steve/G0MTD,

Paul/M1PAF, Mark/M0WCR and Glyn/M3XUH, and they will operate
mainly SSB on 80-17 metres. QSL via G0MTD, direct or bureau.
GW - The Grantham Amateur Radio Club (_http://www.garc.org.uk/_
(http://www.garc.org.uk/)) will be
active as GB0YG from Holy Island (Ynys Gybi, EU-124) on 24-29
June. QSL direct only via G0RCI.
I - Alex, IK8YFU, and Giovanna, IZ8FEV will be active as IF9/IQ8PP
from Favignana Island (EU-054, IIA TP-011) on 18-25 July. QSL via
IK8YFU.
JA - Look for 7N4AGB/6, JA1KJW/6, JA1XEQ/6, JJ1JGI/6 and JK1EBA/6 to
be
active from the Daito Islands (AS-047) from 25 June to 5 July, and
from Tokashiki Island (AS-017) on 7-10 July. They plan to operate
CW and SSB on 160-6 metres, with an emphasis on the low bands. QSl
via home call,s direct or bureau.
JA - Look for JJ2JQF/0 and JH9UYZ/0 to be active on all bands and
modes
from Awa Island (AS-117) on 26-30 June. QSL via home calls, direct
or bureau.
JT - Giampiero, I5NOC will be active as JT1NOC from Mongolia on
12-29
June. He will operate CW and SSB on 10-80 metres, and will also
give 6m a try. QSL via home call.
KH2 - 7L4CEC, JA1BVY, JA1CJP, JA1HOD, JH1EMT, JJ1CDY, JL1FYW and
JR1QCQ
expect to be signing KH2/homecall from Guam (OC-026) until 14
June. Look for them on 160-6 metres CW, SSB and possibly RTTY. QSL
via home calls.
KL - The KL7RRC team (KE7V, N3QQ and UA9OBA) has been active
as
KL7RRC/p from Ogliuga Island (NA-233) [425DXN 943] since 10 June.
They plan to remain there until 14 June, then, depending on boat
availability, they might go and operate as KL7RRC/a from the Rat
Islands (NA-070). QSL via UA9OBA (Russia and Europe) and N7RO
(others). Updates can be found at _http://na-233.ucoz.com/_
(http://na-233.ucoz.com/)
LA - LA1MNA, LA1LSA, LA5ZN and LA9RY will be active on 6 metres and the
HF bands as LA7H from Utsira Island (EU-055) on 12-14 June. QSL to
LA7H, direct or bureau.
PA - Celebrating his Silver Jubilee with amateur radio, Adriaan,
PE2KP
(previous callsign PE1KHP, _www.pe2kp.nl_ (http://www.pe2kp.nl/)) will be
active again as
PE25KP from 25 July to 16 August. QSL via bureau to PE2KP.
SM - Jorgen, SM3CXS will be active as SG3U from Trasko Island
(EU-084)
until 16 June and from Grimskar Island (EU-176) on 18-21 June. He
operates SSB and CW on 40-6 metres. QSL via home call, direct or
bureau.
SV - Elizabeth/K4KTG, Michael/KC6ZUS and Jonathan/KI4UOU will be

active
as SV/K4KTG from Thira (Santorini) Island (EU-067) between 15 June
and 30 July. QSL via K4KTG
SV5 - Pandelis (SV5AZP), Stathis (SV5DKL), Dionisis (SV5FRD),
Panagiotis
(SV5AZK) and Yiannis (SV5FRI) will be active as SX5SYMI from the
island of Symi, Dodecanese (EU-001) from 31 July to 3 August. They
plan to operate SSB, CW and RTTY on 160-6 metres. QSL direct to
SV5FRI. Further information at _http://sx5symi.symiakos.gr_
(http://sx5symi.symiakos.gr/) ; details
on the Greek Islands On The Air (GIOTA) award programme visit
http://www.5-9report.gr/giota/index.htm
(http://www.5-9report.gr/giota/index.htm)
SV9 - Ron, WB2GAI is celebrating his Golden Jubilee in amateur radio
and
will be active again as SV9/WB2GAI/p from Crete from 21 August to
5 October. He will operate CW on 80-17 metres. QSL via bureau.
TZ - Ed/W0SD, Arliss/W7XU and Holly/N0QJM will be active as TZ6EI
from
Bamako, Mali from 26 June to 5 July. Although their
primary focus will be 6 metres on 50103 kHz, there will be RTTY
operation concurrent with activity on 6m, plus CW and SSB
operation at night after six meter sporadic E is over. The HF
bands will likely to be limited to 30, 20 and 17 metres. QSL via
W7XU. Further information at _http://w0sd.com/mali/mali.htm_
(http://w0sd.com/mali/mali.htm)
UA - Look for RN1AW/p, RV1AQ/p and UA1ATI/p to be active from Peschany
Island (EU-133, RR-01-14) on 15-23 June. QSL via home calls,
bureau preferred.
UA - Alik, RX9WN will be active as RX9WN/0 from Kharantsy Island
(RR-21-12) and possibly also Olkhon Island (RR-21-01) between 19
and 21 June. Both the islands are located in Lake Baikal and do
not count for IOTA.
UR - Members of the Ternopil Amateur Radio Club will be active
as
UR4BZB/p from Medobory Nature Reserve on 12-14 June. QSL via
UT1BC.
UR - Vladimir, UU6JJ plans to be active from the lighthouse at Mys
Lukull (ARLHS UKR-135) on 13-14 June. He will operate CW and some
SSB on 40-15 metres. Complete information on the Ukrainian
Lighthouses Award can be found at _http://www.lights.in.ua_
(http://www.lights.in.ua/)
VE - Rene, DL2JRM was active as VE1/DL2JRM from Bells Island (NA-081) a
couple of days ago, and will operate again as VE1/DL2JRM from Long
Island (NA-127) on 13-15 June. Look for him on 80-10 metres CW.
QSL via home call, direct or bureau.
VE - George, WW4GA will be active as WW4GA/VO1 from
Newfoundland
(NA-027) from 18 June to 9 July. QSL direct to home call.
VE - Mike, K9AJ and Bruce, KD6WW will be active as K9AJ/VY0

and
KD6WW/VY0 from Thomson Island (NA-185) from the local evening on
31 July through the local morning of 3 August. They will have two
stations and will operate CW and SSB around the usual IOTA
frequencies. QSL via home calls. The NA-185 IOTA group is offshore
Rankin Inlet, Nunavut, on the western shore of Hudson Bay and was
activated only once by NU2L/VE8 back in 1993.
YU - Special prefixes YU2009, YT2009, YU09, YT09, YT25 and YU25 will be
in use from 12 June to 12 July to promote the XXV Summer
Universiade (the World University Games organized by the
International University Sports Federation) that will be held in
Belgrade, Serbia on 1-12 July.
YV - The Radio Club Venezolano will be active as YW9A from the
rare
Amazonas State on 20-24 June. QSL via YV5AJ, direct or bureau.
Information on the Diploma Estados Venezolanos (Venezuelan States
Award) can be found at _http://radioclubvenezolano.org/concurso.htm_
(http://radioclubvenezolano.org/concurso.htm)

PACIFIC TOUR 2009 ---> Karl-Heinz, DL2FAG will be active from Niue
and
Samoa in October and November as follows:
19/10-07/11 ZK2DL Niue Island (OC-040)
17/11-30/11 5W0KH Upolu Island, Samoa (OC-097)
He plans to operate mainly RTTY, PSK and SSB on 10-80 metres, using
a
Triple leg multiband and dipoles. After Niue and before Samoa he will
will
be visiting New Zealand's South Island (OC-134) and be active
sporadically
as ZL4/DL2FAG. QSLs via home call. Log searches will be available
at
www.qsl.net/dl2fag (http://www.qsl.net/dl2fag)

PACIFIC TOUR 2010 ---> Wallis Island has been added to the itinerary of
the
22-day Pacific tour that is being organized to take place next year
A multi-national team of 14 operators led by Hrane, YT1AD will be
active from Tokelau (ZK3, 30 September-3 October), Central Kiribati (T31,
5-
10 October) and Wallis Island (FW, 12-14 October). Details are expected
in
due course. Updates will be posted to the expedition's website
at
http://www.yt1ad.info/t31/index.html
(http://www.yt1ad.info/t31/index.html)

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550. Amateur Awareness Week in MI

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-15 02:44:30 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 550 Message: 550

Michigan 2009 Amateur Radio Awareness Week Proclamation by
Governor Jennifer Granholm
Amateur Radio Awareness Week

Whereas, There are over 21,000 amateur radio operators in the State of Michigan and over 60 amateur radio clubs who have demonstrated their value in public assistance by providing, at their own expense, free emergency radio communications; and,

Whereas, Many of the Michigan radio amateurs - who are on volunteer status to assist in any emergency local or worldwide - will demonstrate their radio communications skills during the American Relay League's (ARRL) Annual Field Day Exercises; and,

Whereas, In cooperation with NASA and its astronauts, Michigan amateur radio operators and the ARRL provide additional public service by setting up portable amateur radio communication links between astronauts in space and Michigan students in their classrooms, opening the eyes of young people to the realities of space, science and engineering; and,

Whereas, The ARRL and the National Association for Amateur Radio, headquartered in Newington, Connecticut, provides internationally broadcast bulletins, training programs and a staff of professional engineers, technicians and legal counsel for its members in Michigan and throughout our Nation; and,

Whereas, The ARRL's broadcasts via amateur radio reach over two million licensed radio amateurs plus uncounted numbers of electronic engineers, technicians and experimenters; and,

Whereas, This years Amateur Radio Field Day, taking place June 28 and 29, 2003, will be a 24-hour, round-the-clock operation under emergency power where radio amateurs will test their own skills and the readiness of their equipment from the Michigan fields, hillsides and woodland clearings; and now therefore be it,

Resolved, That I, Jennifer M. Granholm, Governor of the State of Michigan, do hereby proclaim the week of June 23, 2003, as Amateur Radio Awareness Week in Michigan.

http://www.arrl-mi.org/?q=node/149

http://www.mi.gov/gov/0,1607,7-168-2...1927--,00.html

551. June 2009 Digital Issue is Now On-line

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-15 21:16:52 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 551 Message: 551

I really Like the way they set up the Viewer

Enjoy

73 De Don KA9QJG

In the June issue of Electronic Products, we cover the realm of RF / Microwave technology. This special features a variety of contributed articles examining some of the hot topics and trends in RF/ microwave. Some of the articles include Heterodyne vs. direct conversion architecture by Chuck Sanna of Texas Instruments, Thin-film passives in RF/microwave circuits by Ron Demcko of AVX, and more.
Plus, there's a great article entitled Rotary encoders in wind turbine designs by Ty Macalpine of Sick-Stegmann in the Energy Savings Initiative.

Enjoy,

Bryan DeLuca
Managing Editor
Electronic Products Magazine

http://www.nxtbook.com/nxtbooks/hearst/ep0609-v2/#/0

552. Nice Microphone Info Site

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-17 02:30:51 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 552 Message: 552

A SWL Friend Sent Me a Nice Site for Microphone Info

At http://moosenose.com/Help/Links/Microphone%20Links.htm

I back spaced to the Main Site and found more Interesting info

http://moosenose.com/

As Always we give credit to the People that do all the hard work and share it with others

73 De Don KA9QJG

553. Mission Critical Mag 17 June 09

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-17 18:06:21 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 553 Message: 553

Communications Mag I get

Enjoy http://mccmag.com/SubscribeEmail/ONL.cfm

Don KA9QJG

554. Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net Thursday June 18, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-18 01:13:59 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 554 Message: 554

Well let's See if it gets canceled again , don't forget N/W Indiana Area is One hour earlier 7:30 PM

73 De Don KA9QJG

Title: Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net

Date: Thursday June 18, 2009
Time: 8:30 pm - 9:30 pm

Location: Charlestown, IN EM78el
Notes: CQ...CQ...CQ...Announcing a New SSB Net

Spread the Word, Talk it up with Your Friends and Club Members.
Thursday evening, 8:30 PM ET (00:30z) for the _2 METER SSB NET_
Simplex Freq. 144.250 USB
Net Control: Dan K9ZF

The purpose for the net is:
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_1. Increase 2 meter SSB activity in the Southern Indiana / Northern Kentucky Area, and Beyond.
2. To give area operators a chance to test their stations and their capabilities.
3. To give area SSB operators a chance to meet other active stations in the area.
4. Last, but not least, TO HAVE FUN:-)

As your net control I will start the net looking north from EM78el. After gathering check ins from the north I will move the beam east, then south, then west. Most active SSB stations will be using horizontal yagis, but don't let this discourage you if all you have is a vertical. Please give us a try with what you have!

I have a very small station here in EM78el, just east of Charlestown, IN. I have 150 watts and 10 elements at 25 feet. With my station, I will be depending heavily on the other stations to help relay check ins.

We look forward to hearing you!

73
Dan K9ZF

555. Re: Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net Thursday June 18, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-18 03:49:03 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 554 Message: 555

Well I guess I will just Quit Posting the Info, I just got the Below E-Mail,

I do hope that the Hams Involved do Continue to try and Make QSO with each other on all the Bands

73 De Don KA9QJG

Group,

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I'll keep all the email addresses I have, and maybe I can pick it back up later this summer, or fall.

Thanks for all of the check ins and support,

73
Dan

556. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net Thursday June 18, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-18 04:47:59 UTC
From: Richard Marshall
Topic: 554 Message: 556

That's too bad, I recently got a 2m yagi and have been looking for a 2m SSB rig so I could try to check in. All my HF rigs are boat anchors and I just haven't been able to find anything affordable.

Hopefully someone else will be willing to pick up the duties of net control.

Thanks for your efforts

73 de rich/n6bx es ben/kj4ikn qth Lexington KY

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Don
Sent: Wednesday, June 17, 2009 11:49 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Re: Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net Thursday June 18, 2009

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Dan

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557. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: Indiana / Kentucky 2 Meter SSB Net Thursday June 18, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-18 06:14:19 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 554 Message: 557

Hello Rich , I am not set up for SSB With a Yagi I do have a Kenwood TS-2000 , Since it looks like Most of the Traffic is Down Your way I Would listen around that time and See if any stations can be heard or If anyone else is around that knows about it just call CQ CQ

Also In N/W Indiana 6 Meters and 10 Meters has been open even late at night . a lot of times Most will think the band is Dead and set on a calling Freq and not hear anyone, then some Brave Ham Dos guess what Calls CQ And People come out like Cockroaches saying Hey they thought the band was dead .

At 62 I have 14 grandkids and 5 great grandkids , So I have been out taking a Few fishing .

Good Luck

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS QTH Here is N/W In near Chicago a Few of the Hams in this area have heard a Few Stations .

558. Field Day 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-18 23:24:15 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 558 Message: 558

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Norm/Kb9ygd [O:)]

[Just Cause You Have A Ticket Doesnt Make You An Amateur Radio
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559. RE: [CQCQCQ] Field Day 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-18 23:37:10 UTC
From: brad
Topic: 558 Message: 559

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ARRL Field Day

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<http://us.i1.yimg.com/us.yimg.com/i/mesg/tsmileys2/11.gif>

Brad/KB2CHY O:)
<http://us.i1.yimg.com/us.yimg.com/i/mesg/tsmileys2/21.gif>

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<http://mysite.verizon.net/res868sp/sitebuildercontent/sitebuilderpictures/amateuropkb9ygd.gif>

560. Re: [CQCQCQ] Field Day 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-18 23:48:46 UTC
From: Byron
Topic: 558 Message: 560

Who knows who I might be contacting Field Day. I'll be hanging out the with club operating SSB on 20. I might check out the guys on 40 too. Not sure what class but should be somewhere around 8A to 10A. Should be fun. Listen for call sign W7SAA.

Byron
AK7EE

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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-19 03:57:26 UTC
From: Bill
Topic: 558 Message: 561

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562. Reply to Bill

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-19 17:34:49 UTC
From: norman triantafilos
Topic: 562 Message: 562

ok Bill and i wrote down w9sal and will look for them on FD gud to hr from you and i hope all you guys have a nice time up there on FD tell them that i will be working it as 1-D from the shack & also tell `em hi from me..

N

http://www.qsl.net/kb9ygd/index.html Search My Logbook->
http://dx.qsl.net/cgi-bin/logform.cgi?kb9ygd
http://mysite.verizon.net/res868sp/thetriantafilosfamily/index.html

--- On Thu, 6/18/09, Bill <ab9qu@comcast.net> wrote:

From: Bill <ab9qu@...>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Re: Field Day 2009
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Thursday, June 18, 2009, 11:57 PM

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563. Re: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Bill

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-19 17:49:41 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 562 Message: 563

I'll listen for you Norm. I hear you on the 775 repeater talking to Stan or Joe sometimes but I am always walking around with my HT. Wasn't able to make it into that repeater from Michigan City with the HT but maybe since Danny has been working on it I'll try again.
73
Bill ab9qu
----- Original Message -----
From: "norman triantafilos" <mr_norm_1999@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, June 19, 2009 12:34:49 PM GMT -06:00 US/Canada Central
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Bill

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http://mysite.verizon.net/res868sp/thetriantafilosfamily/index.html

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564. A broadcast of common interest

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-21 04:58:06 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 564 Message: 564

A broadcast of common interest:

Folks, you are invited and encouraged to listen to this audio. You may find it of interest to our field of endeavor.

FYI

Some May enjoy listening to this , I do know they do have a Lot of good antenna info

73 De Don KA9QJG

Just click on the following link:
http://www.antennex.com/sound/stones0906.mp3

The Cebik Site:
Also, as one that visits the www.cebik.com site, this is an important read and will help everyone to better understand the evolution, purpose and future of the site enjoyed by many thousands. Your feedback is welcomed.
http://www.antennex.com/Stones/st0509/lb_and_me.htm

Perhaps either or both of the above will provide a bit more information about our relationships. It is my sincere hope you will find enjoyment in both and they will be educational.

Jack L. Stone,
Publisher
jack@...
http://www.antennex.com

565. Happy Fathers Day Sun Jun 21, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-21 06:47:39 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 565 Message: 565

Just like to take time to Wish all the Fathers on here the Very Best of Fathers Day.

Remember anyone can be a Dad but it takes a Real Man to be a Father. And if our Father is up in Heaven say a little thank You Prayer too.

Happy Fathers Day

Don KA9QJG

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Father's_Day

566. RE: [CQCQCQ] Happy Fathers Day Sun Jun 21, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-21 06:54:13 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 565 Message: 566

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Don KA9QJG

Link did not work try this http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Fathers_day

567. To Don/Group from Norm 6-21-09

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-21 18:58:29 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 567 Message: 567

Yes happy fathers day to you Don and all you dads in here from Norm [:)]

568. New Solar cycle 24 sunspot Mon Jun 22, 2009 3:25 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-22 20:31:48 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 568 Message: 568

Great Info from another group I belong to

I do know 6 and 10 have been open even late at night in N/W Indiana

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS And as always we give Credit the People Who do all the hard work and shares the info for all

Posted Monday June 22, 2009 at http://www.kn4lf.com/kn4lf5.htm and http://www.kn4lf.com/kn4lf72.htm

Today a new solar cycle 24 sunspot group emerged in the SW quadrant of the Sun near S22E41. Later today NOAA/SWPC should assign it #11023, with a beta Magnetic signature.

We have seen four solar cycle 24 sunspot groups this month and six in the past 30 days. It appears that solar cycle 24 has finally come alive.

73 & GUD DX,
Thomas F. Giella, NZ4O
Lakeland, FL, USA
nz4o@...

569. Field Day this Weekend SAT/SUN 27/28 JUN 09.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-24 05:58:26 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 569 Message: 569

FYI

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If anyone else has any other Club or Event group locations Please post them

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Chicago Suburban Radio Association
Veterans Park
North RIverside, IL
GOTA: no
Talk-in: 145.555 MHz
Contact: Ed Schumacher, WA9GQK
708-562-2827
eddiewa9gqk@... <mailto:eddiewa9gqk%40att.net>

W9CCU
WCRA - Wheaton Community Radio Amateurs
41.730485, -88.078757
IL
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 145.39 - 107.2
Contact: Ken Kwasniewski - N9HQ
(630) 604-0157
wcra@... <mailto:wcra%40w9ccu.org>

W9DUP
DuPage Amateur Radio Club
22W221 71st Street
Woodridge, IL
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 145.43 Mhz 107.2 Hz
Contact: Bruce L Tobias, WB9WOZ
630-964-6258
wb9woz@... <mailto:wb9woz%40arrl.net>

K9BAR
BARS
Jim Meyer Park, 279 West Briarcliff,
Bolingbrook IL. 60440, IL
GOTA: no
Talk-in: 147.33
Contact: Thomas D Ballard, N9LJY
630-816-2830
tb1301@... <mailto:tb1301%40comcast.net>

W9R
Rifles & Radios
5N325 Oak Rd.
St. Charles, IL
GOTA: no
Talk-in: 443.025+ 2A
Contact: Alexander D Mokrycki, KB9UIY
KB9UIY@Callsign.net <mailto:KB9UIY%40Callsign.net>

W9NE
Fox River Radio League
41W600 Hughes Road
Elburn, IL
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 147.210
Contact: Eric Needles, AB9OS
3124013742
ab9os@... <mailto:ab9os%40yahoo.com>

K9MOT
MOTOROLA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
1301 EAST ALGONQUIN ROAD
SCHAUMBURG, IL
GOTA: YES
Contact: Edward J Picha, N9EP
8478487076
ed.picha@... <mailto:ed.picha%40motorola.com>

KC9OAS
Evanston Amateur Radio Community
Leon Place between Ridge and Asbury Avenues Evanston, IL
GOTA: YES

Talk-in: 147.435
Contact: Marilyn F Gardner, W9LUO
847-866-9159
w9luo@... <mailto:w9luo%40arrl.net>

K9IQP
Lake County R.A.C.E.S./ARES
1303 N. Milwaukee Ave.
Libertyville, IL
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 147.18+
Contact: David R Pritchard, W9QL
847-543-0507
w9ql@... <mailto:w9ql%40arrl.net>

W9WLC
Western Lake County Amatuer Radio Society (WeLCARS)
23 South St.
Fox Lake, IL
GOTA: YES
Contact: Christopher C Burke, N9YH
welcars@... <mailto:welcars%40gmail.com>

KC9OZG
McHenry Co. Grid Rats
Marengo Ridge Conservation Area
Marengo, IL
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 144.950
Contact: David M Whaley, NT9E
nt9e@... <mailto:nt9e%40arrl.net>

WA9GWM
Big Thunder Amateur Radio Club
Edwards Park
Poplar Grove, IL
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 147.375 +600 100hz
Contact: Joseph Moore, KA9LMK
info@... <mailto:info%40wa9gwm.org>

W9AXD
Rockford Amateur Radio Association
Roland Olson Forest Preserve, 9669 Atwood Road Roscoe, IL
GOTA: no
Talk-in: 146.610 -600 PL 114.8
Contact: Kurt C Eversole, KE9N
815-389-2784
ke9n@... <mailto:ke9n%40arrl.net>

W9TY
Metro DX Club

Oak Forest Hospital by the lake
Oak Forest, IL
GOTA: no
Contact: Mr John R Holmes, W9ILY
708-422-8607
w9ily@... <mailto:w9ily%40arrl.net>

W9SRC
S.T.A.R.S. Radio Club
E. 35th St. & Phillips Ave
Steger, IL
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 146.640 107.2
w9src@... <mailto:w9src%40arrl.net>

W9LJ
Lake County ARC
41.45002, -87.36717
IN
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 442.075 (131.8), 146.52
Contact: Tom Ruggles, W8FIB
219-796-9285
W8FIB@... <mailto:W8FIB%40arrl.net>

W9WIL
Will County Emergency Management Amateurs Laraway Rd at US 52 Joliet, IL
GOTA: no
Contact: Mark A Tomany, N9WYS
815-600-4045
n9wys@... <mailto:n9wys%40ameritech.net>

W9MKS
Starved Rock Radio Club
Chief Shabbona County Park
Harding, IL
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 147.120 + 103.5
Contact: Thomas B Chromzack, K9ML
815) 646-4488
k9ml@... <mailto:k9ml%40arrl.net>

KA9ORC
Chicago FM Club
Grand Avenue / River Road (just southeast, at the gazebo) River Grove, IL 146.7600 - 107.2

If you're looking for a location near you, use this link:

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We will be running a Kenwood TS 940S and an ICOM 575H for 6 and 10 Meters. We will try our hand at Satellite and ATV as well. Cookouts will provide Rochester famous Zwiegles red and WHITE hotdogs and our signature snack of double stuff Oreo cookies. Our advertisement at the site states "Phone home to Mars and Venus this weekend for free, no cell phone needed." For those who don't get this, Guys are from Mars, Women are from Venus.Guys and Gals in Ham radio.got it now!! Well the Campground owner came up with this. I think she thinks I am REALLY from Mars.

Our Call sign this weekend is W2A Special Event Station. This will be our forth year using this Callsign.

Somewhere in all this fun we will be on the air making contacts. Hope to catch you on the air. Brad KB2CHY

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Don
Sent: Wednesday, June 24, 2009 01:58
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wcra@... <mailto:wcra%40w9ccu.org> <mailto:wcra%40w9ccu.org>

W9DUP
DuPage Amateur Radio Club
22W221 71st Street
Woodridge, IL
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 145.43 Mhz 107.2 Hz
Contact: Bruce L Tobias, WB9WOZ
630-964-6258
wb9woz@arrl. <mailto:wb9woz%40arrl.net> net <mailto:wb9woz%40arrl.net>

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Bolingbrook IL. 60440, IL
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tb1301@comcast. <mailto:tb1301%40comcast.net> net
<mailto:tb1301%40comcast.net>

W9R
Rifles & Radios
5N325 Oak Rd.
St. Charles, IL
GOTA: no
Talk-in: 443.025+ 2A
Contact: Alexander D Mokrycki, KB9UIY
KB9UIY@Callsign. <mailto:KB9UIY%40Callsign.net> net
<mailto:KB9UIY%40Callsign.net>

W9NE
Fox River Radio League
41W600 Hughes Road
Elburn, IL
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 147.210
Contact: Eric Needles, AB9OS
3124013742
ab9os@yahoo. <mailto:ab9os%40yahoo.com> com <mailto:ab9os%40yahoo.com>

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MOTOROLA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
1301 EAST ALGONQUIN ROAD
SCHAUMBURG, IL
GOTA: YES
Contact: Edward J Picha, N9EP
8478487076
ed.picha@motorola. <mailto:ed.picha%40motorola.com> com
<mailto:ed.picha%40motorola.com>

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Contact: David R Pritchard, W9QL
847-543-0507
w9ql@... <mailto:w9ql%40arrl.net> <mailto:w9ql%40arrl.net>

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Western Lake County Amatuer Radio Society (WeLCARS)
23 South St.

Fox Lake, IL
GOTA: YES
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welcars@gmail. <mailto:welcars%40gmail.com> com <mailto:welcars%40gmail.com>

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Contact: Joseph Moore, KA9LMK
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W9TY
Metro DX Club
Oak Forest Hospital by the lake
Oak Forest, IL
GOTA: no
Contact: Mr John R Holmes, W9ILY
708-422-8607
w9ily@... <mailto:w9ily%40arrl.net> <mailto:w9ily%40arrl.net>

W9SRC
S.T.A.R.S. Radio Club
E. 35th St. & Phillips Ave
Steger, IL
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 146.640 107.2
w9src@... <mailto:w9src%40arrl.net> <mailto:w9src%40arrl.net>

W9LJ
Lake County ARC
41.45002, -87.36717

IN
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 442.075 (131.8), 146.52
Contact: Tom Ruggles, W8FIB
219-796-9285
W8FIB@... <mailto:W8FIB%40arrl.net> <mailto:W8FIB%40arrl.net>

W9WIL
Will County Emergency Management Amateurs Laraway Rd at US 52 Joliet, IL
GOTA: no
Contact: Mark A Tomany, N9WYS
815-600-4045
n9wys@ameritech. <mailto:n9wys%40ameritech.net> net
<mailto:n9wys%40ameritech.net>

W9MKS
Starved Rock Radio Club
Chief Shabbona County Park
Harding, IL
GOTA: YES
Talk-in: 147.120 + 103.5
Contact: Thomas B Chromzack, K9ML
815) 646-4488
k9ml@... <mailto:k9ml%40arrl.net> <mailto:k9ml%40arrl.net>

KA9ORC
Chicago FM Club
Grand Avenue / River Road (just southeast, at the gazebo) River Grove, IL
146.7600 - 107.2

If you're looking for a location near you, use this link:

http://www.arrl. <http://www.arrl.org/contests/announcements/fd/locator.php>
org/contests/announcements/fd/locator.php <http://www.arrl.
<http://www.arrl.org/contests/announcements/fd/locator.php>
org/contests/announcements/fd/locator.php>

571. Mission Critical Mag Wed Jun 24, 2009 2:18 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-24 19:23:43 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 571 Message: 571

FYI

Some Members might also Like to keep up on the Communications News

Communications Mag I get

Enjoy http://mccmag.com/SubscribeEmail/ONL.cfm

73 De Don KA9QJG

572. Re: [CQCQCQ] Field Day this Weekend SAT/SUN 27/28 JUN 09.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-25 02:45:38 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 569 Message: 572

Good luck with it Brad. Sounds like a fun time.
I will try to find you on the air !

========= Richards - K8JHR ==========

brad wrote:

> at my Campground, Timberline Lake, in the town of Leroy. We will be a
> totally fun type setup, education and hands on for visitors. We have
> lots of information to hand out etc.
>

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573. Re: Field Day this Weekend SAT/SUN 27/28 JUN 09.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-25 12:59:02 UTC
From: Daniel
Topic: 569 Message: 573

The Valencia County Amature Radio Association Will be Transmitting from the banks of the Rio Grande in central New Mexico using the club call sign KC5OUR. Hope to hear you all on air! Good Luck.
--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Don" <KA9QJG@...> wrote:
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>
> FYI
>
> Below is a Few in My Area Chicago and N/W Indiana , Should be a lot of CQ CQ CQ Going on I don"t think anyone on this list would complain if You post some in Your area too.
>
> Support the Hams who are out in the Fields, Fighting the Mosquitoes and the Heat and Elements, If You Don't go Warm up the Radios at Home in Your Nice air Condition Ham shack and say Hello to them and Say Hey Glad You are out there,
> If anyone else has any other Club or Event group locations Please post them
>
> 73 De Don KA9QJG
>
> Once again amateur radio operators around the country will take to the great outdoors for Field Day 2009, SAT/SUN 27/28 JUN 09.
>
> This 24-hour event shows how amateur radio operators are prepared to operate their stations under austere and challenging conditions such as natural disasters or emergencies.
>
> If you're a licensed ham and haven't done anything besides talk on the local 2-meter machine recently, this is an excellent opportunity to renew old friendships, make new ones and get on HF.
>
> If you're interested in amateur radio, Field Day is a great way to meet local hams and even get on the air.
>
> Here are a few of the local area Field Day sites. If your club is participating, feel free to post the location and contact information.
>
> N9BAT
> Chicago Suburban Radio Association
> Veterans Park
> North RIverside, IL
> GOTA: no
> Talk-in: 145.555 MHz
> Contact: Ed Schumacher, WA9GQK
> 708-562-2827
> eddiewa9gqk@... <mailto:eddiewa9gqk%40att.net>
>

> W9CCU
> WCRA - Wheaton Community Radio Amateurs
> 41.730485, -88.078757
> IL
> GOTA: YES
> Talk-in: 145.39 - 107.2
> Contact: Ken Kwasniewski - N9HQ
> (630) 604-0157
> wcra@... <mailto:wcra%40w9ccu.org>
>
> W9DUP
> DuPage Amateur Radio Club
> 22W221 71st Street
> Woodridge, IL
> GOTA: YES
> Talk-in: 145.43 Mhz 107.2 Hz
> Contact: Bruce L Tobias, WB9WOZ
> 630-964-6258
> wb9woz@... <mailto:wb9woz%40arrl.net>
>
> K9BAR
> BARS
> Jim Meyer Park, 279 West Briarcliff,
> Bolingbrook IL. 60440, IL
> GOTA: no
> Talk-in: 147.33
> Contact: Thomas D Ballard, N9LJY
> 630-816-2830
> tb1301@... <mailto:tb1301%40comcast.net>
>
> W9R
> Rifles & Radios
> 5N325 Oak Rd.
> St. Charles, IL
> GOTA: no
> Talk-in: 443.025+ 2A
> Contact: Alexander D Mokrycki, KB9UIY
> KB9UIY@... <mailto:KB9UIY%40Callsign.net>
>
> W9NE
> Fox River Radio League
> 41W600 Hughes Road
> Elburn, IL
> GOTA: YES
> Talk-in: 147.210
> Contact: Eric Needles, AB9OS
> 3124013742
> ab9os@... <mailto:ab9os%40yahoo.com>
>
> K9MOT

> MOTOROLA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
> 1301 EAST ALGONQUIN ROAD
> SCHAUMBURG, IL
> GOTA: YES
> Contact: Edward J Picha, N9EP
> 8478487076
> ed.picha@... <mailto:ed.picha%40motorola.com>
>
> KC9OAS
> Evanston Amateur Radio Community
> Leon Place between Ridge and Asbury Avenues Evanston, IL
> GOTA: YES
> Talk-in: 147.435
> Contact: Marilyn F Gardner, W9LUO
> 847-866-9159
> w9luo@... <mailto:w9luo%40arrl.net>
>
> K9IQP
> Lake County R.A.C.E.S./ARES
> 1303 N. Milwaukee Ave.
> Libertyville, IL
> GOTA: YES
> Talk-in: 147.18+
> Contact: David R Pritchard, W9QL
> 847-543-0507
> w9ql@... <mailto:w9ql%40arrl.net>
>
> W9WLC
> Western Lake County Amatuer Radio Society (WeLCARS)
> 23 South St.
> Fox Lake, IL
> GOTA: YES
> Contact: Christopher C Burke, N9YH
> welcars@... <mailto:welcars%40gmail.com>
>
> KC9OZG
> McHenry Co. Grid Rats
> Marengo Ridge Conservation Area
> Marengo, IL
> GOTA: YES
> Talk-in: 144.950
> Contact: David M Whaley, NT9E
> nt9e@... <mailto:nt9e%40arrl.net>
>
> WA9GWM
> Big Thunder Amateur Radio Club
> Edwards Park
> Poplar Grove, IL
> GOTA: YES
> Talk-in: 147.375 +600 100hz

> Contact: Joseph Moore, KA9LMK
> info@... <mailto:info%40wa9gwm.org>
>
> W9AXD
> Rockford Amateur Radio Association
> Roland Olson Forest Preserve, 9669 Atwood Road Roscoe, IL
> GOTA: no
> Talk-in: 146.610 -600 PL 114.8
> Contact: Kurt C Eversole, KE9N
> 815-389-2784
> ke9n@... <mailto:ke9n%40arrl.net>
>
> W9TY
> Metro DX Club
> Oak Forest Hospital by the lake
> Oak Forest, IL
> GOTA: no
> Contact: Mr John R Holmes, W9ILY
> 708-422-8607
> w9ily@... <mailto:w9ily%40arrl.net>
>
> W9SRC
> S.T.A.R.S. Radio Club
> E. 35th St. & Phillips Ave
> Steger, IL
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> w9src@... <mailto:w9src%40arrl.net>
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> W9LJ
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> W9WIL
> Will County Emergency Management Amateurs Laraway Rd at US 52 Joliet, IL
> GOTA: no
> Contact: Mark A Tomany, N9WYS
> 815-600-4045
> n9wys@... <mailto:n9wys%40ameritech.net>
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> W9MKS
> Starved Rock Radio Club
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> Harding, IL

> GOTA: YES
> Talk-in: 147.120 + 103.5
> Contact: Thomas B Chromzack, K9ML
> 815) 646-4488
> k9ml@... <mailto:k9ml%40arrl.net>
>
> KA9ORC
> Chicago FM Club
> Grand Avenue / River Road (just southeast, at the gazebo) River Grove, IL 146.7600 - 107.2
>
> If you're looking for a location near you, use this link:
>
> http://www.arrl.org/contests/announcements/fd/locator.php <http://www.arrl.org/contests/announcements/fd/locator.php>
>

574. IN-ARRL Bulletin 02-2009 June 25, 2009 6:15PM EDT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-26 06:54:09 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 574 Message: 574

FYI For our Indiana Members

73 De Don KA9QJG

IN-ARRL Bulletin 02-2009
June 25, 2009 6:15PM EDT

QIN UPDATE FOR FIELD DAY - PLEASE READ

Indiana Stations participating in field day should note that bonus points 7.3.5 Message Origination to Section Manager and 7.3.6 Message handling is a part of field day that is good practice in getting a message out in a field/remote type operation.

Note that because of the expected business around the normal QIN frequency 3.535 we will be moving the Sat 0000Z 8:00pm EDT and Sunday 1330Z 9:30AM EDT sessions to on or around 3.600. This is in the Extra only portion of the band, but the hope is to find a clear frequency to operate the net. Most of the normal QIN operators are extra class and most of the clubs will be using extra class calls so I don't see that this will cause a lot of problems.

Thanks,

Ivin Flint W9ILF
Indiana section CW traffic net (QIN) manager
=-=-=-=-=-=-
VIA KB9BVN

Brian Murrey - KB9BVN
IN-ARRL Bulletin Manager
317-535-9887
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575. Radio Scanning Info

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-30 02:26:49 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 575 Message: 575

I know some of the Members also enjoy the Scanning Hobby the Best site for info I have found is

http://www.radioreference.com/

It is Free and Now scan America has Joined, But if You do decide to join and support a lot of Good things can be had Example My Uniden 246 T Scanner , I just go to the Site Search My area the Highlight and Actually upload it to My Scanner with all the Freqs , Alpha Tags Etc can You imagine doing that by hand

Below is their Latest Newsletter

http://www.radioreference.com/newsletter/20090628.htm

Happy Scanning

PS If You have a Scanner and Need Freqs for Your area , This is the Place to find it

Don KA9QJG

576. A Blast from the Past

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-06-30 02:34:41 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 576 Message: 576

A Blast from the Past, Yes I know this is Way off topic But I think it worthwhile to Share with some of our Older Members Who might like it and still remember the good ol days

Enjoy http://www.billsretroworld.com/index.htm

Don KA9QJG

577. Mission Critical Mag 1 July 09

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-01 18:08:44 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 577 Message: 577

FYI

Communications Mag I get , Great to keep up to date in This Wonderful Communications hobby

Enjoy http://mccmag.com/SubscribeEmail/ONL.cfm

Don KA9QJG

578. Cebiksite The New Issue for July 2009 is Published

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-01 21:24:48 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 578 Message: 578

FYI

Lots of Great Ant Info

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS I"Am not a Paid Member lots of good info for Free I have No idea what more one would get I just post in case other Members would be interested

To the Announcement List:

Folks:
The New Issue for July 2009 is Published.

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If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue #147 for the month of July 2009 is now ready to read at your pleasure!

Whether you are a paid subscriber or not, there are always several new articles and other downloads made freely available in the Guest Rooms each month. Ham WorkShop column has a new one this month.

Here is a brief list of things provided from our web sites:
antenneX Preview Articles: FREE 180 articles antenneX Guest Rooms: FREE 300+ articles
Cebik Site: FREE 800 articles (520 are antenneX articles) ---
TOTAL FREE articles 1280 articles (10 years worth of antenneX
subscriptions)

The subscriber reading rooms contain ~1600+ articles for a total of nearly 3000.

The URLs to the above are:
http://www.antennex.com/preview/index.htm
http://www.antennex.com/guests.html
http://www.cebik.com
http://www.antennex.com/premium.html

To subscribe to Premium Paid areas:
http://www.antennex.com/signup.htm

Also, the above Guest Rooms contain tons of FREE software, including hundreds of modeling files, design programs, utilities, etc. and about 15,000 useful postings from our forums over the past
12 years online.

Please go to our Announcements Page for more info & the various Links:

http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html

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For lots of other good things like books, software, etc. -- more than 100 products:
http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm

Thanks for your time & hope to see you soon!

All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

579. KE4PM Freak accident claims life of Niles Ham

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-02 02:49:29 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 579 Message: 579

FYI

Even for the People who do this all the time as this Story goes it is Very dangerous Please be careful

RIP Our Group Prayers go out to the Family and Friends

73 De Don KA9QJG

By LOU MUMFORD
South Bend Tribune Staff Writer

NILES ☐ Despite his pursuit of a profession that involved scaling radio communications towers, some of them hundreds of feet high, Larry Prelog wasn't one to take risks, a family member and acquaintance said Tuesday.

That's why his death on Sunday at the Borgess Medical Center in Kalamazoo, a day after a tower collapsed during a Field Day competition near Watervliet, was so difficult to accept. Prelog's daughter, Mindy Bittle, of Akron, Ohio, said the 57-year-old Prelog had a 40-year background in telecommunications tower installations and had climbed towers as high as 500 feet.

Although he never discussed the dangers of his profession with his family, he didn't take chances when he was on a job, Bittle said.

"He was very meticulous about being safe," she said. "He didn't talk about the dangers. Why would he want us to worry?"

The competition he was involved in Saturday was nothing new, she added, pointing out he had taken part in the annual event for decades.

Contrary to the impression some might have, Matt Severin, public information officer for the Blossomland Amateur Radio Association, said Field Day is not about who climbs towers the fastest. Instead, it involves amateur radio operators who attempt to position equipment on towers that result in the most radio contacts over a 24-hour period.

"The antenna installation, there's no competition in putting those up. We set those up on Friday night or Saturday morning," he said. "Larry was a very particular, safety-type person. He always made sure things were done properly and safely."

The tower Prelog was on was 30 feet high, not 60 feet as stated in initial reports, Severin said. He said the accident occurred when the lower portion of the tower collapsed.

"This was an accident, a tragic freak accident," he said. "The tower essentially folded at the base."

Prelog had been a ham radio operator since his teenage years, his daughter said. A telecommunications specialist, he worked most recently for Lakeland Regional Health Care System, she said.

Prelog's wife of 22 years, Tammy, wasn't at the competition when the tower collapsed but his son, Larry Michael Grant, of Niles, was there, Bittle said. In addition to his wife, Bittle and Grant, he's survived by another daughter, Melissa Kemp, of Sarasota, Fla., and another son, Kenneth Ryan, of Niles. Sisters Donna VanDevander, of Soddy Daisy, Tenn., and Debra Candy, of Battle Creek, Mich., also survive, along with two grandsons.

"He was the best man I ever knew," Bittle said. "He loved his family, radio, gadget stuff, reading, cartoons. ... "

Services will be at 1 p.m. today at the Pioneer Memorial Church on the campus of Andrews University in Berrien Springs. Prelog had a close working relationship with the university, Bittle said.

"He was one of their video guys," she said.

Services are in the charge of Legacy Family Funeral Services, the Matthew R. Purchase Chapel, in Berrien Springs.

Larry Michael Prelog

NILES - Larry Michael Prelog, 57, of Niles passed to his rest on June 28, 2009, surrounded by his loving family.

A funeral service celebrating his life will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, July 1, at Pioneer Memorial Church preceded by a visitation at noon with the family one hour prior to the service at the church. Friends may also leave messages for the family at www.legacy funeral.com. Interment will take place at Rose Hill Cemetery. Legacy Family Funeral Services - Matthew R. Purchase Chapel, Berrien Springs is serving the family.

Larry was born April 14, 1952, in Madison, Tenn., to Zora Belle Meadows Prelog of Paris, Ill., and Michael David Prelog of Youngstown, Ohio. On April 19, 1987, he married Tammy Sammons in Avon Park, Fla. Most recently, Larry had been working as a telephone systems administrator and with TV cables at Andrews University and as a telecommunications technician for Lakeland Regional Health Care System.

Larry was a member of the Niles Seventh-day Adventist Church. His hobbies as a "Mr. Fix-it" man included electronic repairs, car and motorcycle repairs, piloting airplanes, fishing, reading, swimming, scuba diving, astronomy and HAM "KE4PM" mobile monitoring. Larry had been an avid HAM radio operator from his teenage years. Larry's enjoyment of life and HAM radio broadcasting led to his untimely death when a tower he was working on collapsed.

Larry was a loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle and dear friend. He is survived by his wife, Tammy Sammons Prelog; two daughters, Mindy (Matt) Bittle of Akron, Ohio, and Melissa (Matt) Kemp of Sarasota, Fla.; two sons, Larry Michael Grant and Kenneth Ryan, both of Niles; two sisters, Donna (Bob) VanDevander of Soddy Daisy, Tenn., and Debra (Tom) Candy of Battle Creek, Mich.; two grandsons, Wyatt Bittle and Matthew Kemp; and many loving nieces and nephews.

Larry was preceded in death by his parents, Zora Belle Prelog and Michael D. Prelog, his sister, Judith Lynn Herzel, and two stillborn infants.

Larry sleeps in the hope of the soon second coming of Christ.

580. Antenna Test

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-03 23:20:30 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 580 Message: 580

I RECEIVED THIS ON A LOCAL EMAIL REFLECTOR...
THOUGHT THE CQCQCQ GROUP MIGHT BE
INTERESTED... ===== JAMES - K8JHR =====

Ben - DL6FBL SAYS =

I have created a quick and dirty webpage with more
information on our
upcoming antenna test this Saturday from 21:00 ? 21:10z on
20 meters.
If you are preferably located in North America, and have
time in this
timeframe, please have a look to the webpage and join us for
the test.

http://www.dr1a.com/20m-antenna-test.html

(Of course we are also happy about reports from other
continents,
but antenna direction and propagation will favor North America?)

Please feel free to spread this information.

Thank you,

73 Ben
DL6FBL

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581. RE: [CQCQCQ] Antenna Test

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-03 23:51:29 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 580 Message: 581

Richards , Thanks for posting this info , While I "Am taking up bandwidth I would like to wish all the Members and Families A Safe and Great Independence Day Holiday

And to the Non USA Members We also wish Everyone the best

73 De Don KA9QJG

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582. OT Broke and Fixed

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-04 05:22:17 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 582 Message: 582

Below is some info on a Little Project I Worked on , I thought I would post it here too , When We are not sure on any device what type of plug and Size , If You do what I did by just trying one until it fits and In My case I damaged the device I was lucky to fix it

Don KA9QJG

Sent: Friday, July 3, 2009 2:31:05 PM
Subject: RE: [BC246T] Charging Ckt

I did some testing and repaired the Radio Uniden 246 T Scanner

Here was the problem I thought I would post it in case someone else might make the same mistake I did.

The radio is out of warranty and has always worked great , I wanted to make My own DC Auto adapter So last night I had went to Radio Shack looking for the DC Plug to fit the Radio I had everything else .

Well if anyone has been to radio shack they have in a Bundle about 20 Different Plugs with cables to determine which one is right for the Radio, Well some are very close So I was just pushing them in and trying to find the right one, Well in doing that I had Accidently without knowing pushed Hard and the Gnd inside the radio from the Plug came unsoldered.

I bought the right Plug came home and Put it on my homemade Auto adapter 6 Volt at 500 Miils

Well I tested it with the Fluke Digital Meter the Polarity and Voltage was good so I plugged it in. NO Smoke the Battery Icon was still flashing and beeping. So I thought I had burnt the Radio up.

But after Justin told Me it should work without the Batteries , I Got out My big Mag Light and took the Radio apart I found the Gnd side of the Plug had come unsoldered , So I re soldered it Put it back together and It works Fine with the ac Adapter and My Homemade one for the Car .

At My age I don't see or Solder as good as I use to So My advice is unless You are Familiar with SMD Work and all the precautions don't do it .

Don't be cheap like me buy the Factory Adapter.

Thanks for the Help

Great Little Scanner

Don KA9QJG

FYI (for others on the list), the correct RS Adaptaplug is "B" or 4.0mm outer diameter, 1.7mm inner diameter. Information obtained from:

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Adaptaplug#RadioShack_Adaptaplug_Conversion_Matrix

583. Re: [CQCQCQ] OT Broke and Fixed

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-04 12:57:59 UTC
From: Jack
Topic: 582 Message: 583

Hello Don,

Thanks for posting the info about coaxial power connectors. The Wikipedia link is very useful and I have already bookmarked it for future reference.

73,
Jack
N3JLW

584. Space Weather News for July 4, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-05 19:20:18 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 584 Message: 584

FYI

Hope Everyone had a Safe 4 Th , Looks like the band may be getting Better, But I have seen this also cause bad conditions too. You have to dig the Weak signals out of the noise

73 De Don

KA9QJG

Space Weather News for July 4, 2009

http://spaceweather.com

The sun is putting on its own 4th of July fireworks show. A new sunspot is rapidly emerging in the sun's southern hemisphere and it is crackling with B-class solar flares. The magnetic polarity of sunspot 1024 identifies it as a member of new Solar Cycle 24. It appears to be the best offering yet of the young solar cycle. Check http://spaceweather.com for images and updates.

585. Indy Ham Fest this weekend, July 11th. 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-05 19:38:06 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 585 Message: 585

FYI

I happened to Be in Indy last Yr with My 13 Yr Old at Riley Children's Hosp , Highly Recommended . Anyway the Dr Visit was on a Sat So We stayed all night and Went to the Hamfest it had rained all Morning , But I was not to Impressed But as everyone know Most of them have changed since I started going 40 yrs ago I did Attend the In Repeater Council Meeting , Because I have two Repeaters 224.740 and 444.750 All Motorola , and I Do believe in supporting the ones that Help us ,

Heard a rumor R&L May not show up

73 De Don

KA9QJG

http://www.IndyHamFest.com

and the PDF flyer from that website.

Location: CAMP SERTOMA, US Highway 52 East (aka Brookville Rd)
at the intersection of German Church Road.
Indianapolis, IN. Lat/Long COORDINATES, 39-44-21 N, 085-58-16 W.

Tickets: $8/person at gate, $6/person in advance. See below, or
flyer on web site for stores that sell advance tickets. Parking
(ON GRASS) is included in the price of ticket. Children under
12 admitted free. FREE ADMISSION TO ALL ACTIVE MILITARY IN UNIFORM.

(SPECIAL PAVED HANDICAPPED PARKING AREA.)

Major Prizes for 2009: Yaesu FT 450 HF + 6m, Yaesu FT 7800R Dual-Band Mobile, Yaesu VX-150 2m Portable. (One chance per ticket.)

Hours:
Flea Market, 6 AM to 3 PM.
Commercial vendors, 7 AM to 3 PM.
License Testing, 9 AM to 11 AM.

COMMERCIAL BUILDING: $40/table.
Fully Air Conditioned, Drape Backdrops, Free Electrical power,
Doors open at 6a.m. for setup, Customers allowed in at 7a.m.

COVERED TABLESPACE: $15/table (8 ft).
Over 120 tables, large commercial tent, electric available,
setup opens Fri. @ 4p.m. all on grass.

(My note: not all the covered tables sold last year, so you still
should be able to reserve a table this week, and likely will

be able to just show up and purchase tablespace the day of.)

TAILGATE SELLING:
Large grass area, $5 fee per VEHICLE,
First Come basis, Setup starts Fri. @ 4p.m., Clean out the shack.

LICENSE TESTING will be offered OFF-SITE during
the show from 9 AM to Noon. Walk-ins are always
welcome. A shuttle service will be provided.
All applicants must have a photo ID. License upgrade
applicants must bring their original license
and a copy, plus any CSCEs. For complete details
visit the Hamfest website.

Forums:
Here are some of the ones we have scheduled.
9 a.m. D-STAR FORUM
10 a.m. DX FORUM
11 a.m. COMBINED MARS MEETING
12 p.m. INDIANA RADIO CLUB COUNCIL
1 p.m. INDIANA REPEATER COUNCIL
Meetings are always open to everyone!
(programs subject to change)

No food or drinks may be sold or used as a promotional item.
Absolutely no firearms or alcohol permitted on the grounds.
All pets must be on a leash.
Cash prize awarded to non-ham winners.

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July 11, 2009: Gates open at 6 AM EDT.

PLEASE NOTE: Our Friday evening setup times will be
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R & L Electronics, 1315 Maple Ave., Hamilton, OH.
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MAI Prime Parts, 5736 N. Michigan Rd., Indpls, IN.
(317) 257-6811, www.primeparts.net

Meunier Electronics, 3409 E. Washington St., Indpls, IN. 317-635-3511

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586. RAIN Report This Week: Wed Jul 8, 2009 10:27 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-09 03:28:56 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 586 Message: 586

FYI

73 De Don

KA9QJG

Kermit Carlson, W9XA, tells you why you should come to Chicago to attend the July 23-26 Central States VHF conference. (13 minutes)

http://www.therainreport.com/rainreport_archive/rainreport-6-26-2009.mp3

587. K9TRG Art Housholder Silent Key

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-10 07:42:02 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 587 Message: 587

Many on this Group knew or have heard of Art I recall going to Spectronics over 35 yrs ago and digging through all the boxes of Old Motorola Parts , I Finally found a Xtal trimmer for a old Tube type Motorola receiver on 42.42 ,

When I went to Pay I Met Art and He told Me 25 Cents and What was My Ham call , Well I did not have one at that time , And He said well since it is for a receiver and You came all the here from Indiana I will let You get it this time but get Your Ham Lic and rest is History

I know He worked With Lefty at MDM http://www.mdmradio.com/

And Bob at http://www.theportableclinic.com/

They were making Scanning Radios and Repeaters out of Motorola Equipment before Most of us was Born

Our Thought and Prayers go out to His family and Friends Don KA9QJG

It is with deep regret that I report the death of Mr. Art Housholder, K9TRG. Art was proprietor of Spectronics Inc of Oak Park, IL for many years during the 1970s! He sold used Motorola gear to hams in those early days of amateur repeater development

Arthur E. Housholder a longtime resident of Elk Grove Village A memorial service for Arthur E. Housholder, 82, will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, July 11, at St. Michael the Archangel Cemetery, Palatine. Mr. Housholder passed away Tuesday, July 7, 2009, at Alexian Brothers Medical Center. Art Housholder, like a select few of the kids of his generation, was bitten by the amateur radio bug, and became seriously infected at K9RTG. And what could be more fun than running a ham radio store* In the late 1960s his store, Spectronics, was a Chicago center for a new amateur radio technology called repeaters ... a technology that would help change the whole world as cell phones ... bringing personal communications to over two billion people. Amateurs, frustrated by the limited line-of-sight range of their little hand-talkies, began putting automatic relaying stations atop tall buildings and mountains, giving them a hundred or more miles range instead of a mile or two. And Art was one of the leaders of the revolution by using his close contacts with Motorola to convince them to pioneer the cell phone industry, where they are still a major player. He was also awarded as a member of the Circumnavigators Club, an exclusive international organization open only to people who have voyaged around the world, crossing every meridian, in a single trip. Members include the likes of Neil Armstrong, Sally Ride and Walter L. Cronkite. He was the beloved husband of Ada; loving father of Anne Marie, Ann Cristine, Bob/Mary, Steve/Faye Marie and Gary/Mary; proud grandfather of Matt, Mark, Julie, Andy and Katrina; great-grandfather of Hunter, Brook and Kira; fond brother of Alice O'Day; and close friend of Wayne Green, Dick McKay, Frank Mercurio and Dave Zatler. For more information, call Elegy Cremation and Memorial Services, 877-565-7070.

Link to Sign On Line Book

http://www.legacy.com/gb2/default.aspx?bookid=4578564640112

588. Circuit Stickers

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-10 18:58:06 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 588 Message: 588

I got the Below E-Mail from a Friend And Had No idea what the heck was a Circuit Sticker , So I looked at the Links , this is useful for Building Projects So I thought would share the info to the group

Enjoy

73 De Don KA9QJG

I will be at the Indy hamfest tomorrow selling Circuit Stickers.
http://www.indianakits.com
http://www.indyhamfest.com/

I will be at table A10 in the commercial building, the one that's air-conditioned and in out of the rain.

Circuit Stickers are applied to either perf board, a solderless breadboard, or bare copper. Here are some links to some examples.
http://www.indianakits.com/csrx01/
http://www.indianakits.com/csugly01/
http://www.indianakits.com/cscpo01/

Please stop by my table and have a look.

Thanks,

Jim, WD9EYB

589. DX Link

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-11 19:54:45 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 589 Message: 589

FYI

For all You DX Fans here is a Nice link sent to me by our Member Bob KA9AQZ

Enjoy http://www.ng3k.com/misc/adxo.html

73 De Don KA9QJG

590. Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Link

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-12 01:16:43 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 589 Message: 590

Wow... that is most topical and timely !

Thanks.

========== K8JHR ==========

Don wrote:
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> Enjoy http://www.ng3k.com/misc/adxo.html
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591. CQ Worldwide VHF Contest: 1800Z, Jul 18 to 2100Z, Jul 19

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-13 18:00:56 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 591 Message: 591

CQWW Vhf contest 6/2m

CQ Worldwide VHF Contest: 1800Z, Jul 18 to 2100Z, Jul 19

This is a big contest for me so Look for me, Kb9ygd in the cw portion of
6m if it opens.. between 50.086 and 50.100 or somewhere up from 50.125
and +- 144.208 cw/ssb. N [O:)]
Mode: Any Bands: 6, 2m Classes: Single Op All Band
Single Op All Band QRP
Single Op Single Band
Hilltopper: Single Op QRP Portable (6hrs)
Multi-Op
Rover Exchange: 4-character grid square Work stations: Once per
band QSO Points: 1 point per 6m QSO
2 points per 2m QSO Multipliers: Each grid square once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: September 1, 2009 E-mail logs to:
cqvhf[at]cqww-vhf[dot]com Mail logs to: CQ VHF Contest
25 Newbridge Road
Hicksville, NY 11801
USA Find rules at:
http://www.cq-amateur-radio.com/VHF%20Contest%20Rules%20200843008.pdf
<http://www.cq-amateur-radio.com/VHF%20Contest%20Rules%20200843008.pdf>

592. RACES Excerise turns into real thing

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-14 06:28:55 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 592 Message: 592

Here is a report that I received today from a Ham friend showing Amateurs are Ready to Serve in an emergency. No where in this report do you read that a Ham ran for cover or took off and abandoned the position they were assigned. We hear a lot of bad things sometimes but it is great to read something like this

We need to congratulate the Amateurs involved in this Exercise that became a Real Situation.

And we should all be proud of the BRAVE Amateurs that remained and kept control of the situations going around them.
Sorry if it is a little Off topic

Don KA9QJG

TO:
John M. Poindexter

I wanted you know what an outstanding job amateurs did this past weekend.
I was proud of them.

On Sunday, July 12, 2009 a joint training exercise with LaPorte County and Porter County RACES teams was held at the annual FireWorks display in Michigan City, Indiana, from 11:00 - 23:00 CDT.

Team members set up three information centers so that the public could report any problems. RACES members would then relay that information using amateur radio to the IDHS Incident Command Unit that was staged near the park.

The RACES team had a quiet day relaying information of lost children to minor medical needs of Band-Aids.

That all changed when the fire works started and shots were fired in the large crowd, directly in front of one the information stations manned by the RACES Team members. RACES quickly forwarded the call to the Incident Command were Police in the park quickly responded. With crowds estimated over ten thousand, suddenly people were running everywhere, creating mass confusion. During this mass exit, several fights broke out, and RACES members were able to relay the locations of the fights to the Incident Command. During a the mass exit, one pregnant women was trampled by the crowds, and started to go into labor. A RACES Team member came to her aide calling the Incident Command for ambulance. Because of the large crowds, Incident Command dispatched Life Guards to assist until EMS could arrive. At last report, the excepting mother was doing OK..

RACES and amateur radio provided real time information as the events unfolded which enabled police and other emergency personnel to respond quickly to the exact locations needed.

Ken Osborne, N9ZIP
RACES Officer LaPorte County

ARRL Indiana Section
Section Manager: John M. Poindexter, W3ML
w3ml@...

593. Re: [CQCQCQ] RACES Excerise turns into real thing

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-14 20:06:50 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 592 Message: 593

Nice story. Close enough to topic for me.

========== James - K8JHR ==========

Don wrote:
> Here is a report that I received today from a Ham friend
showing Amateurs are Ready to Serve in an emergency.

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594. Mission Critical Mag Wed Jul 15, 2009 12:35 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-15 17:40:37 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 594 Message: 594

FYI

Good informative Communications Mag I get

Enjoy http://mccmag.com/SubscribeEmail/ONL.cfm

PS If someone dos Not want Me to post this Please let Me know too

Don KA9QJG

595. Central Illinois Balloon Launch, Saturday, 7/18 @ 8:50 am

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-16 18:14:19 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 595 Message: 595

FYI

I always wanted to go out in the woods and do this

73 De Don KA9QJG

QSO Opportunity with High Altitude Balloon Flight Saturday, 18 July 2009

As part of SpaceJam-3(www.spacejamboree.com),
DePauw University(www.depauw.edu/acad/physics/base) will be flying a cross band repeater to allow the Scouts at the Jamboree to talk with ground stations from a large area of the central portion of the United States.

Launch will occur at 13:50 UT (8:50 am Central Daylight Time) from Rantoul, IL (40.29 N, 88.14 W) The target ascent rate will be 1000 feet/min.

APRS information will be sent over 144.39 MHz every minute under the call sign, W9YJ-11.

The helium filled balloon will reach a float altitude of 70000 feet (21.5km) about 15:00 UT and will attempt to float at this altitude for about three hours. During this time the balloon should travel slowly to the NW from about 40.0N & 87.8W to 40.1 N & 88.1 W. The descent will begin about 18:00 UT on a slowly deflating balloon with landing about 19:30 UT.

The uplink frequency on the radio will be 144.36 MHz, and the downlink frequency will be 446.025 MHz.

The Scouts will be using the call sign WB9SA. If you have a chance to contact the station, the Scouts will be thrilled to make the contact! You may also attempt to use the repeater for a long distance Earth-Balloon-Earth contact with hams from larger distances.

Thanks to Howard Brooks, KC9QBN, Professor of Physics & Astronomy at DePauw University, W9YJ for making this happen!!!

If you are in the IL/IN area you might catch ATV from our first balloon going up (100,000 ft) at 8:20 AM CDT Saturday from Rantoul IL 430 Mhz, with a CW call "DE WB9SA"

A big thank you, to all the hams radio operators making www.spacejamboree.com the coolest Scout Technology event in the Central USA!!!!! THANK YOU Howard! Thank you VCARA, ARISS, ARRL Foundation Contributors, NASA, Richard Garriott, West Mountain Radio, PolyCom, 323.tv, Mike and Dave (our welders) and DePauw University.

73, and Make it a Tremendous Day,

Brian K Walker
K9BKW
WB9SA Trustee
Space Jam Technologist
Space Jam is a BSA Troop 17 / Crew 272 production

596. Central States VHF Conference, Elk Grove Village, IL, July 23 - 25

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-16 22:07:31 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 596 Message: 596

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Central States VHF Conference, Elk Grove Village, IL, July 23 - 25

http://www.csvhfs.org/conference/index.html

Note: The conference was last in the Chicago area in 1989 so you won't want to miss it this year!!

597. Walter L Cronkite Jr, KB2GSD SK

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-18 02:48:11 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 597 Message: 597

We lost a pioneer in Radio Broadcasting, Walter Cronkite Jr. He was also a Ham KB2GSD I always recall him ending the News by saying and that's the way it is.

May He rest in Peace

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Walter_Cronkite

Don KA9QJG

598. Re: Central Illinois Balloon Launch, Saturday, 7/18 @ 8:50 am

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-20 06:00:53 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 595 Message: 598

I was actually at this Hamfest and forgot about this , I had No idea that the audio being played was from it

PS I wished I had stayed home and tracked it

73 De Don KA9QJG

Below is From the Hams who did it Congratulations for a Job well done

Thanks to all that worked the Space Jam-3 Balloon Saturday...

The Cross band repeater was in almost continuous use throughout the high altitude portion of the ascent. Contacts covered great distances with one earth balloon earth contact going between Walbridge OH and Mexico MO (470+ miles). The balloon made it to 99,300 and burst (we planned to float it, but it just kept going up and up).

We didn't get the ATV to work (we will do it next year at Space Jam 4, Aug 7-9th 2010).

A special thanks to the Vermilion County Amateur Radio Association, Dave Cline KB9ZMF (and David KC9HZN) lead the charge! Josh Kittle, N9WEW and Jim Kiser, KB9AZA ran the Radio Merit Badge. Dave said he thought he had 200 Scouts on the radio Saturday! And DePauw University's Howard Brooks KC9QBN.

Space Jam is about Scouts getting into technology!!! Hope you caught our ARISS contact Sunday (10:55 CDT), with Robert Thirsk VA3CSA (just after BSA!), thanks to Charlie Sufana AJ9N, for help and putting the Audio of the contact on the Kankakee Area RS Hamfest in Peotone IL's event PA system!

Brian Walker
K9BWK
WB9SA trustee
Space Jam Technologist

599. Launch to the Moon

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-21 16:36:50 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 599 Message: 599

I had this sent to me by My Brother Ret AF , I really enjoyed watching it and Listening to the Communications and seeing how much has changed now it sure brought back a lot of Memories of The Space Program , This being the 40 Th Anniversary of the Moon landing

Some of the Older Members will recall like Me just setting and listening to the audio it was a Big thing , a few Ham repeaters were rebroadcasting it That sure put the repeaters to a test to see how well they were made .

That was one of the questions on the Exam when is it legal to rebroadcast Music in Ham radio , and of course when it is from NASA

It looks like it came from the JFK Library and it is interactive Which means We can move it to different parts .

I thought I would also share the link

Enjoy http://wechoosethemoon.org/

http://www.nasa.gov/

Don KA9QJG

600. Re: Launch to the Moon

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-21 16:58:00 UTC
From: Bill
Topic: 599 Message: 600

When this happened I was out of the country, participating in the South East Asia war games. We didn't hear much about it. We had
armed forces Vietnam tv and radio but didn't pay much attention to it.

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Don" <KA9QJG@...> wrote:
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> Don KA9QJG
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601. Central States VHF Conf - Starts Tomorrow, Thursday, 7/23, Elk Grove Village Il

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-22 18:44:03 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 601 Message: 601

FYI If You want to learn more about UHF/VHF Etc this might be a Great Conference to attend

Enjoy

Don KA9QJG

The Central States VHF Society Conference - 2009
starts tomorrow at the Elk Grove Village Holiday Inn,
Elk Grove Village, Illinois.

The gathering begins with a Pig Roast and Hospital
Suites on Thursday night. Friday morning will begin
the two full days of technical activities including
the measurements contests on Antenna Range and
with the Amplifier Gain and Noise figures. This
is followed by the Friday Luncheon where
Speaker Marshal Williams, K5QE, will present on the
"K5N - The 6-meter Grid Expedition to EL55 "

Technical Presentations begin shortly after the
noon hour on Friday. Presenters for this year's
Conference and their topics include;

Dennis Motschenbacher, K7BV, 6-meter K7BV Caribe 2009 - 5J0BV
Arliss Thompson, W7XU, 6-meter TZ6EI Mali DXpedition
Bill Davis, K0AWU, SoftRock Software Defined Radios (SDRs)
Chuck Clark, AF8Z, Low Noise VCO Tips
Melvin B. Graves, WR0I, Low Cost High Performance RF Power Meter
Steve Kostro, N2CEI, A Multi-purpose Microwave Signal Source
Chuck Clark, AF8Z Power FET Supply
Greg Jurrens, WD0ACD, Flex-VU - FlexRadio 5000VHF/UHF Transverter
Kevin Kaufhold,W9GKA, Cyclical Trends in VHF Contesting
Todd Sprinkmann, KC9BQA, Increasing Activity Levels on the VHF/UHF Bands
John Kalenowsky, K9JK, History of the VHF/UHF Spring Sprints
VUAC A VUAC Panel Discussion - VHF/UHF Contesting
Al Ward, W5LUA, Getting Started on 13 cm EME
Russell Dwarshuis, KB8U An Automated Digital TV Propagation Logger
Gould Smith,W A4SXM, AMSAT's SuitSat-2

The Technical Portion of the Conference winds down with a
special Presentation for the entire Family;

Rod Blocksome, K0DAS The Search for Amelia Earhart

The Saturday Evening Banquet concludes the offical Conference
activities. ARRL President and Central States Society member

Mr Joel Harrison, W5ZN, is the Keynote speaker for this event.

The Central States VHF Conference is an excellent opportunity for Hams not yet involved in VHF/UHF Weak Signal activity to explore the possibilities that this exciting portion of the Amateur Radio hobby offers. Saturday there is an introductory Weak-Signal all day presentation called VHF-101 where the techniques of operating and building an VHF/UHF station will be explained, along with an antenna workshop where participants will construct working UHF yagi antennas. This all-day presentation and afternoon workshop are available for $10 admission.

Conference registration is available at the Door for $50 plus $5 and some last-minute seating is available for the Thursday Evening Pig Roast, Friday Luncheon and the Saturday Awards Banquet.

Please visit the Society website for more information;

http://www.csvhfs.org/conference/index.html
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602. 2009 ARRL August UHF Contest Rules

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-24 19:34:42 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 602 Message: 602

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/uhf.html

2009 ARRL August UHF Contest Rules
General Rules
Rules ☐ 2009 ARRL August UHF Contest
1. Object: To work as many amateur stations in as many 2 degrees by 1 degrees grid squares as possible using authorized amateur frequencies above 222 MHz and all authorized modes of emission.
2. Date and Contest Period: First full weekend of August. Begins 1800 UTC Saturday, ends 1800 UTC Sunday (August 1-2, 2009). Entrants may use as much of this time as they wish.
3. Entry Categories:
1. 3.1 Single Operator ☐ Low Power
2. 3.2 Single Operator ☐ High Power
3. 3.3. Rover: A rover is comprised of no more than two operators that moves among two or more grid squares during the course of a contest. An operator may perform any or all rover functions, but a driver's function shall be limited to driving the vehicle. Drivers may be switched out during the event. Any number of observers is also allowed, however observers may not perform any rover function at any time.. Rover vehicles with only one occupant are allowed to perform all functions listed above.
1. 3.3.1.A rover vehicle may transport only one station using a single call sign. An exception is provided for in "General Rules for All ARRL Contests" number 3.5 (Family Rule).
2. 3.3.2. A rover may not operate with more than one call sign.
3. 3.3.3. Rover vehicles must transport all the equipment, power supplies, and antennas used at each operating site.
4. 3.3.4. Rovers MUST sign "rover" on Phone and /R on CW and digital modes after their call sign.
5. 3.3.5. All Rovers are encouraged to adopt operating practices that allow as many stations as possible to contact them.
6. 3.3.6. Rover operators may submit separate logs for single operator (fixed station) in addition to their rover entries. Rovers submitting a score for inclusion in a club competition must also include a secondary summary sheet indicating the portion of the score that counts for the club score if any of the QSOs submitted take place outside of their club's territory.
7. 3.3.7. Rovers are permitted to use APRS. Rovers using APRS transmit only their call sign and position. Any multi-op station may access rover APRS data directly or via the Internet.
8. 3.3.8. A rover may not make more than 100 QSOs with any other one rover.
4. 3.4. Limited Rover. Limited Rover. Same as the "Rover" class above, but operation is permitted only on the 222 MHz, 432 MHz, 903 MHz and 1296 MHz bands. Output power limits shall be the same as those defined for the Single Operator Low Power category.
5. 3.5. Unlimited Rover. Same as "Rover" class above, but Unlimited Rovers may use more than two operators and are exempt from rules 3.3.3 and 3.3.8.
6. 3.6. Multioperator.
4. Exchange: Grid-square locator (see April 1994 QST, page 86 or www.arrl.org/locate/gridinto.html).
1. 4.1 Exchange of signal report is optional.
5. Scoring:
1. 5.1 QSO points:

1. 5.1.1 Count three points for each complete 222- or 432-MHz QSO.
2. 5.1.2 Count six points for each complete 902- or 1296-MHz QSO.
3. 5.1.3 Count 12 points for each 2.3-GHz (or higher) QSO.
2. 5.2 Multiplier: The total number of different grid squares worked per band. Each 2 degree by 1 degree grid square counts as one multiplier on each band it is worked.
3. 5.3 Final score: Multiply the total number of QSO points from all bands operated by the total number of multipliers for final score. Example: W1AW works W3CCX in FN20 on 222, 432 and 1296 MHz. This gives W1AW 12 QSO points (3 + 3 + 6) and also three grid-square multipliers. Final score is 12 QSO points X 3 multipliers, or 36.
4. 5.4 Rovers only: The final score consists of the total number of QSO points from all bands times the sum of unique multipliers (grid squares) worked per band (regardless of which grid square they were made in) plus one additional multiplier for every grid square activated (made a contact from).
1. 5.4.1 Rovers are listed in the contest score listings under the Division from which the most QSOs were made.
6. Miscellaneous:
1. 6.1 Partial QSOs do not count. Both callsigns, full exchanges and acknowledgment must be sent and received.
2. 6.2 A transmitter, receiver or antenna used to contact one or more stations under one call sign may not be used subsequently during the contest period under any other call sign (with the exception of family stations). The intent of this rule is to accommodate family members who must share a rig, not to manufacture artificial contacts.
3. 6.3 All equipment and antennas used by entrants must be owned and operated by amateurs. Use of non-amateur owned gear is not prohibited, but use of such equipment places the entrant in a separate category, ineligible for awards.
4. 6.4 Contacts made by re-transmitting either or both stations, whether by satellite or terrestrial means, are prohibited. Frequencies regularly occupied by a repeater in a locality may not be used for contest work, even if the repeater is turned off.
7. Awards: Certificates will be awarded in the following categories:
1. 7.1 Top single-operator High and Low power score in each ARRL Division.
2. 7.2 Top single operator High and Low power score on each band (222, 432, 902, 1296 and 2304-and-up categories) in each ARRL Division where significant effort or competition is evidenced. (Note: Since the highest score per band will be the award winner for that band, an entrant may win a certificate with additional single-band achievement stickers.) For example, if W1AW has the highest single-operator multi-band score in the Atlantic Division and his 432-MHz score is higher than any other Atlantic Division single-operator's, he will earn both a certificate for being the single-operator Division leader and an endorsement sticker for 432 MHz.
3. 7.3 Top multi-operator score in each ARRL Division where significant effort or competition is evidenced. (Multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)
Additional certificates may be awarded where significant effort or competition is evidenced.
8. Submission: Deadline for submission of entries for this contest is 1800z Monday, September 1, 2009.
1. 8.1 Paper logs and properly completed summary sheets should be mailed to: August UHF Contest, ARRL. 225 Main Street, Newington, CT 06111.
2. 8.2 Cabrillo formatter logs should be emailed to AugustUHF@...
3. 8.3 Participants may submit using the Web Applet at www.b4h.net/cabforms .
4. 8.4 Entries postmarked or email dated after the deadline may only be considered checklogs.
Other: See "General Rules for All ARRL Contests" and "General Rules for ARRL Contests on bands above 50 MHz (VHF)" November 2001 QST. These are also available at the Contest Branch Website at: http://www.arrl.org/contests .Questions regarding this contest should be emailed to contests@... . Only use the contest-name email for submission of entries. All contest forms and rules may be downloaded at: http://www.arrl.org/contests/forms/

603. Reminder Hamfest Peotone Il 75 th Anniversary 9 Aug 09

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-26 21:01:56 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 603 Message: 603

FYI

Just a reminder and this one allegedly is better than the one we just had in July so I have been told. That one was pretty good.

Note as You know this is at the County Fairgrounds and the use rooms that had Displays Cows , Chickens and Many more Including Hogs/ Pigs Now none of the Names should be linked to anyone in Ham Radio we know .

As you know I like Anything Motorola Well in the Pig/Swine Barn a guy had a lot of Old Motorola Equipment so I spent a lot of time looking around and going back .

Well Monday when I got up I was surprised to see what I looked like I hope ot is not the Symptoms of Swine Flu

73 De Don KA9QJG

[SwineFluPic-1.jpg picture by KA9QJG]

9 Aug 2009 + 75th Anniversary Hamfest

Hamfesters Radio Club

http://www.hamfesters.org <http://www.hamfesters.org/>

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Hazel Crest, IL 60429

Phone: 708-335-4574

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Email: kw_nelson@earthlink.net <mailto:kw_nelson@...>

Peotone, IL

Will County Fairgrounds

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604. Ham Helping Vets

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-28 20:27:31 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 604 Message: 604

I know is a little off topic but a Great story of a Local Ham WB9SLW in My area that Moved to Florida and is Helping out Vets .

Enjoy http://tinyurl.com/nh26lg

http://www.mikehalley.com/

73 De Don KA9QJG

605. Narrowbanding Guide

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-29 06:58:20 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 605 Message: 605

This helped Me understand Narrowbanding a little Better and I thought I would share the Info with
The Group

I put it in the Files Section

Happy Scanning

Don KA9QJG

606. New file uploaded to CQCQCQ

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-29 06:59:04 UTC
From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 606 Message: 606

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the CQCQCQ
group.

File : /Narrowbanding_for_Technicians.pdf
Uploaded by : ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...>
Description : Narrowbanding Guide

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/files/Narrowbanding_for_Technicians.pdf

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/l/us/yahoo/groups/original/general.htmlfiles

Regards,

ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...>

607. Mission Critical Mag Wed Jul 29, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-29 19:17:26 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 607 Message: 607

FYI

Helpful Communications Mag I get

Enjoy http://mccmag.com/SubscribeEmail/ONL.cfm

Don KA9QJG

608. 6 Meters open Wed Jul 29, 2009 5:58 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-29 23:00:04 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 608 Message: 608

FYI

6 Meters is open here in N/W Indiana near Chicago

Wed Jul 29, 2009 5:58 pm

73 De Don KA9QJG

609. RE: [CQCQCQ] 6 Meters open Wed Jul 29, 2009 5:58 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-07-29 23:33:01 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 608 Message: 609

I don't know about others on here , But many times I have had Ham Friends ask Me if I worked the Big band opening on 2 -220- 440 10 And 6 Which are bands that don't normally open up . And of course We are off doing something else and did not know they were open

So I think it would be OK Since a lot of use do spend time checking our E-Mail to post Band openings in Your area , That way if someone wanted to check out the Homemade Ant for 6 Etc . it Might be a good time

73 De Don

KA9QJG

PS I just set this group up for the Members With that said if the Majority dos not want this type of Info it will just go away too , it is the Members that make the group work not the Owners or Moderators who sometime it is only their way or the highway .

I have always Said it is Not the Class of lic a person has but the class of Person behind the Mic

FYI

6 Meters is open here in N/W Indiana near Chicago

Wed Jul 29, 2009 5:58 pm

73 De Don KA9QJG

610. AntenneX New Issue for August 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-01 22:50:03 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 610 Message: 610

FYI

Enjoy lots of good info

73 De Don KA9QJG

Folks:
The New Issue for August 2009 is Published.

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If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue #148 for the month of August 2009 is now ready to read at your pleasure!

Whether you are a paid subscriber or not, there are always several new articles and other downloads made freely available in the Guest Rooms each month. Ham WorkShop column has a new one this month about antenna designs.

Here is a brief list of things provided from our web sites:
antenneX Preview Articles: FREE 180 articles antenneX Guest Rooms: FREE 300+ articles
Cebik Site: FREE 800 articles (520 are antenneX articles) ---
TOTAL FREE articles 1280 articles (10 years worth of antenneX
subscriptions)

The subscriber reading rooms contain ~1600+ articles for a total of nearly 3000.

The URLs to the above are:
http://www.antennex.com/preview/index.htm
http://www.antennex.com/guests.html
http://www.cebik.com
http://www.antennex.com/premium.html

To subscribe to Premium Article Paid areas:
http://www.antennex.com/signup.htm

Also, the above Guest Rooms contain tons of FREE software, including hundreds of modeling files, design programs, utilities, etc. and about 15,000 useful postings from our forums over the past
12 years online.

Please go to our Announcements Page for more info & the various Links:

http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html

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For lots of other good things like books, software, etc. -- more than 100 products:
http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm

611. CHICAGO | Transmitting on Chicago Transit Authority freqs 300 Times

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-04 17:54:22 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 611 Message: 611

Sure glad He was not a Ham , or a Modified Ham Radio , We get enough of bad things already caused by some , I watched the Interview He claimed He did not know it was Wrong to use the Radio , One would think after being told many times to get off He would of figured it out He knew what He was doing , Glad He was caught and No one got hurt .

20-year-old pretended to be at control center, prosecutors say

PS I don"t even Think our Member Richards would take this case and that is meant in a good way

Don KA9QJG

20-year-old pretended to be at control center, prosecutors say
Feds accuse man of giving trains false instructions
RUPA SHENOY - The Associated Press | Posted: Tuesday, August 4, 2009 12:00 am
CHICAGO | A man accused of transmitting on Chicago Transit Authority frequencies more than 300 times and once even sending instructions for a train to ignore a stop signal could have endangered thousands of lives, federal prosecutors said Monday, .
Marcel Carter, 20, is charged with violating a U.S. code that forbids interference with transportation operators. A federal complaint alleges he began using a radio to transmit on CTA frequencies in June 2008, often interjecting comments during communications between the agency's control center and train operators.
CTA spokeswoman Noelle Gaffney said Carter's directions were never followed.
The federal complaint says that, on June 2, 2009, Carter impersonated a train operator and said over CTA frequencies that he was approaching a stop in Chicago's Logan Square neighborhood. When someone at the control center asked him to identify himself, Carter impersonated another person at the control center and told the train operator to disregard a stop signal, citing two specific CTA rules. Prosecutors say that, at the time, another train was approaching the stop.
On another occasion, Carter pretended to be at the control center and told a train conductor to wait at a stop for one minute and disregard earlier instructions to wait three minutes, according to the complaint. Dispatchers often tell operators to wait at stops to increase spacing between trains or decrease the risk of collisions.
Gaffney said Carter used a radio he bought and it was obvious he was an impostor because he didn't know the agency's lingo. Gaffney said employees always overrode Carter's directions.
But, she said, "We were concerned of the potential of someone listening to his instructions."
The agency eventually was able to block Carter's signals, Gaffney said.
Officials said Carter was arrested Friday when he and his brother asked a CTA employee at a train station if there was a reward for a stolen radio. The employee put Carter on the phone with a dispatcher who recognized Carter's voice and kept him talking until police arrived, Gaffney said.
Judge Morton Denlow set Carter's bond at $4,500, put him under the supervision of his mother, Janis Merriweather, and told him not to use broadcasting devices.
Merriweather told Denlow that her son was unemployed and looking for a job. She told

reporters after the hearing that Carter didn't know that what he was doing was illegal. His attorney, Piyush Chandra, declined to comment.
Carter faces up to 20 years in prison and a fine of $250,000 if convicted.

612. Tesla Fest / Midwest Inventor's Faire

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-04 18:24:48 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 612 Message: 612

FYI

Just in Case some Member might be interested

To Dangerous for Me

Don KA9QJG

Tesla Fest / Midwest Inventor's Faire / Midwest Ham Fest, Baraboo, WI, Saturday, 8/29

Tesla Fest 2009 is combining with the Midwest Inventor's Faire (similar to a Maker Faire only with serious inventors), and the 2009 Midwest Ham Fest.

Time: 11 AM to 11 PM.
Setup for exhibitors and amateur radio operators at 10 AM.

Dramatic Tesla Coil Displays After Dusk!!! resonance@...) to advise of your intent such that we may tape off a display area suited to your machine. Please advise on or before August 10, 2009.

Tesla coils both large and small welcome. Also welcome is any type of HV machine such as Marx Generators, Van de Graaff Generators, Cockcroft-Walton Voltage multipliers, etc.

Midwest Inventors from MN, WI, IL, IN, and IA will be displaying some interesting contraptions including a large roaming robot.

Hope to see you in August.

D.C. Cox
Pres. / Principal
Resonance Research Corp.

Tesla Fest and Inventor's Faire 2009 is scheduled on Aug. 29, 2009. This event will be held at the Baraboo / Sauk County Fairgrounds and has two large buildings to house the event in case of rain. We have been very lucky the past 5 years and never been rained out, but moving it indoors will save us headaches some year.

Available power is 120 / 220 Volts at 150 Amperes continuous.

I plan on displaying a "singing" DRSSTC, a 1 million Volt classic RSG coil, a 40 kVA Climbing Arc, a 800 kV Marx Impulse Generator, a 750 kV Van de Graaff Generator, and various other machines.

Location is East side of Baraboo, Wisconsin, on Hwy 33 --- only 1 block into town and on south side of Hwy 33. 195 miles NW of Chicago, IL, then 10 miles West on Hwy 33 into Baraboo. For those flying in, plan on Madison, WI (identifier MSN). Usually thru Minneapolis (Northwest) or Chicago (Northwest, United, American,or Delta)

Two nearby local hotels include the Spinning Wheel Motor and the Thunderbird Inn. Both are located directly across street from the fairgrounds. Also two restruants, the 4 Star and the Log Cabin are located directly across the street. Food will also be available on the fairgrounds.

613. Re: [CQCQCQ] CHICAGO | Transmitting on Chicago Transit Authority freqs 300 Times

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-04 20:58:53 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 611 Message: 613

While I appreciate the kind words, Don...

Hell yes! I would take the case. For two reasons...
First, high profile cases often provide publicity and that
is free advertising... and Second, ... well... because it
"ain't" me going to jail! What do I care what HE did ?
It is no reflection on ME... and to a criminal lawyer, the
lower down, the dirtier, and the more morally depraved the
client?le - the larger the FEE !!

Remember the three rules of private practice:

1) Get you money up front.
2) Remember - it ain't you going to jail... so relax.
3) Get your money up front.

But seriously folks, you gotta love the unmitigated GALL
trying to collect a reward for return the stolen rig. Plus
the colossal stupidity of trying to turn it in AFTER USING
it. He probably could have made some money had he simply
returned it after stealing it... fabricating a a story how
he er... ah... just "found" it. But... Nooooo... he
has to mess with it first - and THEY SHOULD CHARGE HIM WITH
ATTEMPTED MURDER, attempted manslaughter, and attempted
mayhem and malicious destruction of property - and more - in
addition to any charge for theft and illegal transmission.
I shudder when I think of the injuries and damage he might
have inflicted on the public. Wow.

I don't think this will help him get a job, either...

Happy trails. ====== Richards - K8JHR ========

Don wrote:
> PS I don"t even Think our Member Richards would take
this case and that is meant in a good way

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614. Mission Critical Mag Wed Aug 5, 2009 12:57 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-05 18:00:30 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 614 Message: 614

Keeping up to date in the Commuications Field , Here is a Monthly Communications Mag I get

Enjoy http://mccmag.com/SubscribeEmail/ONL.cfm

Don KA9QJG

615. Peotone Il Hamfest Reminder This Sunday 9 Aug 09

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-06 06:13:58 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 615 Message: 615

Just a reminder Nice to get out and see old Friends , well Young ones too But they are strange Using Cell phones , Texting sending pics No more real radios Ha Ha

PS Weather for this area Sunday in the High 94 deg So walk upwind from ---Never mind I will be Nice

Drink Plenty of liquids

73 De Don KA9QJG

9 Aug 2009 + 75th Anniversary Hamfest
Hamfesters Radio Club
http://www.hamfesters.org
Talk-In: 146.52 Simplex
Contact: Kerry Nelson, AA9SB
3404 Hazel Lane
Hazel Crest, IL 60429
Phone: 708-335-4574
Fax: 708-335-4574 (manual)
Email: kw_nelson@...

Peotone, IL
Will County Fairgrounds
Peotone-Wilmington Road
Div: Central
Sect: Illinois

616. NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast Fri Aug 7, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-07 21:18:32 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 616 Message: 616

Wonder why I always Hear about the Band openings , But Never listeninng when they do open up

73 De Don KA9QJG

The NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-27
has been published on Friday 08/07/2009 at 1500 UTC, valid 0000 UTC Saturday
08/08/2009 through 2359 UTC Friday 08/14/2009 at
http://www.wcflunatall.com/kn4lf6.htm .

73 & GUD DX,
Thomas F. Giella, NZ4O
Lakeland, FL, USA
nz4o@...

617. Re: [CQCQCQ] NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast Fri Aug 7, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-08 02:23:08 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 616 Message: 617

That guy "Murphy" lives with you ...
when he is not traveling with me...

========== K8JHR ==========

Don wrote:
> Wonder why I always Hear about the Band openings , But Never listeninng when they do open up
>
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618. 30 Meter Multi Mode Weekend

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-08 21:14:35 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 618 Message: 618

Got this Info from a Ham Friend Don KB9UMT Who runs a Great group called Ham Radio Help , I ask if it was ok to Share the info with our group to in case Someone was interested .

check out Dons Group at

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/HamRadioHelpGroup/

It is a Very large well run group lots of Great Info to be had But try and stay on topic /

No Problem

So Enjoy

73 De Don KA9QJG

30 Meter Multi Mode Weekend

When: August 22nd & 23rd

Where: 10 MHz - 30 Meter Band

Objective: To promote experimenting and using different digital modes on unique 30 Meter Band. A number of digital mode groups will be participating this weekend so if you wanted to try out a mode you have thought about trying here is your chance to get on the 30 Meter Band to try those digital modes and/or try a digital modes software that includes multiple digital modes. This is NOT a contest no set times no rules no exchanges no winners other than those that participate with casual use of the 30 Meter Band to experiment, ragchew, DX and have some fun!

Where on the band and who participates on 30 Meters:

FeldHell - 10.132 ☐ 10.136
30m FH Net 2300z Sun Aug 23rd
http://www.feldhellclub.org
Olivia ☐ 10.1425
http://hflink.com/olivia/olivia.html
WSPR ☐ 10.140
http://wsprnet.org
MFSK ☐ 10.142>
RTTY ☐ 10.135 ☐ 10.144
PropNet - 10.1405
http://www.propnet.org
WSJT ☐ JT65
http://physics.princeton.edu/pulsar/K1JT/
SSTV MP73-N (<500hz)
10.132
http://www.obriensweb.com/narrowsstv.htm
PSK31 10.140 ☐ 10.142
Try some PSK63, QPSK!

CW 10.100 ☐ 10.130
http://www.fists.org

Or try them all RTTY, HELL,OLIVIA,WSPR,WSJT JT65,SSTV-N,DOMINOEX,MT63,THROB,JASON,ALE400,ETC
http://30mdg.net/files/30%20Meter%20Band%20INFORMATION[1].pdf

Log in and try the new HamSpots page for Digital Modes and Groups:
http://www.hamspots.net/30

Try Some Multi-Mode Digital Software:
http://www.ham-radio-delux.com
http://www.mixw.net
http://www.hamspots.net/30
http://f6cte.free.fr
http://www.w1hkj.com/fldigi.html
http://homepage.mac.com/chen/w7ay/cocoamodem/index/html
http://mmhamsoft.amateur-radio.ca/Mmvari

***Please note we are secondary users of the 30 Meter Band and to use good operating procedures
Have fun and hope to see you on the waterfall!

De kb9umt Don 30MDG#0001
http://www.30MDG.net
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/30MDG/

619. Strong Meteor Shower Expected Tonight Tue Aug 11, 2009 1:57 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-11 19:00:13 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 619 Message: 619

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Strong Meteor Shower Expected Tonight

http://news.yahoo.com/s/space/20090811/sc_space/strongmeteorshowerexpectedtonight/print

620. Mission Critical Mag Wed Aug 12, 2009 3:11 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-12 20:13:46 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 620 Message: 620

Relating to our Hobby this is a Informative Communications mag I get

Enjoy http://www.radioresourcemag.com/transmission/ONL.cfm

Don KA9QJG

621. NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast Thu Aug 13, 20

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-14 00:18:31 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 621 Message: 621

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

The NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-28 has been published on Thursday 08/13/2009 at 1700 UTC, valid 0000 UTC Saturday 08/15/2009 through 2359 UTC Friday 08/21/2009 at
http://www.wcflunatall.com/kn4lf6.htm .

73 & GUD DX,
Thomas F. Giella, NZ4O
Lakeland, FL, USA

622. NBEMS Digital EmComm Messaging System Featured in August QST

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-16 18:57:06 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 622 Message: 622

FYI

I Post this because it is great to try and keep up with Current Technology , My own personal opinion I think Yes this New Digital will work great when it works , But hang on to the Old analog stuff .
And guess who will have to show Everyone how to use it ? You will

73 De Don KA9QJG

There is an interesting article in August QST, pages 73 - 74, about the NBEMS (Narrow Band Emergency Messaging System) software.

NBEMS can be used to transmit bulletins & binary files using the MT63 digital data mode over FM simplex or repeaters using accoustical coupling. There is no need for a sound-card, TNC, external modem, radio & computer interfacing, modified radios or dedicated digital radios / infrastructure.

Dave, KB3FXI & Harry, W3YJ, ARRL Assistant SEC, Western Penn. section are featured in the aritcle.They have experience using NBEMS and have a group, www.wpanbems.org that uses NBEMS with MT63 & Olivia.

Last winter Dave & Harry held a webinar about NBEMS. I've attached a copy of the NBEMS webinar presentation. Dave should also be able to forward a copy to you.

More information about NBEMS capability is available at: www.w1hkj.com

Additionlly, there is Yahoo group, NBEMSham, focusing on NBEMS available at: http://groups.yahoo.com/group/NBEMSham/

It's an interesting technology that seems very easy to use & may have some application, especially on a local basis.

73, Mark, WB9QZB
Chicago, IL

623. This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-17 15:51:23 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 523 Message: 623

Radio Repels Mosquitoes
17-Aug-2009 article by Norm/Kb9ygd [O:)]

Talk radio is often ridiculous, if not downright dangerous, but an Austrian radio station has come up with a great idea: Broadcast sounds that repel mosquitoes, so if you hear something buzzing in your ear, you know what to do.

The Radio World website reports than Viennese radio station KroneHit has embedded a 14,850 Hz tone in its audio signal in an effort to discourage mosquitoes from biting. The tone imitates the buzzing of a female mosquito, which discourages other female mosquitoes from biting (since it's the females who cause all the problems for humans). The tone can't be heard by human ears, so it is unnoticeable to human listeners. All they hear is the usual program. Mosquito expert Michael Mï¿½ller says that "within a radius of five meters around the radio, mosquitoes will no longer bite." However, it won't help you when you're jogging, since it doesn't work if you wear headphones.

624. Mission Critical Mag Wed Aug 19, 2009 12:37 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-19 17:43:38 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 624 Message: 624

Monthly Communications Mag I get, Great to try and keep up with all the New Tech involving our Communications interest

Enjoy http://mccmag.com/transmission/ONL.cfm

Don KA9QJG

625. Circuit Sticker Kits

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-19 17:59:46 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 625 Message: 625

I reposted this from another Group I belong to , It is Nice to see some in this Wonderful Communications hobbie Still trying to motivate it by bringing back kit building .

Heck they even look simple enough I could still do it .

73 De Don KA9QJG

At the East Central Illinois Hamfest on Sunday, 8/23/2009, http://www.vcara-hamfest.info/
I will be selling a kit to build a code-practice-oscillator on perf board. The kit price will be $10.00 and includes everything except for the enclosure and battery.
You can download assembly instructions from here.
http://www.indianakits.com/cscpo03/

This is a Circuit Sticker kit. I will also be selling other Circuit Stickers at the hamfest. Any one who brings me a copy of this email at the hamfest my choose one free Circuit Sticker, just the sticker, no kits, from those I have at the hamfest. Limit 1 per customer.
http://www.indianakits.com

If you can't attend the hamfest and would like to have a free sample of the CPO Circuit Sticker, just the sticker, not the kit, send me an email and I will tell you where to send an SASE. When your SASE arrives I'll put a sticker in it and drop it back in the mail.

If you want a kit send me an email and I'll tell you where to send a check for $15.00, that's $10.00 plus $5.00 shipping.

Thanks,

Jim, WD9EYB

626. Mobile Phone /History

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-21 23:59:00 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 626 Message: 626

Saw this site and thought I would share the Info, It is sad that I am actually old enough to recall some of them; I Could never afford the Phone But I had the Neat looking Headset in the car . at the price of the Phone back then , It was mostly Doctors , Lawyers and Drug Dealars who had them .

We sure have come a long way. Also on the Site click on Home, and as always we must give credit to The People who set of sites and share the info for all of us to enjoy

http://www.wb6nvh.com/Carphone.htm

Happy Scanning

PS Not Phones of course Now thats Ilegal

Don

KA9QJG

627. Baraboo, WI 2m D-STAR Digital Voice Repeater on the Air!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-23 04:54:45 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 627 Message: 627

FYI

I got this info from Mark Thompson WB9QZB I don"t know if anyone in our Group is messing around with D-Star yet And might be in range to ttry this out

73 De Don KA9QJG

I am very pleased to announce a new 2m D-STAR Digital Voice repeater, WB9FDZ is on the air on the Baraboo bluffs.
The repeater is on 145.255 (-600 KHz).

The D-STAR internet gateway is not currently operating, but there will be an announcement when the internet gateway is on-line
and how the registration process will work.

The repeater antenna is currently at 225 ft. on the tower, but will ultimately be at the 385 ft. level on the tower on the 600 foot Barboo bluffs
at ~ 1,000 feet HAAT. The 25- watt 2m D-STAR repeater feeds a 110-watt amplifier with 60 watts out of the duplexer into the antenna system.
A picture of the repeater equipment rack is attached.

We expect the repeater should have same fantastic coverage over south central Wisconsin, including Madison, as the existing
YTARC FM repeater on 147.315 (123.0 Hz) at the same site. We've already had feedback the repeater signal strength is full-scale
in a mobile in downtown Madison.

The repeater is sponsored by the Yellow Thunder Amateur Radio Club (YTARC) and was constructed by Brad, KB9VMC & Steve, N9UDO.
They should be congratulated for taking the leadership to put on the air south central Wisconsin's first wide-area D-STAR Digital Voice repeater.

D-STAR Digital Voice technology offers unique capabilites such as noise free voice and concurrent low-speed data supporting
GPS coordinate transmission & text messaging that will be useful for EmComm / ARES and public service activities.

I've attached a list of Wisconsin D-STAR repeaters currently on the air and planned.

If you'd like to learn more about D-STAR Digital Voice & Data technology I've attached an Introduction & Overview of D-STAR.

You can find more information about D-STAR in the DIGITAL folder of the Files section of the Madison Amateur Radio yahoo group at:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/MadisonAmateurRadio/

You can learn more about YTARC at: www.yellowthunder.org

We would like to hear signal reports about the repeater's coverage.

Look forward to hearing you on D-STAR.

73, Mark, WB9QZB

628. New member

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-24 22:30:14 UTC
From: woodyussluce
Topic: 628 Message: 628

I just wanted to introduce myself as I got my Technician license on 7/16. I plan to attend a General HamCram next month and will hopefully pass for my General ticket at that time. I'm from Ga and have listened to shortwave radio for years on and off. I just finally decided to get off my rear and go for my ham license and I'm glad that I did ! I got my station on the air on 8/5 and in 6 days I had worked 8 states and Ontario on 10m ! On the 7th day my antenna was struck by lightning but l had disconnected my radio and placed the coax outside.So I don't beleive that my radio has any damage but 10m seems dead now. My antenna is back up and I'm ready to go ! I'll practise my code to learn it while I'm waiting on the HamCram for the upgrade. Thanks for the group ! 73 Jeff KJ4NOO

629. Polarization Demonstration at Porter County ARC

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-25 20:55:53 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 629 Message: 629

FYI

Got this from another Member and thought I would post here in case someone also might be in this area. I was actually shocked in seeing the difference between HZ And Vet Polarization When I had a 60 Ft Tower and a 4 Element Beam on 10 Meters sometime S1 And Noise then switch and get a 20 Db Signal , I find the diference more noticible on VHF/UHF

73 De Don KA9QJG

From Bill AB9GU

At the September meeting there will be a demonstration on antenna polarization. Put on by Gene Wiggins [hope I got his name right]
who was an instructor at Valpo Tec for ever. I have seen Gene do this and it is absolutely fascinating. You can see the difference antenna polarization makes. The meetings are held at the Chesterton library annex, next to the library.
Meetings are always on the first Friday of the month at 7:30 PM.
So mark your calender September 4 @ 7:30. No kidding, this guy is fascinating.
73
Bill ab9qu

630. Need Packet Radio, APRS, Winlink and/or Emcomm Presentations at DCC (Digital Com

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-26 05:53:28 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 630 Message: 630

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Need Packet Radio, APRS, Winlink and/or Emcomm Presentations at DCC (Digital Communications Conference)

As many of you know the ARRL / TAPR DCC (Digital Communications Conference) is returning to the Chicago area hear O'Hare airport
on September 25 - 27.

The DCC is the national premiere digital conference covering all digital modes including voice & data.

The DCC has 2 1/2 days of Technical forums on Friday & Saturday and on Sunday morning one or more deep dive sessions.

On Saturday there is a concurrent track of Introductory sessions.

While we have several great technical & introductory presentations already scheduled there are some topics we would like
covered with presentations:

1) Introduction to APRS

2) Introduction to Winlink

3) Introduction to Packet Radio.

4) Using Digital Modes for EmComm

While it is always better to present in person we recognize some of you may not be able to make it to Chicago, but would like to present.
This year we have the capability to support remote presentations using Skype for audio & Adobe ConnectNow for video.

If you are able to present on one of the topics above or perhaps another topic please let me know as soon as possible.

In the meantime, you can learn more about the DCC at: www.tapr.org/dcc

73, Mark, WB9QZB
Chicago, IL

631. Mission Critical Mag Wed Aug 26, 2009 2:10 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-26 19:14:49 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 631 Message: 631

Communications Mag I get , Great to try and keep up with Modern Tech

Enjoy http://mccmag.com/transmission/ONL.cfm

73 De Don KA9QJG

632. New DVDs from ARVN: The Dayton Collection 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-27 04:59:03 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 632 Message: 632

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Subject: New DVDs from ARVN: The Dayton Collection 2009

Hello, ARVN Customers!

First, the news:

We've just released a new 3-DVD set of videos from the Dayton Hamvention® 2009. Details - and some fun preview video - are on the ARVN web site (www.arvideonews.com), so I'll be brief here.

DVD-1 has our annual TOUR (well, I guess it's bi-annual, since I didn't get around to editing last year's TOUR. Jeff gives me grief for that, but the footage we shot then is included this year. Also on DVD-1 are the FCC Forums from 2008 (good-bye Riley) and 2009 (hello, Laura). And the ARRL Forum for 2009, with a good review of the newly UN-redacted FCC staff information on BPL interference.

DVD-2 has the TAPR and SDR (Software Defined Radio) Forums.

DVD-3 is all D-STAR, the Friday Forum and Friday Night Event.

That's all for the news. The rest is just me rambling... I won't be offended if you skip it...

And now, a request of ARVN customers: many of you have told me how much you like our videos, and that you hope we keep making more. Well, here's the deal with that. With four years experience in20making and marketing our DVDs, I can now tell you that it's just barely worth it, at least financially. The emotional payback is huge, but Burger King won't take that in payment for a double-Whopper.

In cash terms, the programs are mostly paying their expenses (travel, tape-stock, duplication), and they've paid off some of the equipment (camera, audio, editing system and software). But they haven't made a dent in my time. I've put in nearly eight weeks full-time editing the Dayton 3-DVD set. How much do you make in eight weeks? How much should I? (I'll give you some sales facts and figures below that you might find interesting.)

Enough whining. What can you do to help?

Get the word out!

Here's why: most hams have never heard of ARVN, aside from a few (very nice) reviews and New Product announcements in QST, CQ and a few other publications. We need to reach more hams. I've seen that a small, but significant enough number of hams become customers after they see what we've got. It's very satisfying to see that at a hamfest booth! But getting

hams to take a first or second look at ARVN videos is very difficult. We're all busy, and we've all got a lot built-in sales resistance. Most advertising is prohibitively expensive for this small operation.

Word of mouth (or word-of-keyboard) has been our most effective "advertising." It's your personal endorsement, and it's heard by people who know you. Now and then I'll see sales spike for one DVD or another a few weeks after the initial release and "rush." When that happens, a little investigation shows that someone placed a message on a mailing list somewhere, and BOOM, DVD sales take off again (relatively).

Here's how: Actually, I think you know it already. If you like ARVN videos and want to help us grow to sustainability (and make me rich... kidding), just use your "circle of influence" to tell people about us. Clubs, mailing lists, on-air discussion (OK as long as you don't work for me). Whatever.

Be gentle. Nobody likes a pushy salesman. You know the product. It doesn't take persuasion, just exposure. Point them to the demos on the web site, or show a DVD if it's convenient. You can make a "cold" announcement ("Hey, everybody - I've just seen this cool video I think you might like"). Or tie it in to a discussion that you come across ("I found this video that's great for introducing your club to D-STAR").

When I started ARVN, the chorus echoed the mantra: hams are cheap, you can't succeed. There's too much free video on the web. I didn't argue. I couldn't, because I more or less agreed. But I had to try. Now, I see the possibility of success. I see your notes of encouragement, and a certain level of actual sales (and repeat business) that tells me that it's worth trying a little longer and harder.

And... asking for help.

Some hard numbers for those interested:

My biggest seller is D igital Voice for Amateur Radio. No surprise there, it's an awesome program, if I do say so myself. I've sold 224 copies so far, grossing not quite $6000. Expenses ran around $3000 (travel to Dallas, Alabama, Chicago, St. Louis, 300 copies at about $2 each, 30 DVCam tapes at $12 each). Editing took 13 weeks full-time. Have you ever looked at the list of credits after a movie or TV show? I did this all by myself! Hmmm, no catering budget... No Best Boy, whatever they do.

Next on the hit parade are the TAPR 2008 DCC DVDs. That's sold 53 6-DVD sets, and 110 individual disks (428 total DVDs). Gross is $5900, also after about 12 weeks of editing. Travel expenses were lower, since it was a single trip to Chicago, but duplication and tape costs were higher.

The 2008 D-STAR meetings at Dayton: 102 copies. The Charlotte D-STAR seminar: 158 copies. The SWR seminar: 116 copies. The ARDF Fox Hunt documentary: 70 copies (hey, it deserves better than that!).

My conclusions: the "blockbuster" documentaries and "how-to" seminars are where most of the audience is, but not by so much that's it's a no-brainer to concentrate on them. And the "blockbusters" (I'll keep that in quotes - 224 copies doesn't make most blockbuster lists) are also the most expensive to produce.

Publicity is still the missing link. Maybe everyone who would want a D-STAR Forum DVD already has one - my access to that market is pretty good. And TAPR's 2008 DCC might be

tapped out, after=2 0sitting on their home page since February.

But you don't have to want to buy a digital radio to get something out of the "Digital Voice" DVD. I think every radio club in the country (in the world?) should play that DVD. That would be maybe 500 copies at least. It could get there, if they knew about it.

I'll stop now, as I'm reminding myself of Wayne Green! Bottom line - your help will be very much appreciated. Your reward will be having more ARVN videos... and if this is even reasonably successful, we'll get some competition with more professionally produced videos to enjoy and learn from. This is America!

73,
Gary KN4AQ

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633. Interesting Rain Reports { Radio Information

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-08-28 21:27:44 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 633 Message: 633

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

RAIN Report 8/21/09: KT1B Commentary on Green Petition to Ban Closed Repeaters (9 minutes)

http://www.therainreport.com/rainreport_archive/rainreport-8-21-2009.mp3

RAIN Report 7/24/09: K3BEQ Petitions the FCC to Outlaw Closed Repeaters (14 minutes)

http://www.therainreport.com/rainreport_archive/rainreport-7-24-2009.mp3

634. AntenneX New Issue Sep 2009 Published

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-02 04:18:55 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 634 Message: 634

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Folks:
The New Issue for September 2009 is Published.

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If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue #149 for the month of September 2009 is now ready to read at your pleasure!

Whether you are a paid subscriber or not, there are always several new articles and other downloads made freely available in the Guest Rooms each month. Ham WorkShop column has a new one this month about antenna designs.

Also, LB Cebik's finals projects are featured this month.

Please go to our Announcements Page for more info & the various Links:

http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html

To subscribe to Premium Article Paid areas:
http://www.antennex.com/signup.htm

Also, the above Guest Rooms contain tons of FREE software, including hundreds of modeling files, design programs, utilities, etc. and about 15,000 useful postings from our forums over the past
12 years online.

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For lots of other good things like books, software, etc. -- more than 100 products:
http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm

Thanks for your time & hope to see you soon!

All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

635. NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-03 23:07:00 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 635 Message: 635

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

The NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-31
has been published on Thursday 09/03/2009 at 1800 UTC, valid 0000 UTC
Saturday 09/05/2009 through 2359 UTC Friday 09/11/2009 at
http://www.wcflunatall.com/nz4o3.htm .

73 & GUD DX,
Thomas F. Giella, NZ4O
Lakeland, FL, USA
nz4o@...

636. September VHF QSO Party, September 12 - 14

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-04 17:45:08 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 636 Message: 636

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS Good Luck to Whoever dos this

http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/sepvhf.html

2009 September VHF QSO Party Rules
General Rules
1. 1. Object: To work as many amateur stations in as many different 2 degrees X 1 degree grid squares as possible using authorized frequencies above 50 MHz. Foreign stations work W/VE amateurs only.
2. 2. Date and Contest Period: The second full weekend of September. Begins 1800 UTC Saturday and ends 0300 UTC Monday (September 12 - 14, 2009).
3. 3. Entry Categories:
1. 3.1. Single Operator.
1. 3.1.1. Low Power
2. 3.1.2. High Power
3. 3.2. Single Operator Portable.
2. 3.3. Rover. A rover is comprised of no more than two operators that moves among two or more grid squares during the course of a contest. An operator may perform any or all rover functions, but a driver's function shall be limited to driving the vehicle. Drivers may be switched out during the event. Any number of observers is also allowed, however observers may not perform any rover function at any time. Rover vehicles with only one occupant are allowed to perform all functions listed above.
1. 3.3.1. A rover vehicle may transport only one station using a single call sign. An exception is provided for in "General Rules for All ARRL Contests" number 3.5 (Family Rule).
2. 3.3.2. A rover may not operate with more than one call sign.
3. 3.3.3. Rover vehicles must transport all the equipment, power supplies, and antennas used at each operating site.
4. 3.3.4. Rovers MUST sign "rover" on Phone and /R on CW and digital modes after their call sign.
5. 3.3.5. All Rovers are encouraged to adopt operating practices that allow as many stations as possible to contact them.
6. 3.3.6. Rover operators may submit separate logs for single operator (fixed station) in addition to their rover entries. Rovers submitting a score for inclusion in a club competition must also include a secondary summary sheet indicating the portion of the score that counts for the club score if any of the QSOs submitted take place outside of their club's territory.
7. 3.3.7. Rovers are permitted to use APRS. Rovers using APRS transmit only their call sign and position. Any multi-op station may access rover APRS data directly or via the Internet.
8. 3.3..8. A rover may not make more than 100 QSOs with any other one rover.
3. 3.4. Limited Rover. Same as the Rover class above, but operation is permitted only on the 6 Meter, 2 Meter, 220 MHz and 432 MHz bands. Output power limits shall be the same as

those defined for the Single Operator Low Power category.
4. 3.5 Unlimited Rover. Same as Rover class above, but Unlimited Rovers may use more than two operators and are exempt from rules 3.3.3 and 3.3.8.
1. 3..5.1. Unlimited Rover scores may NOT be applied to a club score for Club Competition. Please see General Rules For All ARRL Contests Above 30 MHz for more information on the Rover categories.
5. 3.6. Multioperator:
1. 3..6.1. Multioperator (Unlimited): Stations submit logs with more than four bands used.
2. 3.6.2. Limited Multioperator: Stations submit logs with a maximum of four bands used. (Logs from additional bands used, if any, should be included as checklogs.)
4. 4. Exchange: Grid-square locator (see April 1994 QST, p 86).
1. 4.1. Exchange of grid square is required. Exchange of signal report is optional.
5. 5. Scoring:
1. 5..1. QSO points:
1. 5.1.1. Count one point for each complete 50- or 144-MHz QSO.
2. 5.1.2. Count two points for each 222- or 432-MHz QSO..
3. 5.1.3. Count three points for each 902- or 1296-MHz QSO.
4. 5.1.4. Count four points for each 2.3-GHz (or higher) QSO.
2. 5..2. Multiplier: The total number of different grid squares worked per band. Each 2 degrees X 1 degree grid square counts as one multiplier on each band it is worked.
3. 5.3. Final score: Multiply the total number of QSO points from all bands operated by the total number of multipliers for final score.
4. 5.4. Rovers only: The final score consists of the total number of QSO points from all bands times the sum of unique multipliers (grid squares) worked per band (regardless of which grid square they were made in) plus one additional multiplier for every grid square activated (made a contact from).
1. 5.4.1. Rovers are listed in the contest score listings under the Division from which the most QSOs were made.
2. 5.4.2. Rovers who submit scores for the club competition must submit a separate summary sheet and log indicating QSOs and scoreif they make any contacts from outside of the club territory. The summary sheet should be clearly marked for club competition only and must be emailed separately to contests@...
6. 6. Miscellaneous:
1. 6.1. Stations may be worked for credit only once per band from any given grid square, regardless of mode. This does not prohibit working a station from more than one grid square with the same call sign (such as a Rover).
2. 6.2. Only one signal per band (6, 2, 1 1/4, etc) at any given time is permitted, regardless of mode.
3. 6.3. Multioperator stations may not include QSOs with their own operators except on frequencies higher than 2.3 GHz. Even then, a complete, different station (transmitter, receiver and antenna) must exist for each QSO made under these conditions..
7. 7. Awards:
1. 7.1. Certificates will be awarded in the following categories.
1. 7.1.1. Top Single Operator High and Single Operator Low power in each ARRL/RAC Section.
2. 7.1.2. Top Single Operator High and Single Operator Low power on each band (50, 144, 222, 432, 902, 1296 and 2304-and-up categories) in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Note: Since the highest score per band will be the award winner for that band, an entrant may win a certificate with additional single-band endorsements.) For example, if KA1RWY has the highest single-operator low-power all-band score in the CT Section and her 50- and 222-MHz scores are higher than any other CT single operator s, she will earn a certificate for being the single-operator Section leader and

endorsements for 50 and 222 MHz.
3. 7.1.3. Top Single Operator Portable in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Single Operator Portable entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)
4. 7.1.4. Top rover in each ARRL Division and Canada where significant effort or competition is evident. (Rover entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)
5. 7.1.5. Top multi-operator score in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)
6. Top limited multi-operator in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Limited multi-operator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)
7. 7.1.6. Top scoring club in each club competition category will be awarded a gavel.
8. See General Rules for all ARRL Contests for club competition information.
8. 8. Submission:
1. 8.1. All submissions must be emailed to SeptemberVHF@arrl..org or postmarked no later than 0300z Wednesday, October 14, 2009. Paper logs should be mailed to Sept VHF QSO Party, ARRL Contest Branch, 225 Main St, Newington, CT 06111. Logs mailed or emailed after the submission deadline may be designated as check logs.
2. 8.2. Stations that use computers to log must send the electronic log in the Cabrillo file format for entry into the results. Submitted electronic files must be in ASCII / text readable format. A paper printout of an electronically created log is not an acceptable substitute for the required log file.
3. 8.3. Electronically submitted entries are considered signed.
4. 8.4. Logs may be submitted via the special web applet at www.b4h.net/cabforms
5. 8.5. All paper entries must include a fully completed summary sheet and a complete log of the contacts made.
9. 9. Other:
1. 9.1. See General Rules for All ARRL Contests and General Rules for ARRL Contests on bands above 50 MHz (VHF) November 2001 QST or at the Contest Branch Website at: http://www.arrl.org/contests
1. 9.1.1 For queries contact contests@arrl.org or (860) 594-0295.
2. 9.2. Forms may be obtained by:
1. 9.2.1. Downloading from the Internet at the Contest Branch Website: http://www..arrl.org/contests/forms.
2. 9.2.2. Sending an SASE to September VHF Form Request, ARRL, 225 Main St, Newington, CT 06111

637. First TAPR President & Packet Radio Pioneer, KD2S SK

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-04 19:04:51 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 637 Message: 637

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.arrl.org/?artid=9159

Den Connors, KD2S (SK) (Sep 3, 2009) -- The first president of Tucson Amateur Packet Radio (TAPR) Den Connors, KD2S, of Pepperell, Massachusetts, passed away September 3 from lymphoma. He was 58. Connors, an ARRL Life Member, conducted the first amateur packet radio contact with all-American hardware and software, using the Tucson Amateur Packet Radio Terminal Node Controller (TNC) with Lyle Johnson, WA7GXD (now KK7P), at 9:12 PM (PST) on June 25, 1982. The tests were conducted at 146.55MHz, with both stations sending plain-text ASCII messages. "Den was instrumental in the early PACSAT work, and as TAPR's first president, led that organization from a local club he co-founded into an international organization," Johnson said in an e-mail. "His was a very cheerful, positive, can-do influence."

ARRL/TAPR DCC (Digital Communications Conference), Chicago, September 25 - 27, 2009
www.tapr.org/dcc

TAPR Updates & Announcements on Twitter
www.twitter.com/taprdigital

638. NASA speeds moon communication to near real-time

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-06 02:45:37 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 638 Message: 638

FYI

What a Good Ol Tube

Don KA9QJG

NASA speeds moon communication to near real-time

Wave amplifier enables lunar orbiter to transmit massive amounts of data at 100 Mb/second
Sharon Gaudin

August 20, 2009 (Computerworld) How often do you go to make a call on your cell phone and you're stymied by a bad connection?

Consider trying to make that call from ... well, the moon.

NASA engineers did when they were setting up the communications system that would send massive amounts of data from the Lunar Reconnaissance Orbiter across 238,000 miles back to Earth. Agency officials described the new system to reporters yesterday.

NASA's Lunar Reconnaissance Orbiter was launched from Cape Canaveral Air Force Station in Florida on June 18. A second satellite, the Lunar Crater Observation and Sensing Satellite, lifted off at the same time.

NASA scientists are hoping the two satellites can provide them with new information about the moon. NASA has been planning on putting humans back on the moon by 2020 but those plans are in flux giving the current economic conditions and the Obama administration's review of NASA's space missions.

NASA officials say that getting more information about moon will be key to any return there.

The Reconnaissance Orbiter is expected to orbit about 31 miles above the surface of the moon for the next year as part of an effort to map the moon's surface and find a good landing site for future NASA manned missions there. The orbiter is designed to compile high-resolution 3-D maps of the moon's surface and survey it at many different spectral wavelengths.

According to NASA, the orbiter will amass more information about the moon's surface and environment than any previous mission.

The issue has been how to get all of that data back to scientists on Earth where it could do them some good.

To make that happen, NASA is depending on a 13-inch-long tube, called a Traveling Wave Tube Amplifier, which was built by L-3 Communications Electron Technologies. It's designed to enable the orbiter to send massive amounts of images and data at an "unusually fast" rate to a receiver at a K-band antenna network at White Sands Test Facility in New Mexico. It's

the first high-data rate K-band transmitter to fly on a NASA spacecraft, according to the space agency.

Because of the amplifier, the orbiter should be able to transmit 461 gigabytes of data per day, NASA noted, adding that it's more information than is generally found in a four-story library. And it transmits the information at a rate of up to 100 megabytes per second, compared to a typical high-speed Internet service of about 1 to 3 megabytes per second.

"We're sending back more data than ever, and it's nearly real time," said project manager Todd Peterson in an interview today.

According to NASA, the device is a vacuum with electrodes inside that are geared to amplify microwave signals to high power. It's a good set up for sending large amounts of data over a long distance because it provides more power and more efficiency than the traditional transistor amplifier, NASA noted.

NASA has used Traveling Wave Tube Amplifiers in other missions - notably with Kepler and Cassini - but they weren't as powerful. With the amplifier for the lunar orbiter, engineers redesigned the circuitry and built it by hand.

639. Future wireless electricity

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-06 19:24:20 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 639 Message: 639

Got this from a Ham friend And thought I would also Share with the Group

Enjoy

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://videos.komando.com/2009/08/31/future-wireless-electricity/

640. Re: [CQCQCQ] New member

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-07 05:08:54 UTC
From: Gary Lane
Topic: 628 Message: 640

Welcome aboard!
I hope you enjoy your new hobby!

Gary
KC9GEQ

--- On Mon, 8/24/09, woodyussluce <cjwoodruff@...> wrote:

From: woodyussluce <cjwoodruff@...>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] New member
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Monday, August 24, 2009, 6:30 PM

I just wanted to introduce myself as I got my Technician license on 7/16. I plan to attend a General HamCram next month and will hopefully pass for my General ticket at that time. I'm from Ga and have listened to shortwave radio for years on and off. I just finally decided to get off my rear and go for my ham license and I'm glad that I did ! I got my station on the air on 8/5 and in 6 days I had worked 8 states and Ontario on 10m ! On the 7th day my antenna was struck by lightning but l had disconnected my radio and placed the coax outside.So I don't beleive that my radio has any damage but 10m seems dead now. My antenna is back up and I'm ready to go ! I'll practise my code to learn it while I'm waiting on the HamCram for the upgrade. Thanks for the group ! 73 Jeff KJ4NOO

Yahoo! Groups Links

641. Re: New member

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-07 23:21:07 UTC
From: woodyussluce
Topic: 628 Message: 641

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Gary Lane <kc9geq@...> wrote:
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> Welcome aboard!
> I hope you enjoy your new hobby!
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> Gary
> KC9GEQ
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>
Thanks , I'm enjoying it so far ! Now if cycle 24 will just pick up the real fun will begin ! 73 Jeff KJ4NOO

642. DX Atlas

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-08 02:07:24 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 642 Message: 642

Got this from a SWL Friend I" am not into DX That much this works well and could be useful to who do check it out DX Atlas at

http://www.dxatlas.com/

73 De Don KA9QJG

643. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: New member

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-08 13:45:58 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 628 Message: 643

I think...

The REAL fun is making contacts at the BOTTOM of the cycle...
More challenging and, hence, more rewarding, therefore.

Just MY take.

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

----------Original Message----------
From: "woodyussluce" cjwoodruff@...

Thanks , I'm enjoying it so far ! Now if cycle 24 will just pick up the real fun will begin ! 73 Jeff KJ4NOO

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644. Re: New member

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-08 15:34:12 UTC
From: woodyussluce
Topic: 628 Message: 644

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Richards"<jruing@...> wrote:
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> I think...
>
> The REAL fun is making contacts at the BOTTOM of the cycle...
> More challenging and, hence, more rewarding, therefore.
>
> Just MY take.
>
> ================ Richards - K8JHR =====================
>
I enjoy a good challenge too but I also like easy contacts sometimes too ! I do feel more like I earned it though at this point in the cycle though !

645. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: New member

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-08 15:39:57 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 628 Message: 645

Amen, Bruddah.... exactly.

I need to make some contacts. I reorganized and re-set my station all up and need to get back on the air.

Happy trails.

========== Richards -K8JHR ==========

----------Original Message----------
From: "woodyussluce" cjwoodruff@...

I do feel more like I earned it though at this point in the cycle

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646. RadioShack Invites Consumers to Rediscover 'THE SHACK'

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-08 17:22:21 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 646 Message: 646

FYI Name changed to the Shack , Hey thats not right We had it first

Ham SHACK

73 De Don KA9QJG

RadioShack Invites Consumers to Rediscover 'THE SHACK' Through New Brand Creative Platform --Integrated Media Campaign to Contemporize the Brand and Reinforce RadioShack's Authority in Innovative Products, Leading Brands and Knowledgeable Associates

FORT WORTH, Texas, Aug 03, 2009 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX News Network/ -- RadioShack Corporation (NYSE: RSH) will unveil its new brand creative platform, "THE SHACK," on August 6, supported by an integrated television, print and digital media schedule, as well as a high-profile, three-day launch event taking place in New York City and San Francisco. The new creative was developed by Butler, Shine, Stern and Partners of Sausalito, CA, which was named the Company's creative agency of record in April.

"Trust is a critical attribute of any successful retailer, and the reality is that most people trust friends, not corporations. When a brand becomes a friend, it often gets a nickname - take FedEx or Coke, for example. Our customers, associates and even the investor community have long referred to RadioShack as 'THE SHACK,' so we decided to embrace that fact and share it with the world," said Lee Applbaum, RadioShack's Chief Marketing Officer. "This creative is not about changing our name. Rather, we're contemporizing the way we want people to think about our brand. THE SHACK speaks to consumers in a fresh, new voice and distinctive creative look that reinforces RadioShack's authority in innovative products, leading brands and knowledgeable, helpful associates."

"We have tremendous equity in consumers' minds around cables, parts and batteries, but it's critically important that we help them to understand the role that we play in keeping people connected in this highly mobile world," added Applbaum. "You will see a real focus on mobility and wireless products from leading brands in our new advertising."

RadioShack announced last month the addition of T-Mobile to its lineup of wireless carriers in 4,000 stores as part of its strategy to increase its authority and share in mobility and connectivity.

"We've partnered with RadioShack to develop a creative platform that will cause people to take another look at THE SHACK. Everything about the advertising - the media, format, style, music and tone - will contribute to a new interpretation of the brand," said Greg Stern, BSSP's Chief Executive Officer. "Everyone knows RadioShack. Our job is to communicate what THE SHACK stands for today."

RadioShack also announced a partnership with seven-time Tour de France winner, Lance Armstrong, both to sponsor his new American Pro-Tour cycling team and to work with the Lance Armstrong Foundation and LIVESTRONG campaign in the global fight against cancer.

"This is an exciting time at RadioShack," added Applbaum. "The announcement about Lance and Team RadioShack generated a great deal of consumer excitement and a reappraisal of our brand, which is exactly what THE SHACK is intended to do. Having Lance on our team will no doubt accelerate our brand's evolution."

To bring the new creative strategy to life, RadioShack will host Netogether, a three-day event taking place in New York City's Times Square and San Francisco's Justin Herman Plaza on August 6, 7 and 8. The event will connect the cities with two, massive, 17-foot laptop computers with webcams that allow live video and audio exchanges. Netogether will feature live music, celebrity appearances and unique contests to demonstrate how technology can keep people connected - even 3,000 miles apart. Consumers are invited to visit the event and chat with friends or family via the laptops, or to join in the conversation online at www.radioshack.com/theshack, where they can offer real-time comments on the live video feeds.

About RadioShack Corporation

RadioShack Corporation (NYSE: RSH), headquartered in Fort Worth, Texas, is one of the nation's most experienced and trusted consumer electronics specialty retailers, offering innovative products and services from leading brands. Our knowledgeable, helpful sales associates are committed to enhancing the in-store shopping experience by listening to our customers, offering advice, and partnering with them to find the best technology solutions that fit their needs. Operating from convenient and accessible neighborhood and mall locations, the company has approximately 4,450 company-operated stores; almost 1,400 dealer outlets; nearly 600 wireless phone kiosks throughout the U.S.; and approximately 200 company-operated stores in Mexico. For more information on RadioShack Corporation, or to purchase items online, visit www.RadioShack.com.

SOURCE RadioShack Corporation

http://www.radioshack.com

647. Re: RadioShack Invites Consumers to Rediscover 'THE SHACK'

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-09 00:56:11 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 646 Message: 647

Well I guess I was corrected on the Shack info

73 De Don KA9QJG

On Tue, Sep 8, 2009 at 12:26, ka9qjg1<KA9QJG@...> wrote:
> FYI Name changed to the Shack , Hey thats not right We had it first
>
> Ham SHACK

We is they. One of the commentary pieces I saw when the change was
first announced had this line:

"Despite the boost in second quarter profits, the brand seemingly
hasn't updated itself from the mid-80s -- appearing like a hobby shop
that somehow went nationwide."

It *is* a hobby shop that went nationwide. It was started in Boston
in the 1920s by ... two hams.

See http://www.radioshackcorporation.com/history.html

648. ARRL/TAPR DCC (Digital Communications Conference)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-10 02:38:25 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 648 Message: 648

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

ARRL/TAPR DCC (Digital Communications Conference) Forum Schedule Announced

TAPR is the premiere national digital organization covering all digital voice & data technologies and digital techniques such as SDR. More information about TAPR can be found at: www.tapr.org

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on Twitter at: www.twitter.org/taprdigital

The ARRL/TAPR DCC (Digital Communications Conference) will be held on September 25 - 27, 2009 again in the northwest suburbs of Chicago at the Elk Grove Village Holiday Inn near O'Hare airport with a free hotel shuttle bus.

The DCC has something for everyone from those new to digital modes to those experienced with digital communications.
The DCC has 2 full days of Technical forums on Friday & Saturday. On Saturday there is an additional
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The 2009 DCC forum & speaker schedule is attached & is available online at the TAPR web site at:
http://www.tapr.org/pdf/DCC_2009_Schedule_Preliminary2009-09-08.pdf

After the Friday night social we plan to have another D-STAR get together.

The Saturday night banquet speaker will be Bill Brown, WB8ELK. Bill is a pioneer in flying BalloonSats,
balloons with payloads including amateur radio digital communication technologies.

You can learn more about the DCC & register on-line at: www.tapr.org/dcc
Registration is preferred prior to September 17th for planning purposes, but walk-in registrations will be accepted.

If you can't attend the DCC the Proceedings can be purchased at the TAPR web site at: www.tapr.org/pub_dcc.html

Starting last year, 2008 and continuing this year DCC presentations are being recorded by Amateur Radio Video News. DVDs of the prresentations are available at: http://www.arvideonews.com

If you have any questions you can reach the TAPR Office at: taproffice@...

Look foward to seeing many of you at the DCC.

73, Mark, WB9QZB
DCC Local Co-Host
Chicago, IL

649. NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-32

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-11 01:15:50 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 649 Message: 649

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

The NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-32 has been published on Friday 09/11/2009 at 0000 UTC, valid 0000 UTC Saturday 09/12/2009 through 2359 UTC Friday 09/18/2009 at http://www.wcflunatall.com/nz4o3.htm .

73 & GUD DX,
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Lakeland, FL, USA
nz4o@...

650. W9DXCC DX Convention & Banquet, September 18 - 19

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-12 04:13:35 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 650 Message: 650

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

W9DXCC DX Convention & Banquet, September 18 - 19 @ Elk Grove Village Holiday Inn

http://www.w9dxcc.com/index.htm

I understand the W9DXCC has great programs & lots of prizes. Joel Harrison, W5ZN, ARRL President is the Saturday night banquet speaker.

The ARRL/TAPR DCC (Digital Communications Conference) is held at the same hotel the following weekend, September 25 - 27.
More info about the DCC at: www.tapr.org/dcc

651. ARRL/TAPR DCC (Digital Communications Conference) in Chicago

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-15 19:06:41 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 651 Message: 651

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

The ARRL/TAPR DCC (Digital Communications Conference) in Chicago on September 25 - 27 has some significant Ham DTV / ATV resources & presentations this year including:

- W6HHC & KB6CJZ's DTV technical paper & presentation.
- Art, WA8RMC's DTV technical paper, presentation & attendance at the DCC.
- Bill Brown, WB8ELK, Saturday night banquet speaker and Publisher & Editor of Amateur Television Quarterly.

Art, WA8RMC is the ATV forum moderator at the Dayton Hamvention and planning to bring some DTV equipment with him
to display as well.

The DTV presentations are scheduled for Saturday afternoon, September 26th.

More details about the DCC & the forum schedule below.

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73, Mark, WB9QZB
DCC Local Co-Host
Chicago, IL

652. Alpha Radio Products Press Release

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-16 02:49:40 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 652 Message: 652

FYI

For all You Big DX Hams

73 De Don KA9QJG

Alpha Radio Products

Press Release

Alpha Radio Products Announces

Boulder, Colorado: September 15, 2009

Dear Alpha Customer:

I have some exciting news about some big changes at Alpha Radio Products. A newly formed company, RF Concepts, LLC, has acquired all the assets of Alpha Radio Products. RF Concepts will manufacture the world-class amplifiers and other products that, for more than 40 years, our community has come to appreciate. The 3CX1500A7 triode-based Alpha 9500 Amplifier, dual 4CX1000 tetrode-based Alpha 8410 Amplifier, legal-limit Model 2100 Dummy Load/Wattmeter combo, and line of 4500 Wattmeters will continue to be handmade in our Boulder Colorado factory.

Here's the story about my involvement with Alpha Radio Products and the new company, RF Concepts, LLC:

I'm Michael Seedman, AA6DY. I was originally licensed in 1969 as WN6FUE, about the time that ETO released their first linear amplifier, the ALPHA SEVENTY. I remember reading QST, CQ, and Ham Radio Magazine cover to cover. Do you remember the Alpha ad where they put a brick on the straight key to signify "Full power, no limits"? I sure do - and ever since then I've wanted to own an Alpha amplifier. During the last 40 years, my specific interests in Ham Radio have varied. Sometimes I spent my time building receivers, sometimes building transmitters, sometimes stringing antennas in the trees, and sometimes building QRP rigs. I've even built a homebrew 4-1000A based Linear Amplifier. Recently I've spent my spare time working DX. As my friend Jack Hudson, W9MU, says, "Life is too short for QRP when you're collecting countries." So I set out to build a QRO HF station. I ordered an HF rig, strung a couple of dipoles in the trees, and went looking for an amplifier. Of course, not just any amplifier, it had to be an Alpha. A few visits to eBay later I had a used Alpha 87A in my shack.

What a difference a few watts make. It didn't take long to rack up a couple hundred countries with my Alpha 87A loafing along at 1500 watts output. Soon the dipoles came down and the two-element Steppir went up.

There's nothing more exciting than a callback when you're trying to bust a pileup. I was so impressed with my Alpha 87A that I called Alpha to purchase a new 9500. I was disappointed to learn that I would not receive it for months.

Molly Hardman, W0MOM, the president of Alpha Radio Products, explained that each amp is handmade. Although she said she'd love to put Alpha amplifiers on the shelf, she has had a difficult time financing the inventory necessary to do just that. Hers was a just-in-time manufacturing environment, and she held enough inventory to work on just a few orders. She shared some of her numbers with me. Together we created a way to capitalize the company in order to put amplifiers in inventory for immediate availability. Customers will no longer have to wait weeks or months to add an Alpha product to their station.

At the beginning of September 2009, the new company RF Concepts, LLC purchased all Alpha Radio Products assets and hired the seasoned team necessary to build these exceptional products. And, we've already put some changes in effect to make sure we serve our customers even better than before. There's still a lot of work to do, but we're very excited about the prospects.

Here's the lineup at the new RF Concepts, LLC:

* Molly Hardman (W0MOM) will head up our sales effort as the new Vice President of Sales.
* Brad Focken (K0HM), and Glenn Pladsen (AE0Q) will continue their awesome work on the front lines of engineering, service, and support.
* Gordon Hardman (W0RUN), the designer who, along with Brad Focken (K0HM), engineered the award-winning Alpha 9500 and Alpha 8410, has joined the company as Vice President of engineering to develop new Alpha-branded products. He's got some great product ideas and is turning those ideas into reality.
* Steve Farkas (WA2NFR), a seasoned executive and very creative engineer, has joined the company as president, responsible for overseeing and operating RF Concepts, LLC.

And here's what it means for our customers:

Effective September 1, 2009, we've lowered pricing on all Alpha products:

* The Alpha 9500 Amplifier will be reduced from $10,150 to $7,950.
* The Alpha 8410 Amplifier will be reduced from $5,895 to $4,995.
* The Alpha 2100 Dummy load with its integrated wattmeter will be reduced from $1,950 to $1,495.
* The Alpha 4520 Wattmeter will be reduced from $1,195 to $995, the Alpha 4510 Wattmeter will be reduced from $1,095 to $945; its front-panel-less computer-connected cousins, the Alpha 4505 and 4515, will be reduced to $545 and $595 respectively.

· All customers who have orders pending with Alpha Radio Products will receive their new Alpha amplifiers from RF Concepts at the new, lower price. Any deposits made at Alpha Radio Products will be applied as discounts to your RF Concepts invoice. For instance, if you ordered an Alpha 9500 at $10,150 and sent Alpha Radio Products a $5,000 deposit, RF Concepts will deliver your Alpha 9500 for $7,950 - $5,000 = $2,950, plus any applicable shipping and taxes.

· If you're the original owner who received an Alpha amplifier from the factory during the period between March 1, 2009 and August 31, 2009, RF Concepts will give you a credit equal to the difference between your original purchase price and our new price. This effectively retroactively reduces the price you paid for the amp you've already received to match our new, lower price. This non-transferrable credit can be applied toward any RF Concepts product (including any Alpha-branded product), through August 31, 2010. Use it today to buy anything in our product line, or save it and use it later on one of our upcoming products. Please understand that the credit can be redeemed only at RF Concepts and has no cash value. It's our way of saying thanks for being an Alpha Radio Products customer.

We will focus on shipping our backlog of Alpha amplifiers and building sufficient product to ship from stock. No more waiting for delivery while your amp is being built. When you're ready to place an Alpha amp at your operating position, give us a call.

We will continue to operate from the existing Boulder, Colorado factory, use the same phone number and retain the www.alpharadioproducts.com <http://www.alpharadioproducts.com/> URL along with the new www.rfconcepts.com <http://www.rfconcepts.com/> URL. We will honor our existing customer commitments, including warranties, customer and technical support, and repairs, and keep our extensive parts inventories to support the more than 10,000 Alpha amplifiers in the market.

Please visit us online, drop us a note, call us, or stop by our booth at one of the many Amateur Radio conventions and Hamfests we'll be attending this year.

We are grateful that you have chosen Alpha Radio Products, and look forward to serving you in the future.

73's
Michael Seedman, AA6DY
Chairman
RF Concepts, LLC

653. 8 popular antenna books at 1/2 Price

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-17 18:50:59 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 653 Message: 653

FYI

I have No interest in this Co. Just thought I would pass along the info about Ant Books , If anyone getds them Let us know how they are

73 De Don KA9QJG

8 popular antenna books at 1/2 Price - limited-time offer Stay up to date on the technology. Read these sources and learn more about antenna modeling, feeding antennas, magnetic loops and those emerging small & exotic antennas and devices -- and do so at these bargain book prices.

Choose from 8 popular antenna books at 1/2 Price. Plus a $50 bonus with the purchase of 6 or more of the 1/2-price books.

For more info about the choices from a special selection of 8 of our books, please see this news page.
http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html

This special expires on September 30, 2009 at midnight CDT
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For more than 100 products:
http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm

Thanks for your time & hope to see you soon!

All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

654. Electronic Kits

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-17 20:36:21 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 654 Message: 654

I have to put a plug in For a Ham in Indiana that has a radio Kit Site;
He will be at the Peoria Hamfest too

http://www.indianakits.com/_mgxroot/page_10775.html
<http://www.indianakits.com/_mgxroot/page_10775.html>

I like the Encoder I E-Mailed Him if He made a Decoder and He stated not
at this time Heck I think I could even put some together but I would
probly use to much heat .

73 De Don KA9QJG

CSTN01 - CTCSS Tone Encoder Circuit Sticker Kit for Perf Board

[http://www.indianakits.com/_mgxroot/img_1230644803_14953_1253217456.jpg\
] The CSTN01 Circuit Sticker tone encoder generates 50 different
subaudible tones. It is based on the Microchip PIC16F54 microcontroller.
Two option jumpers are used to select which of the 50 tones to generate.
The output level is set by adjusting a trim-pot. The tone encoder
requires 7 VDC to 20 VDC and about 5 mA.

More information at: http://www.indianakits.com/cstn01
<http://www.indianakits.com/cstn01>

<https://www.paypal.com/cgi-bin/webscr?cmd=_cart&add=1&business=web.orde\
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its.com/_mgxroot/page_10813.html> Our Price $15.00

655. Suggested Band Plans

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-17 22:02:56 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 655 Message: 655

Recently I have been Listening and have Heard People asking about where can they find Band Info and what to use , So here is a Nice Chart that can be Printed out . And as Everyone know s about Gentelement agreements , But we will find People talking all over the place

73 De Don KA9QJG

10 Meter Band Plan - 28.000 through 29.700 MHz

Frequency

Usage

28.000 - 28.070

CW

28.070 - 28.150

Digital and CW

28.120 - 28.189

Digital/Packet and CW

28.190 - 28.225

CW and Beacons

28.200 - 28.300

CW and Beacons

28.300 - 29.300

SSB

28.680

SSTV

29.300 - 29.510

Satellites

29.510 - 29.590

FM Repeater Inputs

29.60

FM Simplex Calling Frequency

29.61 - 29.69

FM Repeater Outputs

6 Meter Band Plan - 50.000 through 54.000 MHz

Frequency

Usage

50.000 - 50.100

CW, Beacons

50.100 - 50.300

SSB, CW

50.100 - 50.125

DX Window

50.125

SSB Calling Frequency

50.300 - 50.600

All Modes

50.600 - 50.800

Digital

50.800 - 51.000

Remote Control

51.000 - 51.100

Pacific DX Window

51.120 - 51.180

Digital

51.200 - 51.480

FM Repeater Inputs

51.500 - 51.600

FM Simplex

51.620 - 51.680

Digital

51.700 - 51.980

FM Repeater Outputs

52.020 - 52.040

FM Simplex

52.060 - 52.480

FM Repeater Inputs

52.525

FM Simplex Calling Frequency

52.540

FM Simplex

52.560 - 52.980

FM Repeater Outputs

53.000 - 53.020

FM Simplex

53.040 - 53.480

FM Repeater Inputs

53.100

Remote Control

53.200

Remote Control

53.300

Remote Control

53.400

Remote Control

53.500

Remote Control

53.520

FM Simplex

53.540 - 53.980

FM Repeater Outputs

53.600

Remote Control

53.700

Remote Control

53.800

Remote Control

53.900

FM Simplex

2 Meter Band Plan - 144.000 through 148.000 MHz

Frequency

Usage

144.000 - 144.050

CW/EME

144.050 - 144.100

CW and Weak Signal

144.100 - 144.200

CW and Weak Signal SSB

144.200

SSB Calling Frequency

144.200 - 144.275

SSB

144.275 - 144.300

Propagation Beacons

144.300 - 144.500

Satellite/OSCAR

144.500 - 144.600

Linear Translator Inputs

144.600 - 144.900

FM Repeater Inputs

144.900 - 145.100

Weak Signal, FM Simplex, Digital/Packet

145.100 - 145.200

Linear Translator Outputs

145.200 - 145.500

FM Repeater Outputs

145.500 - 145.800

Miscellaneous and Experimental Modes

145.800 - 146.000

Satellite/OSCAR

146.010 - 146.370

FM Repeater Inputs

146.400 - 146.580

FM Simplex

146.610 - 147.390

FM Repeater Outputs

147.420 - 147.570

FM Simplex

147.600 - 147.990

FM Repeater Inputs

1.25 Meter Band Plan - 222.000 through 225.000 MHz

Frequency

Usage

222.150 - 222.250

Local Coordinators Option

222.250 - 223.380

FM Rrepeater Inputs

223.400 - 223.520

FM Voice Simplex

223.520 - 223.640

Digital/Packet

223.640 - 223.700

Links and Control

223.710 - 223.850

Local Coordinators Option

223.850 - 224.980

FM Rrepeater Outputs

70 Centimeter Band Plan - 420.000 through 450.000 MHz

Frequency

Usage

420.000 - 426.000

ATV, Control Links and Experimental

426.000 - 432.000

ATV Simplex

430.050 - 430.950

Digital/Packet, 100 khz bandwidth channels

431.025 - 430.950

Digital/Packet, 25 khz bandwidth channel

432.000 - 432.070

EME

432.070 - 432.100

CW Weak Signal

432.100

SSB Calling Frequency

432.100 - 432.300

Mixed Mode and Weak Signal

432.300 - 432.400

Propagation Beacons

432.400 - 433.000

Mixed Mode and Weak Signal

433.000 - 435.000

Auxiliary and Repeater Links

435.000 - 438.000

Satellite

438.000 - 444.000

ATV Repeater Input and FM Repeater Links

440.975 - 441.075

Digital/Packet, 25 khz bandwidth channel

442.000 - 445.000

FM Repeater Inputs and Outputs (local option)

445.000 - 447.000

Auxiliary and Control Links, Simplex, FM Repeater Inputs and Outputs (local option)

447.000 - 450.000

FM Repeater Inputs and Outputs (local option)

33 Centimeter Band Plan - 902.000 through 928.000 MHz

Frequency

Usage

902.000 - 903.000

Weak Signal

902.100

Calling Frequency

903.000 - 906.000

Digital

906.000 - 909.000

FM Repeater Inputs

909.000 - 915.000

ATV

915.000 - 918.000

Digital

918.000 - 921.000

FM Repeater Outputs

921.000 - 927.000

ATV

927.000 - 928.000

FM Simplex and Links

23 Centimeter Band Plan - 1240.000 through 1300.000 MHz

Frequency

Usage

1240.000 - 1246.000

ATV #1

1246.000 - 1248.000

FM Narrowband Links and Digital

1248.000 - 1252.000

ATV #2

1249.000

Digital/Packet, 2 mhz bandwidth channel

1251.000

Digital/Packet, 2 mhz bandwidth channel

1258.000 - 1260.000

FM Narrowband Links and Digital

1260.000 - 1270.000

Satellite Uplinks, Experimental and Simplex ATV

1270.000 - 1276.000

FM Rrepeater Inputs

1276.000 - 1282.000

ATV #3

1282.000 - 1288.000

FM Rrepeater Outputs

1288.000 - 1294.000

Wideband Experimental and Simplex ATV

1294.025 - 1294.175

Digital/Packet, 26 khz bandwidth channel

1294.100

Digital/Packet Calling Frequency

1294.200 - 1295.000

FM Simplex (narrowband)

1294.500

FM Simplex Calling Frequency

1295.000 - 1297.000

Weak Signal (no FM)

1295.000 - 1295.800

STV, FAX, ACSB Experimental

1295.800 - 1296.000

EME and CW

1296.000 - 1296.050

EME Only

1296.070 - 1296.080

CW Beacons

1296.100

CW/SSB Calling Frequency

1296.400 - 1296.600

Crossband Linear Translator Output

1296.800 - 1297.000

Experimental Beacons

1297.000 - 1300.000

Digital/Packet

1298.000

Digital/Packet, 2 mhz bandwidth channel

1299.050 - 1299.950

Digital/Packet, 100 khz bandwidth channel

13 Centimeter Band Plan - 2300.000 through 2450.000 MHz

Frequency

Usage

2300.000 - 2303.000

High Rate Data

2303.000 - 2303.500

Digital/Packet

2303.500 - 2303.800

TTY and Packet

2303.800 - 2303.900

Packet, TTY, CW and EME

2303.900 - 2304.100

CW and EME

2304.100

Calling Frequency

2304.100 - 2304.200

CW, EMEand SSB

2304.200 - 2304.300

SSB, SSTV, ACSSB, FAX, Packet, AM and AMTOR

2304.300 - 2304.320

Propagation Beacon Network

2304.320 - 2304.400

Propagation Beacons

2304.400 - 2304.500

SSB, SSTV, ACSSB, FAX, Packet, AM, AMTOR and Experimental

2304.500 - 2304.700

Crossband Linear Translator Input

2304.700 - 2304.900

Crossband Linear Translator Output

2304.900 - 2305.000

Experimental Beacons

2305.000 - 2306.000

FM Simplex

2305.200

FM Simplex Calling Frequency

2306.000 - 2309.000

FM Repeater Inputs

2309.000 - 2310.000

Control and Auxiliary Links

2390.000 - 2396.000

Fast Scan TV

2396.000 - 2399.000

High-rate Data

2399.000 - 2399.500

Digital/Packet

2399.500 - 2400.000

Control and Auxiliary Links

2400.000 - 2403.000

Satellite

2403.000 - 2408.000

Satellite High-rate Data

2408.000 - 2410.000

Satellite

2410.000 - 2413.000

FM Repeater Outputs

2413.000 - 2418.000

High Rate Data

2418.000 - 2430.000

Fast Scan TV

2430.000 - 2433.000

Satellite

2433.000 - 2438.000

Satellite High-rate Data

2438.000 - 2450.000

Wideband FM, FSTV, FMTV and Experimental

656. 40 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-19 05:06:19 UTC
From: threedog
Topic: 656 Message: 656

anyone on 40 tonight? ke5kfp calling cq

657. Re: 40 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-19 05:14:44 UTC
From: threedog
Topic: 656 Message: 657

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "threedog" <threedogdan@...> wrote:
>
> anyone on 40 tonight? ke5kfp calling cq
on 7,185 currently

>

658. Fall 2m Sprint, Monday, 9/21

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-20 22:00:38 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 658 Message: 658

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

The 144 MHz Sprint will be from 7 PM to 11 PM local time on Monday September 21, 2009.

LOG is due by October 21, 2009.

http://www.svhfs.org/fall_sprint_rules_2009.pdf

659. Museum of Radio and Technology

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-21 20:19:01 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 659 Message: 659

I have seen a lot of info and History of Communications Equipment , But I really enjoyed Watching this and looking at the Pictures , I thought I would share the Link with the Group It is a Shame some of us are actually old enough to recall somne of it

73 De Don KA9QJG

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ENJOY http://tinyurl.com/kmtxlf

660. Re: [CQCQCQ] Museum of Radio and Technology

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-21 23:56:38 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 659 Message: 660

Very cool. == James ==

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> ----------Original Message----------
> From: "ka9qjg1" <KA9QJG@...>
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] Museum of Radio and Technology
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661. RE: [CQCQCQ] Museum of Radio and Technology

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-22 00:52:27 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 659 Message: 661

very cool, Don. Thanks for sharing.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
http://mcares.synthasite.com/
"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg1
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2009 3:19 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Museum of Radio and Technology

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662. Vintage QST issues for Sale

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-23 17:35:49 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 662 Message: 662

I know We got some collectors on here so I thought I would Post this too

73 De Don KA9QJG

Vintage QST issues for Sale
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All issues are in plastic slip covers with cardboard back-board.
Shipping via USPS Priority Mail w/delivery confirmation $5.50 per
1-4 issues.
Drop me a line for discount on any five or more issues, or for a
full-year price (do this before the set is broken).

Thanks es 73 Bill N4LG
N4lg@...
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1920 May VG $12
1920 Nov VG $12
1921 Feb VG $12
1921 Nov VG $12
1922 July VG $10
1923 Jan F $7
1923 Feb VG $10
1923 Mar G $8
1923 May EX $12
1923 Jun VG $10
1923 Jul G spine cover gone $7
1923 Aug G $8
1923 Sep VG $10
1923 Oct EX $12
1923 Nov G slight cover tear $6
1923 Dec VG small section of spine missing $8
1924 Jan VG $9
1924 Jan G $7
1924 Feb G writing on cover $6
1924 Mar G $7
1924 Mar G $7
1924 Apr VG $9
1924 May VG $9
1924 May G $8
1924 May G $8
1924 Jun EX $12
1924 Jul EX $12
1924 Aug G spine is taped $6
1924 Sep VG $8
1924 Oct G cover has 1" of corner missing $5
1924 Nov G $7

1924 Dec VG $9
1925 Jan EX $10
1925 Feb G spine cover gone $6
1925 Mar EX $10
1925 Apr EX $10
1925 May VG cover has small stain, spine great $8
1925 Jun EX $10
1925 Jul EX $10
1925 Aug VG $8
1925 Sep EX $10
1925 Oct EX $10
1925 Nov VG writing on cover $8
1925 Dec VG $8

663. 97.113 (a)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-28 15:24:33 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 663 Message: 663

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS I Do think there should be some Exemptions to this rule

Also just a reminder Lets get some Ant work done before Winter or We will be calling CQ CQ CQ CQ CQ CQ CQ CQ CQ What noone Hears Me

THIS WEEK: David Coursey, N5FDL, says it's time to right
the wrongs in 97.113(A) (3). (20 minutes)
www.therainreport.com/rainreport_archive/rainreport-9-25-2009.mp3

This is about the "business prohibition", and a conflict that arises
during training/drills when EMS personnel also happen to be licensed hams.

David's blog discussing this in detail is at http://n5fdl.com/
starting with his August 25, 2009 entry through (at least) the Sept 25th
entry. The gist of the "friction" is summarized in the Aug 25th entry.

On Aug 25, 2009, he wrote:

FCC staff members have recently stated an interpretation of Part 97.113(a) to mean that professional public safety workers, including firefighters, police officers, EMTs, and other personnel, may not use Amateur Radio to communicate on behalf of their agencies except during actual emergencies.

This means that a firefighter who coordinates a city's RACES program cannot during normal times use Amateur Radio to talk with volunteers about the program. Nor may the paid professional participate in emergency drills or any other training involving amateur radio and his or her agency.

This prevents amateur operators from training for actual incidents in a realistic manner and in so doing unreasonably restricts the ability of Amateur Radio to serve the public.

We plan to file a Petition for Rule Making to provide an exception for these activities, allowing hams and the agencies we work with in serving the public to work together as closely as possible.

664. ARRL Board Adopts Guidelines on the Appropriate Use of Amateur Radio

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-09-30 01:13:13 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 664 Message: 664

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

ARRL Board Adopts Guidelines and Recommendations on the Appropriate Use of Amateur Radio On Friday, September 25, the ARRL Board of Directors adopted guidelines on the appropriate use of Amateur Radiowww.arrl.org/news/files/ARRL_AppropriateUseGuidelines.pdf on behalf of commercial, non-profit and government entities, as well as recommendations for additional steps to be taken by the ARRL to educate radio amateurs and others on how to prepare and train for public service and emergency communications while complying with the current FCC Rules.

At its meeting in July 2009, the ARRL Board created an ad-hoc committee to study the issue and prepare suggested guidelines. The committee submitted its report to the ARRL Executive Committee, which reviewed and revised the document. After additional discussion among Board members by electronic mail and teleconference, the Executive Committee submitted the document to the Board for formal adoption.

Entitled The Commercialization of Amateur Radio: The Rules, The Risks, The Issues, the document offers guidelines to assist radio amateurs and anyone wishing to utilize the capabilities of Amateur Radio in understanding the FCC Rules that prohibit communications in which the amateur has a pecuniary interest, including communications on behalf of an employer. While the FCC Rules in this regard have not changed in many years, there has been increasing discussion of the issue as growing numbers of employers and non-amateur organizations recognize the value of Amateur Radio as an emergency communications resource and encourage their employees to obtain amateur licenses. Also included are guidelines for evaluating the appropriateness of Amateur Radio volunteers providing communications services to commercial enterprises and other entities for which other communications systems are available.

"The guidelines are not intended to be the last word on the subject, and surely will not be," observed ARRL First Vice President Kay Craigie, N3KN, and chair of the ad-hoc committee. "The report includes several recommendations for additional steps that the ARRL needs to take to help amateurs and the organizations we serve to better understand the Rules and to ensure that what we do to prepare to be of service in emergencies is consistent with the current Rules."

http://www.arrl.org/news/files/ARRL_AppropriateUseGuidelines.pdf

665. 40m contacts

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-04 05:15:51 UTC
From: threedog
Topic: 665 Message: 665

I am looking for 40m contacts. I have a 40m resonant dipole(homebrew) no tuner. Have had some luck on 40, but would appreciate any contact. lets set up a sked.

666. Re: 40m contacts

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-04 14:18:29 UTC
From: rickzolla
Topic: 665 Message: 666

I'm willing, Your call and location??

Rick N6NKN
So. Cal

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "threedog" <threedogdan@...> wrote:
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> I am looking for 40m contacts. I have a 40m resonant dipole(homebrew) no tuner. Have had some luck on 40, but would appreciate any contact. lets set up a sked.
>

667. Re: [CQCQCQ] 40m contacts

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-04 14:29:37 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 665 Message: 667

Hello:

I am available all weekend long and weekdays after 7pm

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

In a message dated 10/4/2009 1:16:04 A.M. Eastern Daylight Time,
threedogdan@... writes:

I am looking for 40m contacts. I have a 40m resonant dipole(homebrew) no
tuner. Have had some luck on 40, but would appreciate any contact. lets set
up a sked.

Yahoo! Groups Links

668. RE: [CQCQCQ] 40m contacts

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-04 17:31:44 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 665 Message: 668

Don't know where you are at but you might try 7268.50 at 12 noon PDT, there is a net there that invites visitors. This is most west coast hams but it spreads out quite a ways East.

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com
No trees were harmed in the sending of this message; however, a large number of electrons were terribly inconvenienced.

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> -----Original Message-----
> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
> On Behalf Of threedog
> Sent: Saturday, October 03, 2009 10:16 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] 40m contacts
>
> I am looking for 40m contacts. I have a 40m resonant
> dipole(homebrew) no tuner. Have had some luck on 40, but
> would appreciate any contact. lets set up a sked.

669. CQ Serenade

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-04 20:21:22 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 669 Message: 669

FYI

Got this from our Member Bob KA9AQZ Thought I would post in case you may not of heard it

73 De Don KA9QJG

From Amateur Radio Newsline - Bruce Tennant, K6PZW
Here's the lowdown on this song according to Bruce Tennant, K6PZW, of Amateur Radio Newsline: The name of the song is CQ Serenade and we found it sometime back while trolling the world wide web. After downloading it, our curiousity got the best of us so we decided to find out more. Our search finally lead us to Jean-Guy Renaud, VE2AIK, who supplied us with allot of information. According to VE2AIK, CQ Serenade was composed sometime between 1965 and 1970 by Maurice Durieux, VE2QS. Durieux was orchestra conductor employed by Radio Canada who had emmigrated from France. Assisting Duriux in the creation of the song was F9KT. CQ Serenade was first recorded with French lyrics by Raymond Girerd. An English language version written by VE2QS and by Georges Brewer, then VE2BR, of Montreal. It was later covered by songstress Joyce Hahn. Both versions were available on 45 RPM long playing records under the rather apropos QSO Records label. Today, those discs are probably true collectors items and all but impossible to find. But don't dispair. Thanks to the magic of MP3 audio and the Word-Wide-Web, CQ Serenade is still around to hear and enjoy.

http://www.zerobeat.net/cq_serenade_en.mp3

670. Artificial ionosphere creates bullseye in the sky

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-04 20:35:23 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 670 Message: 670

FYI

Got this from our Member Norm/Kb9ygd

73 De Don KA9QJG

Auroral experiments make glowing plasma patch.
An experiment that fires powerful radio waves into the sky has created a patch of 'artificial ionosphere', mimicking the uppermost portion of Earth's atmosphere. The research has not only caused glowing dots to appear around these patches ☐ it could also provide a new way to bounce radio signals around the globe.

The High Frequency Active Auroral Research Program (HAARP), near Gakona, Alaska, has spent nearly two decades using radio waves to probe Earth's magnetic field and ionosphere. One of the most obvious results of the experiments is that they can create lights in the sky that are similar to auroras, the glowing curtains of light that naturally appear in the polar skies when electrons and other charged particles pour down from Earth's protective magnetosphere into the upper atmosphere. There, at an altitude of about 250 kilometres, the charged particles collide with molecules of oxygen and nitrogen and make them emit light, similar to the process inside a fluorescent light bulb.

HAARP's high-frequency radio waves can accelerate electrons in the atmosphere, increasing the energy of their collisions and creating a glow. The technique has previously triggered speckles of light while running at a power of almost 1 megawatt1. But since the facility ramped up to 3.6 megawatts ☐ roughly three times more than a typical broadcast radio transmitter ☐ it has created full-scale artificial auroras that are visible to the naked eye.
Bullseye!

But in February last year, HAARP managed to induce a strange bullseye pattern in the night sky. Instead of the expected fuzzy, doughnut-shaped blob, surprising irregular luminescent bands radiated out from the centre of the bullseye, says Todd Pedersen, a research physicist at the US Air Force Research Laboratory in Massachusetts, who leads the team that ran the experiment at HAARP.
The team modelled how the energy sent skywards from the HAARP antenna array would trigger these odd shapes. They determined that the areas of the bullseye with strange light patterns were in regions of denser, partially ionized gas in the atmosphere, as measured by ground-based high-frequency radar used to track the ionosphere2.
The scientists believe that these dense patches of plasma could be gas that was ionized by the HAARP emissions.
"This is the really exciting part ☐ we've made a little artificial piece of ionosphere," Pedersen says.

"The novelty is not seeing the aurora ☐ it's the fact that we can actually create enough high-energy electrons to form plasma," says Mike Kosch, chair of Experimental Space Science at Lancaster University, UK, and a former co-worker of Pedersen's who was not involved in the experiment. "It shows something completely different and new that we hadn't expected. We didn't know we could do that from a radio array on the ground."
The team's results are published in Geophysical Research Letters2.
"Me, Herb & Travis saw it w/ naked eye!" - Todd Pedersen records Todd Pedersen

in his lab notebook their first glimpse of HAARP's illuminating effect.Todd Pedersen
Power up
HAARP's success is down to the fact that it operates at much higher power than any other

array running similar experiments, such as the EISCAT (European Incoherent Scatter) Scientific Association's antenna in Norway, which runs at 1.2 megawatts, explains Kosch.

"Whether it's useful or not is another story," he adds, joking that companies might one day hire physicists to use the technology to write glowing advertisements in the night sky. But the costs would be astronomical to create artificial aurora that are visible, he says □ the energy costs of running HAARP at full power are more than US$4,000 an hour.

More serious applications might include creating a layer of artificial plasma that could reflect communications from a submarine, for example. The US Air Force, which co-funds HAARP with the British Air Force and others, could use the plasma to reflect radio transmissions, bouncing them farther around the globe without losing power, suggests Pederson.

"Instead of depending entirely on the natural ionosphere to redirect radio waves or short-wave broadcasts," Pedersen says, "we are now getting the capability that we can actually produce our own little ionosphere". The results of the February 2008 experiment "make these concepts seem possible".
Norm/Kb9ygd

671. Fall 70cm Sprint, Wednesday, 10/7 @ 7 - 11 pm Local Time

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-07 06:25:16 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 671 Message: 671

FYI

The 432 MHz Sprint will be from 7 PM to 11 PM local time on Wednesday October 7, 2009.LOG is due by November 7, 2009.

http://www.svhfs.org/fall_sprint_rules_2009.pdf

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS If Someone wishes to post the UTC Time on this Please Do

672. New government bills reference Amateur Radio and emergency communications

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-08 04:31:52 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 672 Message: 672

It is about time We got some Support
73 De Don KA9QJG
Senate Introduces Companion Bill to HR 2160 [Lieberman]
<http://www.arrl.org/news/images/nms/fullsized/1202.jpg>
Senator Joe Lieberman (D-CT) is the Chairman of the Senate's Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee. [Collins]
<http://www.arrl.org/news/images/nms/fullsized/1203.jpg>
Senator Susan Collins (R-ME) is the Ranking Member of the Senate's Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee.
On Tuesday, October 6, Senator Joe Lieberman (D-CT), along with Senator Susan Collins (R-ME), introduced Senate Bill 1755 <http://www.arrl.org/news/files/SenateBill1755.pdf> , The Amateur Radio Emergency Communications Enhancement Act of 2009. Similar to HR 2160 <http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=111_cong_bill\s&docid=f:h2160ih.txt.pdf> -- also called The Amateur Radio Emergency Communications Enhancement Act of 2009 -- that was introduced <http://www.arrl.org/news/stories/2009/04/30/10792/?nc=1> this past April by Representative Sheila Jackson-Lee (D-TX-18), the bill, if passed, would direct the Department of Homeland Security (DHS <http://www.dhs.gov/index.shtm>) to undertake a study on emergency communications. S 1755 points out that "There is a strong Federal interest in the effective performance of Amateur Radio Service stations, and that performance must be given -- (A) support at all levels of government; and (B) protection against unreasonable regulation and impediments to the provision of the valuable communications provided by such stations."

"We are delighted to have the sponsorship of both the Chairman and the Ranking Member of the Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee <http://hsgac.senate.gov/public/> , and especially to have the support of Senator Lieberman from the ARRL's home state," said ARRL Chief Executive Officer David Sumner, K1ZZ. "The bill could not have a better pedigree." Lieberman is the Chairman of the committee, while Collins is the Ranking Member.

Like HR 2160, S 1755 calls on DHS to undertake a study on the uses and capabilities of Amateur Radio Service communications in emergencies and disaster relief and then to submit a report to Congress no more than 180 days after the bill becomes law. The study shall:

* Include a review of the importance of Amateur Radio emergency communications in furtherance of homeland security missions relating to disasters, severe weather and other threats to lives and property in the United States, as well as recommendations for enhancements in the

voluntary deployment of Amateur Radio licensees in disaster and emergency communications and disaster relief efforts and improved integration of Amateur Radio operators in planning and furtherance of the Department of Homeland Security initiatives. * Identify impediments to enhanced Amateur Radio Service communications, such as the effects of unreasonable or unnecessary private land use regulations on residential antenna installations; and make recommendations regarding such impediments for consideration by other federal departments, agencies and Congress.

In conducting the study, S 1755 directs the Secretary of Homeland Security to "utilize the expertise of stakeholder entities and organizations, including the Amateur Radio, emergency response and disaster communications communities."

S 1755 makes note of the fact that Section 1 of the Joint Resolution entitled Joint Resolution to Recognize the Achievements of Radio Amateurs, and To Establish Support for Such Amateurs as National Policy <http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/getdoc.cgi?dbname=103_cong_bill\s&docid=f:sj90enr.txt.pdf> -- approved October 22, 1994 (Public Law 103-408) -- included a finding that stated: "Reasonable accommodation should be made for the effective operation of Amateur Radio from residences, private vehicles and public areas, and the regulation at all levels of government should facilitate and encourage amateur radio operations as a public benefit." The bill also pointed out that Section 1805(c) of the Homeland Security Act of 2002 (6 U.S.C. 757(c)) directs the Regional Emergency Communications Coordinating Working Group of the Department of Homeland Security to coordinate their activities with ham and Amateur Radio operators among the 11 other emergency organizations, such as ambulance services, law enforcement and others.

ARRL New England Division Director Tom Frenaye, K1KI said that Amateur Radio operators in the State of Maine have "an outstanding relationship" with their Congressional representatives -- plus Governor John Baldacci is KB1NXP!" Both Connecticut and Maine are part of the League's New England Division

Frenaye said that Maine Section Manager Bill Woodhead, N1KAT, dropped off a letter at Senator Collins' office in Lewiston two weeks ago, asking for her support. "After that, we had amateurs in Maine write the Senator," he said; more than 40 Maine hams wrote Senator Collins.

The Senate bill points out many positive things that Amateur Radio operators do, including "provid[ing] on a volunteer basis, a valuable public sector service to their communities, their States, and to the Nation, especially in the area of national and international disaster communications." It mentions that amateurs provided emergency and disaster relief communications services during both natural and manmade disasters. "The Amateur Radio Service has formal agreements for the provision of volunteer emergency communications activities with the Department of Homeland Security, the Federal Emergency Management

Agency, the National Weather Service, the National Communications System, and the Association of Public Safety Communications Officials, as well as with disaster relief agencies, including the American National Red Cross and the Salvation Army," the bill reads.

Right now, S 1755 has been read twice in the Senate chamber and referred to that body's Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. HR 2160 -- now with 27 sponsors -- is in the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.

673. Tuning in to a coveted goal

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-08 06:32:54 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 673 Message: 673

Tuning in to a coveted goal

This was in My Local Paper a Great Story about a Ham and Promoting Our hobby I thought it was worth sharing with the Group.

73 De Don KA9QJG

Porter County Indiana Man makes contact with 338 countries over five decades

Jerry Hess, of Valparaiso,In has turned a childhood ham radio hobby into a lifelong quest. Hess has communicated via ham radio with people in 383 different countries since 1956.

VALPARAISO | On Sept. 23, Jerry Hess reached a milestone he had in his sights for over five decades.
Hess, an amateur or "ham" radio operator, made contact with every country in the world recognized by the American Radio Relay League.
But Hess -- known around the world by his call letters W9KTP -- said it certainly wasn't a goal that came overnight. And in fact, he sometimes waited for 10 years just to make contact with one country.

"I began in 1956, so I've been working on it a while," said Hess, who makes contact with countries using his ham radio equipment in the basement of his Jackson Township home.

With some 30,000 ham radio operators worldwide, contact with all 338 countries is a rare goal that fewer than 200 people have ever reached, said Hess.

"That's the cool part. I'm kind of proud of it. You flash back to when you first started and I was 12 years old when I started. I made my own equipment by hand. I didn't buy it from the store. I belonged to a club at the time, and most of the members had been radio operators in World War II -- so they were serious radio guys," said Hess, who still contacts countries the old-fashioned way.

"I use Morse Code. It's more effective than voice that can break up, and it takes more skill -- but I've just always done it that way," he said.

So what does Hess say when he makes contact with a new country like, for example, the Glorioso Islands?

"I say hello, this is who I am and this is how good the signal is. And they say the same thing back. That's it," said Hess.
But it's the thrill of the hunt, and Hess said some of that hunting took years, like the quest for the Glorioso Islands.

"It's a French military base of sorts, and in order to land on the island you have to be part of the French military. I tried for years and I just kept track of them and when they finally landed I just sat for a couple of hours and got through," he said.

Other rare contacts include talking to "hams" on a British naval destroyer in the Indian Ocean and other operators on expedition in Antarctica. He and his wife, Laura, even used ham radio to speak to Laura's brother when he was in the Vietnam War. But the rarest quest, said Hess, was the Scarborough Reef he made contact with a few years back.

"The Scarborough Reef is off the southeast of China and it's not even on some atlases," said Hess. "It's just a reef. It's some platforms on rocks. It's almost hard to consider it a country, but they do. That is one of the rarest countries to get because it comes up about every 10 years because they go to it that infrequently."

Hess, a retired engineer from Bethlehem Steel, said he will continue to be a ham radio operator, even in these technological times. He's no stranger to technology, working in that sector at the mills and even teaching computer programming at Purdue North Central. But it's the fascination of electronics from his childhood hobby that led to his career.

"What I did in ham radio was to learn electronics, and that helped me when I was working. I really expect in the next 10 years we'll see more virtual reality in technology, but I do think that ham radio will continue to be around. Maybe not too much with young people, but maybe as they get older they will pick it up as a hobby," Hess said.
And Hess continues to send out his signal even after accomplishing his lifetime goal. After all, there are still more milestones to conquer.

"I'm working on an award for working on 100 countries on five different frequencies. Ham radio is still alive and well. I always enjoy it. Admittedly it's something that is nice to do on a cold windy night and I don't golf," said Hess.

http://tinyurl.com/ydllssx

674. TAPR'S WA2DFI Discusses HPSDR on RAIN Report

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-09 21:25:59 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 674 Message: 674

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS Winter is coming for most of us Lets get out and put up some Wire I have always been told the Antennas always work better when put up in the Wind , Snow Etc

RAIN Report: TAPR's Scott Cowling, WA2DFI, talks about HPSDR, high performance software-defined radio. (16 minutes)
www.therainreport.com/rainreport_archive/rainreport-10-2-2009.mp3

TAPR Event & Activity Updates
www.twitter.com/taprdigital

TAPR Information
www.tapr.org

675. Illinois QSO Party , Sunday 10/18

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-11 00:51:35 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 675 Message: 675

FYI

For our fellow Hams in Il

73 De Don

KA9QJG

Illinois QSO Party, Sunday, 10/18

http://www.w9awe.org/ILQP2009.html

676. Items for Sale

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-13 06:56:38 UTC
From: WH7LH
Topic: 676 Message: 676

IC 746Pro with Power supply. Works great. Non-smoking home. 1000.00 dollars

R5 Vertical HF Antenna:25 dollars. (Never used it myself, it is apart and in a sports bag)

G5RV Antenna: 20 (Never used it myself)

Contact KH6OWL, Stacy
808-221-8369 or dholbrook@...

677. Radio Swap

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-13 09:25:50 UTC
From: Fred VE3FAL
Topic: 677 Message: 677

I have a Yaesu FT-100D with mobile bracket and DTMF microphone that I would like to swap for a FT-857 or FT-897. Radio is in mint cosmetic shape and works 100% on all bands and modes. Used by non-smoker. Pictures are available. Looking to swap for radio od same condition.

I do not have original box, but radio will be double boxed for shipping.

Please contact me directly at : flesnick@...

Thanks

Fred

VE3FAL

678. VHF/UHF Digital Voice & D-STAR Forum at Ft. Wayne Hamfest

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-13 23:51:07 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 678 Message: 678

I have No Interest in D-Star but I do like being informed about it, I have listened to some of Marks Forums He dos a Great Job

73 De Don KA9QG

PS This has always been a Good Hamfest I have been going for Yrs Because of the Indiana Repeater Council Meetings,

I use to stay Sat and Sunday But now only Sat Sun is a little slow But good bargains can be found from not being sold Saturday

Since there has been some recent discussion of D-STAR on the IN_PACKET yahoo group I thought I would let everyone know
that the Ft. Wayne hamfest has asked me to return again this year to conduct a forum.

I plan to conduct a VHF/UHF Digital Voice forum at 12:45 pm on Saturday. I will show the VHF/UHF Digital Voice video by Amateur Radio Video News. The video is excellent and primarily covers D-STAR,
but also touches on amateur use of P25. After the video I will follow-up with a brief overview of D-STAR.

I also hope the Indiana D-STAR repeater operators can attend the forum and briefly talk about their systems
in Indianapolis & Lafayette and perhaps plans for new D-STAR repeaters in Indiana.

I look forward to seeing many of you at the hamfest & the forum.

The D-STAR simplex frequency at the hamfest will be 145.67 MHz.

73, Mark, WB9QZB

679. Three People Killed While Erecting Ham Antenna

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-14 18:28:42 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 679 Message: 679

FYI

So sad Our thoughts and Prayers go out to the Family and Friends

73 De Don KA9QJG

Here is the latest news.

http://www.floridatoday.com/article/20091014/BREAKINGNEWS/91014014/Funeral-arrangements-in-works-for-trio&referrer=FRONTPAGECAROUSEL
(http://www.floridatoday.com/article/20091014/BREAKINGNEWS/91014014/Funeral-arrangements-in-w
orks-for-trio&referrer=FRONTPAGECAROUSEL)

Family members spent much of the morning planning funeral arrangements for the father, mother and son electrocuted in a deadly accident late Monday.

Melville Braham, 55, his wife, Anna, 49, and their 15-year-old son, Anthony, were killed by a 13,000 volt surge of electricity when a ham radio antenna they were installing fell across power lines behind an Alaska Avenue home.

The three - along with an uninjured 17-year-old male on the roof - were attempting to prop up the metal antenna in a darkened backyard behind the home of Melville Braham's mother, Barbara Tenn.

Tenn, a former real estate agent in her mid-70s, recently returned to the hobby of using a ham radio to talk with family members in Jamaica.

Family members have not made any public statements about the incident. Autopsies for the three family members were completed Tuesday at the Medical Examiner's Office in Rockledge.

The bodies were released to funeral directors today. A funeral service has tentatively been scheduled to take place 2pm Saturday at Lockmar Baptist Church.

Other arrangements, including visitations, are also pending. Several family members from Jamaica are expected to attend the funeral service.

The Braham's 21-year-old daughter - who frantically called 9-1-1 to report the accident - and an aunt also live in the area.

"The fire marshal has noted it as an accidental electrocution," said Yvonne Martinez, spokeswoman for the Palm Bay Police Department.

680. Reminder Ft.Wayne Hamfest Nov 14-15 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-17 21:13:22 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 680 Message: 680

I just got My flyer today Hard to believe it is this time of yr again We already have the Cold weather

This has always been a good hamfest gets smaller every yr Sat. is the better day If You go Enjoy and return home safe

73 De Don

KA9QJG

http://www.acarts.com/hfmain.htm

681. OT Everything Else Seems Decades Old" - Read Full Review of Windows 7

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-19 22:20:09 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 681 Message: 681

I would normally Not post this thinking of spam , But I thought just Maybe others might be thinking about upgrading I would post the Info I got from Tiger Direct of course they will be biased because they are selling it

I still like Win XP Pro Not Vista so I will NOT Be junmping on this right away same as New Equipment I wait until the ones who cannot and finds all the Bugs first.

73 De Don

KA9QJG

FROM THE DESK OF CARL FIORENTINO, PRESIDENT TIGERDIRECT.COM

I've got a great job. Lots of perks! Best of all I get to check out new products before they're on the assembly line. And I've never been more excited about a new product launch than I am about Windows 7 In fact, I've been working with Windows 7 for the past couple of weeks here at work ☐ and at home. And let me tell you ☐ first hand ☐ Straight from Carl's mouth:

"This impressive new operating system is the best Windows OS ever ☐ and by a country mile."

It's simply the Safest, most secure Windows operating system ever. And that's no small matter... viruses, spyware, worms, and Trojan infections are at an all time high. Windows 7 sends the hackers running...

Windows 7 also boots up faster and gets you on the Internet quicker than any of its predecessors. Time is money, and Windows 7 has already saved me tons of it.

Let me warn you, "Windows 7 makes everything else seem decades old."

Windows 7 is incredibly intuitive and user friendly without being a performance hog. You will appreciate the speed and efficiency of Windows 7 on your PC and it immediately becomes the new standard for computing. Windows 7 revolutionizes the PC industry just like high definition revolutionized the television. http://www.tigerdirect.com/go/windows-7/indexus.asp?SRCCODE=WEM2058TT&cm_mmc=Email-_-Main-_-WEM2058-_-post

I've got to tell you, the inspiration for this letter came the other day when one of my vendors paid a visit, and I said:

"Look at this!" And I treated him to a brief tour of Windows 7.

Well, I'd intended it to be a brief tour ☐ but he was with me in my office for almost an hour. Before our eyes was an operating system that simplified everyday tasks, works the way you want, and makes new things possible. Windows 7 has an improved taskbar and full-screen previews, Jump Lists that allow you to quickly reach the files you've been working with, and desktop enhancements that will blow you away. These desktop enhancements give you more intuitive ways to open, close, resize and arrange your windows. For example, in the old days (before right now!), if you wanted to compare two open windows, you had to manually resize your open windows in order to show them side to side. With Snaps (one of those great Windows 7 desktop enhancements), you can simply grab a window and pull it to

either side edge of the screen to fill half the screen. When Snap your windows to both sides, it's easier than ever to compare them.

For a full list of all the must see Windows 7 treats, go to:
http://www.tigerdirect.com/go/windows-7/indexus.asp?SRCCODE=WEM2058TT&cm_mmc=Email-_-Main-_-WEM2058-_-post

"Carl. I had no idea that Windows 7 was so fantastic!" my visitor said.

Naturally, we've been cranking out the web pages, fine-tuning our "Get Windows 7 now!" ads, the whole bit, but my vendor friend's enthusiasm was contagious ☐ so I just had to tell you that you're going to be light years behind, if you don't get with the program (and it's a GREAT program) and upgrade to Windows 7. It's the best thing to come out of Redmond in years (even better than great coffee).

And tech experts around the country agree with me. Here are a couple of rave reviews on Windows 7:

"Windows 7 ☐ which goes on sale (this week) ☐ is polished and a pleasure to use, with new features that make it easier to find, use and share files on PCs and networks."

- Brier Dudley of the Seattle Times, October 19, 2009

"With Windows 7, the OS is great again. It's what people said they wanted out of Windows: Solid, more nimble and the easiest, prettiest Windows yet."

- Gizmodo.com

As I said before, I've never been more excited about a new product launch. Windows 7 makes my life so much less complicated at work, because I don't have to wait forever and a day for a boot up. I can do my product research quickly and seamlessly on the Internet...and I'm not worried about some creep thousands of miles away infecting my personal PCs.
http://www.tigerdirect.com/go/windows-7/indexus.asp?SRCCODE=WEM2058TT&cm_mmc=Email-_-Main-_-WEM2058-_-post

Okay, now that you're sold on Windows 7 (or at least I hope you are), you're probably asking:

"How do I get Windows 7?"

Simple ☐ If your computer runs on Vista, you can purchase an affordable Windows 7 upgrade in any of 3 flavors:

- Windows 7 Home
- Windows 7 Professional
- Windows 7 Ultimate

Click the link below to learn about the differences of each of these new amazing operating systems:
http://www.tigerdirect.com/applications/campaigns/campaigntemplate.asp?CampaignID=1101&SRCCODE=WEM2058TT&cm_mmc=Email-_-Main-_-WEM2058-_-post

If you're building a new PC, you can purchase an OEM version of Windows 7. Or you can buy a brand new system (it's probably about that time, anyway) like my amazing deal on an MSI A5000-025US notebook PC for only $399.99 (and it comes with a Dual-Core processor, 3GB of DDR2 memory, a 250GB hard drive and a 15.6-inch high-definition display. And, of course, it comes loaded with Windows 7 Home Premium.

That's right...We've got Windows 7 Laptops from just $399...Go to:
http://www.tigerdirect.com/applications/campaigns/campaigntemplate.asp?CampaignID=1117&SRCCODE=WEM2058TT&cm_mmc=Email-_-Main-_-WEM2058-_-post

It's time for a change ☐ a change to an operating system that's faster, more secure, and better than any you've used before. And when you use Windows 7, I know you're going to be just as excited as me and my vendor friend.

Regards,

Carl Fiorentino
President
TigerDirect.com
800-800-8300

P.S.: Order Windows 7 Today for arrival on or around Thursday, October 22nd. Hurry and be the first to own this amazing new operating system.
http://www.tigerdirect.com/go/windows-7/indexus.asp?SRCCODE=WEM2058TT&cm_mmc=Email-_-Main-_-WEM2058-_-post

Of course, I may be a bit partial in my review of Windows 7, considering we do sell it ☐ so I may be a bit excited! I haven't been this excited since the launch of Windows 98!

Disclaimer:

Information about Windows 7 is preliminary and subject to change. Some product features of Windows 7, such as the ability to watch and record live TV or navigation through the use of "touch," may require advanced or additional hardware. The features and functionality as described within this email may pertain to the pre-release product and some features may not appear in the final version of Windows 7. No express or implied warranties are made with this information. All claims regarding performance have been provided by Microsoft or third-party reviewers. Performance will vary by each unique hardware configuration.

For full disclaimer regarding Windows 7, visit
http://www.microsoft.com/windows/windows-7/disclaimer.aspx.

682. Antenna Modeler's Kit

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-20 18:58:14 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 682 Message: 682

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS I have Never orderd anything from Them just used the info as a Reference about Antennas

AND I just noticed We have -73----Members So 73 To all and Thanks

Antenna Modeler's Kit Special

Two popular modeling tutorial books by modeling master, L.B. Cebik, W4RNL, plus 1,300 modeling files for NEC and EZNEC.

- one is a 475-page book for basic learning level and,
- another is a 488-page book for an advancing learning level.

Something here to learn by all skill levels at a bargain price. The book used for ARRL study course!

Learn as you study from the 1,300 modeling files pre-compiled for the examples in the books!

The books, of nearly 1000 pages, include 1,300 pre-compiled modeling files in NEC-2, NEC-4 and EZNEC. The original books contain nearly 1,000 pre-compiled modeling files in NEC format. Offer includes an extra bonus of 330 modeling files in EZNEC format for the NEC examples in the Basic book.

The above models were built by LB Cebik as examples for the antenna topics presented in the books. And, if desired, modify the models to match your needs for specific antennas of interest. Then, see how they compare when and if such antenna(s) are used in practice. Just substitute your unique parameters for an antenna environment. Now, one can "try before buy or build."

If you have never simulated antennas before, now is your chance to join the many others in this growing trend of modeling at a bargain price. Or, continue to expand your education in this useful and fun activity once only reserved for powerful mainframe computers.

This Antenna Modeler's Kit Special is a $125 value for only $75
-- a savings of 40% or $50

For more info, please see the announcement page:
http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html

This 10-day limited offer expires October 31, 2009 at midnight CDT.

More than 100 products in the Shopping Shack:
http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm

All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

683. I Thought I had a Ham Shack

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-21 01:53:46 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 683 Message: 683

A Ham friend sent Me this link and told Me to show My Wife and Grandkids the next time they complain about My little old Ham shack and Antennas ,

I did and they No longer give Me a hard time All I can say about this Guy WOW and Wow again Also check out His Website

http://www.qrz.com/db/w9evt

http://www.greengate-wibb.com/?page_id=5

PS After seeing this and being a Ham for over 30 Yes and 63 I now realize I will never catch up to this,

73 De Don

KA9QJG

684. Re: [CQCQCQ] I Thought I had a Ham Shack

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-21 02:01:18 UTC
From: VE3FAL-Fred
Topic: 683 Message: 684

I wish.....holy cow man, what a radio museum indeed....Nice stuff.
Fred
VE3FAL

685. New file uploaded to CQCQCQ

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-21 05:10:08 UTC
From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 606 Message: 685

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the CQCQCQ
group.

File : /DA-09-2259A1.pdf
Uploaded by : ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...>
Description : FCC Release on 97.113(a)3 20 Oct 09

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/files/DA-09-2259A1.pdf

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/l/us/yahoo/groups/original/general.htmlfiles

Regards,

ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...>

686. OT APCO International PROPOSED Public Safety Interoperability Channels

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-22 19:03:12 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 686 Message: 686

Being in the Communications Hobby We should all be kept up to date

http://apcointl.org/new/commcenter911/documents/APCO-NPSTC-ANS-1-104-1DraftPRC.pdf

Happy Scanning

Don KA9QJG

687. 4 Hams Killed in Plane Crash

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-22 23:06:02 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 687 Message: 687

FYI

Our Thoughts go out to all the Family and Friends

Don KA9QJG

Four well-known contesters en route to operate the CQ World Wide DX Contest this weekend from Bermuda were killed yesterday when their plane crashed shortly after takeoff from South Carolina. The four, all regular operators of the C6APR contest station, were identified as Peter Radding, W2GJ/C6APR, the pilot; and passengers Ed Steeble, K3IXD/C6AXD; Randy Hargenrader, K4QO/C6AQO, and Dallas Carter, W3PP.

According to the local Summerville Journal Scene newspaper, the plane crashed 250 yards east of the runway at Summerville Airport in Jedburg, South Carolina. The cause of the crash has not yet been determined, but Radding was a very experienced pilot. County Coroner Chris Nesbit told the newspaper that it appears the four were killed by the severity of the crash itself rather than the fire that followed. Autopsies are scheduled for today.

CQ WW Contest Director Bob Cox, K3EST, called the crash, "a real tragedy," adding that "devoted hams and contesters were lost." The C6APR team was featured in the cover story of April's WorldRadio Online, and Steeble wrote an article in the April, 2007 issue of CQ about his experiences as QSL manager for C6APR and for a special Islands on the Air expedition, W2GJ/C6A, in 2006. As of this morning, comments from hams around the world had been posted on the Journal Scene's website.

http://www.postandcourier.com/news/2009/oct/22/deadly-crash/

688. On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:06:52 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 688 Message: 688

On 3945....anyone wish to try for a qso?

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
http://mcares.synthasite.com/
"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

689. Re: On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:14:54 UTC
From: rickzolla
Topic: 688 Message: 689

Hi John,

I'm listening now (0113 Z) on 3.945

Rick N6NKN

Costa Mesa, Ca.

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690. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:20:08 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 688 Message: 690

calling now

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of rickzolla
Sent: Thursday, October 22, 2009 8:15 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
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691. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:23:21 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 688 Message: 691

so far no joy Rick

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692. Re: On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:23:30 UTC
From: rickzolla
Topic: 688 Message: 692

Nothing heard here in So Cal.

Sorry.

Rick N6NkN

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693. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:25:03 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 688 Message: 693

yeah seems conditions are not good this evening.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of rickzolla
Sent: Thursday, October 22, 2009 8:24 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Re: On 80 meters

Nothing heard here in So Cal.

Sorry.

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694. Re: On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:27:25 UTC
From: rickzolla
Topic: 688 Message: 694

I'm waiting for a net on 3.952. Can you hear net control there??

Rick N6NKN

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695. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:29:26 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 688 Message: 695

I hear a couple of people talking...what time does net start?

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Sent: Thursday, October 22, 2009 8:27 PM
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696. Re: On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:32:27 UTC
From: rickzolla
Topic: 688 Message: 696

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697. Re: On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:33:51 UTC
From: rickzolla
Topic: 688 Message: 697

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Rick N6NKN

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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:34:57 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 688 Message: 698

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699. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:36:51 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 688 Message: 699

can't quite make out what is being said (though I am hearing a few tuneruppers), everyone is way down in the noise..

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700. Re: On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:37:16 UTC
From: rickzolla
Topic: 688 Message: 700

Ok John,

Just check in here if you want to try again.

-73- N6NKN

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701. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: On 80 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-23 01:39:32 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 688 Message: 701

Yep...actually gotta shut down, 0420 comes pretty early...possibly tommorrow night I may try again...

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702. Fall 6m Sprint, Saturday, 10/24 @ 2300 UTC - Sunday, 10/25 @ 0300 UTC

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-24 05:27:12 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 702 Message: 702

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

The
October 25, 2009. 50 MHz Sprint starts 2300 UTC Saturday, October 24, 2009 and ends 0300 UTC Sunday,LOG is due by November 25, 2009.

http://www.svhfs.org/fall_sprint_rules_2009.pdf

703. Veterans Day Special Event Station

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-25 02:48:02 UTC
From: kc0pto
Topic: 703 Message: 703

Some of you may be interested in working the Veterans Day special Event Station that the Emporia (KS) Amateur Radio Society is having. The Special Event Callsign is KØV. We will operate on Saturday the 7th of November, and of course, on Veterans Day, November the 11th.

For more information, go to our Website here:
http://tinyurl.com/yfslbmm <http://tinyurl.com/yfslbmm>

Hope to see many of you on the air. We have designed a nice Special Event QSL Card, which will require a SASE envelope.

73 de KCØPTO
Les Elliott

704. Re: Veterans Day Special Event Station

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-25 05:46:56 UTC
From: ab9qu
Topic: 703 Message: 704

Thanks, and I sure will be listning for you.
Welcome Home
73
Bill ab9qu
RVN 69/70

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705. Welcome New Members

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-27 22:30:23 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 705 Message: 705

Hello I hope everyone is doing well , Winter is on the way for some of us But We still got a little time to get outside and put up some Antennas even if We make it our self , You know that any antenna is better than NO antenna .

A lot of do not set by the Radios But some of us are by the Computer , Then We will get a call from a friend or hear someone talking about the Big band opening on 2 -220□440 6 And 10 Meters

So if the majority of this Group agrees The Members could Post Band openings it thee Area then others can turn on their Radios and Call CQ and try and make some contacts.

I have set with 28.400 on My radio hearing Nothing , assuming the Band was dead then all of a sudden I will hear a Person calling CQ And the ones like me setting listening come out like Cockroaches ,

The band was open

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS we have got almost 100 Members this is Each and Everyone's group So Please feel free to post things of Interest to others

706. Special Event Second Arecibo Observatory activation

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-28 01:49:26 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 706 Message: 706

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

After the huge success of the first activation, the Arecibo Observatory Radio Club - KP4AO will be on-the-air again this next Sunday Novmber 1st, 2009 to commemorate 46 years of operations of still the single largest radio telescope antenna in the world. Also they will commemorate the 35th anniversary of the Arecibo Message, which was sent on November 16, 1974,in binary code and transmitted to the globular star cluster M13, for if it is received by intelligent life, to let them know about our existence. "We had a such a great response that we had more than 100 hams operating the station in the Control Room taking turns", said Angel Vazquez - WP3R and KP4AO President who works in the Observatory.

The special event will start at 9am-4pm local time (1300 - 2000 UTC) and will be on 20 meters SSB. There will be certificates for those who make contact as well for operators. This is an activity for the who Amateur Radio Community, so if you are near, or visiting the island you are invited. (Don't forget your ham license! It's your free pass). KP4AO will be operated inside the Control Room, and the Visitor Center entrance will be half price.

The Arecibo Observatory, located in the city of Arecibo, Puerto Rico is a radio telescope operated by Cornell University under cooperative agreedment with the Nnational Science Foundation (NSF) and works as the National Astronomy and Ionosphere Center (NAIC). From it many studies and discoveries from the cosmos has been made by Nobel-Prize winners,as well made studies of the atmosphere and even used in the SETI program.

For More information on the Message
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Arecibo_message

Official Website:
http://www.naic.edu/
73`s KP4LCL(Israel)

707. NASA Science News for October 27, 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-28 05:17:48 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 707 Message: 707

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

NASA Science News for October 27, 2009

It might not be obvious to the naked eye, but the sun is a variable star. A sensor slated for launch onboard NASA's Solar Dynamics Observatory will probe the sun's "sneaky variability" with better time and spectral resolution than ever before.

FULL STORY at

http://science.nasa.gov/headlines/y2009/27oct_eve.htm?list1333046

Check out our RSS feed at http://science.nasa.gov/rss.xml!

708. Fox Cities Hamfest, Appleton, Wi.Sunday, 11/1

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-29 04:35:40 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 708 Message: 708

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

The Fox Cities Amateur Radio Club is having another great hamfest on Sunday, November 1st, 2009 at The Wave Ballroom in Appleton, WI. Our hamfest could be one of the best kept secrets in Wisconsin. Raffle tickets are $2 or 3 for $5. Tables are only $10 in advance and general admission is only $5 in advance. Vendor setup is at 6AM with general admission starting at 8AM.

YES, WE HAVE AWESOME RAFFLE PRIZES!
This year's top raffle prizes!
Yaesu FT-7900R Dual Band Mobile
Yaesu FT-60R Dual Band HT
LDG AT-100 PRO Autotuner
ARRL gift certificates!

This is one of the last hamfests of the year. We always have a great fest with lots of good quality equipment. This year, the FCARC will again be sponsoring the "Club Table" with lots of ham gear available to buy and N1KSN's unbelievable homebrew collection to see. The Wave has a great bar and grill, so plan to stay for lunch and the Football Game!

VE Testing will be available for those folks that want to upgrade

Please check out http://www.fcarc.us/hamfest.php for more information

73,

Tony, AB9IO
Hamfest Chair
(920) 722-0482
ab9io@...

709. Second Arecibo Observatory activation - KP4AO November 1st

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-31 19:31:55 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 709 Message: 709

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710. Distant Whispers

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-31 21:19:22 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 710 Message: 710

I have a local Ham Friend Who posted this on a Little Repeater Group I have , I did find the info interesting and Thought I would Share it here too

73 De Don KA9QJG

Gentlemen:

I have been using a weak signal mode named WSPR and having a ball with it and it receives for several minuts and then xmits for 2 minuts or a percentage of 2 minuts depending on where you put the dot lets say 20% and it is so nice as i am running 2.8 watts on 10.138.700 usb and can see stations all over the world and they can see my call information also.
You can get WSPR here-> http://www.physics.princeton.edu/pulsar/K1JT/

And when you have it up and running you can go here and see your call etc..>

http://wsprnet.org/drupal/wsprnet/map?destination=wsprnet%2Fmap

Norm/Kb9ygd

711. Reminder Time Change back one Hour

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-10-31 21:33:14 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 711 Message: 711

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Well is the Time for us to Change our Time back one Hour this Sat
1 Nov 08 at 0200 2 :00 Am , If I recall Not all of Indiana dos this

I think for Example Ft.Wayne stays the same Not sure what Counties
actually do that .

More info http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Time_change

73 De Don KA9QJG

712. The new issue of antenneX for November 2009

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-01 23:46:43 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 712 Message: 712

FYI

Great Ant info

73 De Don KA9QJG

Sorry if this goes out twice , I was fast on the trigger

The new issue of antenneX for November 2009 has been published.

If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue #151 for the month of November 2009 is now ready to read at your pleasure!

Whether you are a paid subscriber or not, there are always several new articles and other downloads made freely available in the Guest Rooms each month.

For more info about this new issue:
http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html

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We have included what may be considered a controversial article called "Visualizing Antenna Fields" by Ron Not, K5YNR

Another fresh feature article by LB Cebik is included in addition to the continuation of his Antenna Modeling Column.

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http://www.antennex.com/signup.htm

Be sure to consider joining the Antenna Discussion List where numerous interesting subjects are covered and the articles are discussed in greater detail.

http://www.antennex.com/help/subscribe.htm

More than 100 products in the Shopping Shack:
http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm

Hope to see you soon and thanks for your time!

All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

713. Just a Reminder Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo's: 14-15 Nov 09

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-01 23:54:05 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 713 Message: 713

Just a reminder This has always beeen a good Hamfest Sat being the better Day , But Sunday You can get the Better Junk left over that No one wants to take back home .

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.fortwaynehamfest.com/hfmain.htm

714. Re: [CQCQCQ] Just a Reminder Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo's: 14-15 Nov 09

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-02 00:07:43 UTC
From: Dan - KJ6CZO
Topic: 713 Message: 714

Don, is there a database somewhere that lists hamfests and their locations?
I['d like to go to one, but dont know where or when. (San Francisco Bay
Area)

Thanks and 73's

Dan
KJ6CZO

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715. RE: [CQCQCQ] Just a Reminder Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo's: 14-15 Nov 09

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-02 01:51:09 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 713 Message: 715

I'm not Don, but here is where you can go to see what is where.

http://www.arrl.org/hamfests.html

Sometimes, however, a hamfest may not be listed via the League. It may be simply an oversight, or short planning time, or just an impromptu affair.

If you are a member of a local club simply ask a few of the more experienced hams, I am sure they would know where any upcoming events are.

(BTW: I looked and could not find any local to the Bay area in the League listings. Doesn't mean that there are none, just that they are not listed with the League)

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
http://mcares.synthasite.com/
"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Dan - KJ6CZO
Sent: Sunday, November 01, 2009 6:08 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Just a Reminder Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo's: 14-15 Nov 09

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716. Fw: [Chapter 36] CCA First Wednesday AM Night Nov. 4th!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-03 22:01:00 UTC
From: Paul Webster
Topic: 716 Message: 716

--- On Tue, 11/3/09, Stan Vandiver W4SV <w4sv@...> wrote:

> From: Stan Vandiver W4SV <w4sv@...>
> Subject: [Chapter 36] CCA First Wednesday AM Night Nov. 4th!
> To: "QCWA List" <qcwa@...>
> Date: Tuesday, November 3, 2009, 2:33 AM
> Hi all,
>
> Some of you AM'ers might be interested in this event.
>
> 73,
> Stan W4SV
>
>
> -------- Original Message --------
>
> FIRST WEDNESDAY AM NIGHT!!! Sponsored by the Collins
> Collectors Association.
>
> Wednesday November 4th, 2009 on 3880 kcs at 7:00 PM local
> East Coast
> time marks the start of the latest chapter of First
> Wednesday AM Night,
> drawing hundreds of vintage stations from across the
> country.
>
>
> The East Coast and Central sections run for 90 minutes in
> response to
> the tremendous participation in those time zones. The
> remaining time
> zones will be an hour. We encourage stations to check-in on
> AM using
> Collins and other AM transmitters, new and old. It's
> an opportunity to
> revel in this nostalgic mode, enjoy giving vintage
> equipment a "run,"
> and sharing some storytelling about classic vacuum tube
> homebrew and
> commercial designs. Typically more than a hundred stations
> take part in
> the evening's coast-to-coast AM event; by the time it
> concludes at 10:00
> PM Local PST.
>

> LISTEN for the following anchors and stop by to say hello,
> won't you?
> You don't have to be running Collins or vintage gear to be
> welcomed into
> the group.
>
> 7:00 PM-8:30 PM Local East Coast Time Anchor: Bob
> W0YVA
>
> 7:30 PM-9:00 PM Local Central Time Anchor: Jim W0NKL
> and Brian K0EFJ
>
> 8:00 PM-9:00 PM Local Mountain Time Anchor: K0OJ Jim and
> Chuck KD0ZS
>
> 8:00 PM-9:00 PM Local West Coast Time Anchor: WA6FIZ
> Mickey
>
> We are still looking for additional anchors in the West
> Coast time zone.
> Please contact me if you are interested!
>
> comments please to wa9vrh@...
>
> _____
> QCWA mailing list
> QCWA@...
> http://lists.CHAPTER36.ORG/cgi-bin/mailman/listinfo/qcwa
>

717. e mail test

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-04 01:30:52 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 717 Message: 717

Sorry testing

Don

718. Veterans Day Special Event Station

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-06 10:28:53 UTC
From: kc0pto
Topic: 703 Message: 718

Besides November the 11th, the Emporia Amateur Radio Society will be on the air with Call Sign KØV this Saturday afternoon, Nov. 7, from around 1PM to 5PM CST (1900 to 2300Z). We will probably work voice on whatever band is open the best for about the first hour or so, then I plan to try some PSK31 on 30M for a while. If anyone would be interested in working us on diigital, give a look around 10.14 Mhz. I can't promise how long we will stay on 30M, or be working digital, as there will be other operators wanting to do voice.

For QSL and frequency information, go to our website:
http://www.qsl.net/emporiaars/
<http://www.qsl.net/emporiaars/>
Les Elliott
KCØPTO

719. FT.Wayne Hamfest Reminder

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-06 20:56:04 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 719 Message: 719

FYI

Just a Reminder Sat is the Better Day

73 De Don

KA9QJG

Fort Wayne Hamfest, Saturday, 11/14 & Sunday, 11/15

http://www.fortwaynehamfest.com/hfmain.htm

Note: VHF/UHF Digital Voice Forum at 12:15 pm on Saturday

720. MRC Hamfest & D-STAR Forum @ AES, Milwaukee, Saturday, 11/14

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-06 21:25:32 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 720 Message: 720

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Milwaukee Repeater Club / 25th Annual SwapfestAMATEUR RADIO Fest2009HAM RADIO, COMPUTERS & ELECTRONICSSaturday, November 14th, 2009
8:00 A.M to 2:00 P.M.at the ELKS Lodge5555 W Good Hope Road ☐ Milwaukee, WI 53223(across the street from AES)
Admission: $6.00 ☐ Extra Raffle tickets: $2.00; (3) for $5.00Table:

MORE INFORMATION:MRC Website: http://www.mrc91.orgCall:
For advance tickets, extra raffle tickets, tables and
electricity, send your order and SASE to:Ken, KC9MXZ ☐ 414-491-0686Milwaukee Repeater ClubP.O. Box 2123 ☐ Milwaukee, W1 53201-2123
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414-358-0333 ☐ 1-800-558-0411 ☐ www.aesham.com

721. Fwd: [carbonarc] Update on FT 767

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-07 15:24:41 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 721 Message: 721

Maybe someone can help this guy out?

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

From: n3cr@...
Reply-to: carbonarc@yahoogroups.com
To: carbonarc@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 11/3/2009 6:55:22 P.M. Eastern Standard Time
Subj: [carbonarc] Update on FT 767

Greetings.....this rig may have other problems. It has been sitting for about two years. The guy has had serious health problems and is on O2 24/7. He can get around once again and needs something to occupy his time. I used this rig back then on a weekend on 10m and 6m and it worked HOT!! Something has happened . It seems to receive and all buttons seem to function but no speaker action. Tried everything. Appears it does not transmit....alc is high....vcc is top scale...IC is bottom and using the mike does not move the meter. I would bet this rig was not used more than 100 days since 1998....at least transmitted on more than 100 days. Does anyone know who works on Yaesu's or who repairs them. Not much can be wrong. It does not smell and I see no burn marks.....just lack of action I feel. It was kept in a bedroom like a trophy. First new rig the guy ever bought. This would make a nice second rig!!!! I believe he wants to buy a new Icom. It has the six meter and two meter ssb modules which can be expanded easily. I would like to get this rig working. I always wanted one after using this one. Can anybody help??? Thanks de larry n3cr good day

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Yahoo! Groups Links

722. RE: [CQCQCQ] Fwd: [carbonarc] Update on FT 767

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-07 17:21:45 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 721 Message: 722

Bob , You might Try posting this Question over here too
Amateur-repairs@yahoogroups.com

You might have to Join the group ,

Good Luck

73 De Don KA9QJG

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723. Re: FT.Wayne Hamfest Reminder

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-12 05:40:05 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 719 Message: 723

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73 De Don

KA9QJG

Fort Wayne Hamfest, Saturday, 11/14 & Sunday, 11/15

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Note: VHF/UHF Digital Voice Forum at 12:15 pm on Saturday

724. Ham Radio Article in ComputerWorld Magazine

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-12 16:44:41 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 724 Message: 724

I read this and found it Interesting it is always good when Ham Radio is being talked about in a good way . So I thought I would share the link with others

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://tinyurl.com/yz49ntg

725. Re: [CQCQCQ] Ham Radio Article in ComputerWorld Magazine

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-12 18:04:17 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 724 Message: 725

Interesting article. Thanks.
73
Bill ab9qu

----- Original Message -----
From: "ka9qjg1" <KA9QJG@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, November 12, 2009 10:44:41 AM GMT -06:00 US/Canada Central
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73 De Don KA9QJG

http://tinyurl.com/yz49ntg

726. SCANNER NET

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-14 14:31:53 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 726 Message: 726

Beside being a ham radio op I spend a lot of time listening to the public safety bands, police/fire etc.

Anyone interested in starting an informal net on HF???

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

727. Worked All States (WAS) in a single weekend

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-20 17:51:29 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 727 Message: 727

This is from another Group I belong to , and I thought others might also like reading it

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS I have had WAS On 10 Meters when I started working that band in 1996 it took 2 yrs.

This weekend starting Saturday afternoon (ET) and going into Sunday evening, you have a great opportunity to Work All States (WAS). WAS is a popular ham radio award/accomplishment and with the ARRL Phone Sweepstakes this weekend, you can work all, or most all states.

2 weekends ago was the CW version of this same ARRL contest and I worked all states except Mississippi. I run 100w into a G5RV wire antenna so I'm running a modest setup. Also located on the east coast makes some states, specifically Alaska, a bit more difficult then those in the midwest and west coast, but Hawaii and Alaska are very doable during the right time of the day. Rules at http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/novss.html

For those that already have WAS accomplished, the opportunity for getting states on different bands then you already have logged is another benefit of a contest like this. I need a few more states on 80m and 2 more states on 20m to complete WAS on those bands.

Amateur radio provides a tremendous array of various areas to provide achievements and rewards in, and if this is one you'd like to try to accomplish, then contests, and specifically the ARRL Sweepstakes, is great for Worked All States.

73 and hope to work you this weekend!
K2DSL - David

http://www.k2dsl.com
http://www.levinecentral.com/ham/ - Grid Locator, Repeater Maps

728. ARES net

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-21 15:57:40 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 728 Message: 728

In Pa there is an ARES net on HF every Sunday.

9 am local time,

3987.5 Eastern Pa
3990.5 Western Pa
3993.5 Central Pa

The nets are open to anyone and they are always looking for check in's

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

729. Re: [CQCQCQ] ARES net

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-21 16:19:31 UTC
From: DONNIE WARD JR
Topic: 728 Message: 729

Thanks for the info Bob. I will pass this along to our club members. Our traffic net starts at 8AM and ends as yours is starting.
73
Donnie
KI4TXI

--- On Sat, 11/21/09, worksntv@... <worksntv@...> wrote:

From: worksntv@... <worksntv@...>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] ARES net
To: k3ytl@yahoogroups.com, ng3f@..., scrantonpoconoamateurradioklub@yahoogroups.com, carbonarc@yahoogroups.com, kf3di@..., N3XXH@..., k7sz@..., Ka3qpq@..., screamingeagle@..., k3zk@..., ledfoot@..., n3fa@..., suegan@..., rob@..., jd1@..., jgthomas1@..., rickr16@..., n3ssl@..., charleshooker23@gmail.com
Cc: wb3w@..., CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, nts-epa@yahoogroups.com, "David Kleber,KB3FXI" <david.kleber@...>, paham@...
Date: Saturday, November 21, 2009, 9:57 AM

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730. 2009 NWS SKYWARN Recognition Day

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-24 19:10:33 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 730 Message: 730

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

CQ CQ CQ
National Weather Service
Special Event
2009 SKYWARN Recognition Day
(December 4, 7 pm EST to December 5, 7 pm EST)

SKYWARN Recognition Day was developed in 1999 by the National Weather Service and the American Radio Relay League. It celebrates the contributions that volunteer SKYWARN radio operators make to the National Weather Service. During the day SKYWARN operators visit NWS offices and contact other radio operators across the world.

WX9IWX, National Weather Service Northern Indiana's amateur radio station, will once again be participating through the entire event. Contact us on 2/10/15/20/40/80m and 70cm via PHONE, CW and PSK-31. Look for around 90 to 100 registered offices to participate again this year.

For more information visit the 2009 SKYWARN Recognition Day website at http://hamradio. noaa.gov. At this website, you will find the latest information regarding this event. There is also information on how to receive your event certificate for the stations you've contacted and QSL information for WX9IWX (to be posted soon) and other stations providing QSL's.

As always, thank you for your commitment to the National Weather Service SKYWARN program.

Operators are needed for WX9IWX at the National Weather Service this year. Please contact Pat Murphy, WX9PAT at patrick.murphy@ noaa.gov for more information. Please help pass the word about this great amateur radio event. A special thanks to the Hoosier Lakes Radio Club, the Whitley County Amateur Radio Club, the Goshen Amateur Radio Club and all other volunteers for their assistance with this and past year's events.

73,

Pat

Patrick Murphy, WX9PAT
Lead Meteorologist
patrick.murphy@ noaa.gov
TEL: 574.834.1104
FAX: 574.834.3492

National Weather Service Northern Indiana
http://weather. gov/iwx

Goshen ARC
http://www.goshenarc.org

Hoosier Lakes RC
http://www.k9cwd.org

Whitley County ARC
http://www.wcarc.org
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/WCARG/

731. Happy Thanksgiving

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-26 07:00:07 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 731 Message: 731

I would like to take time and wish all our Members and their Family and Friends the Very Best and a Blessed Thanksgiving

The Turkey is what gets stuffed not you

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Thankgiving

73 De Don

KA9QJG

732. ICOM 706-NO MORE?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-11-29 16:18:40 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 732 Message: 732

http://www.southgatearc.org/news/november2009/icom_ic706.htm

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

733. KD7PIQ -- 14.3 -- DN16

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-02 13:43:37 UTC
From: slayer1of1
Topic: 733 Message: 733

KD7PIQ -- 14.3 -- SSB -- 14:00 -- DN16 Moscow Idaho USA

734. The new issue of antenneX for December 2009 has been published

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-03 07:17:11 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 734 Message: 734

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FYI

I just got this Info and Thought I would share You don"t have to buy it I found a lot of Useful antenna info for Free

Happy Holidays

Don

KA9QJG

PS If anyone thiks this is Spam and Say Don don"t post this Crap I will do that too

The new issue of antenneX for December 2009 has been published.

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Hope to see you soon

All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

735. Anybody up

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-07 08:23:58 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 735 Message: 735

anybody up and on the air?

I have a new tuner I wanna try out.

========== James - K8JHR ============

736. to Jim from Norm Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-07 17:48:44 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 735 Message: 736

Yes Jim i am ready and the guys r to we will be on in 30 minuts on 3.870 AM come on in and work the tuner your not that far away so should have gud signal.

Norm [O:)]

[NoonTime AM Forum at Yahoo Groups]
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/NoonTimeFourm/?yguid=101295457> please visit our website
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> ========== James - K8JHR ============
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737. Re: [CQCQCQ] to Jim from Norm Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-07 18:59:38 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 735 Message: 737

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========== James -K8JHR ==========

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> > ========== James - K8JHR ==========
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738. Re: to Jim from Norm Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-07 19:44:38 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 735 Message: 738

Ya Jim were on 3.870 AM every weekday and on fridays we have various
net control operators including myself.

We have several awards available for you to earn also and they can be
seen on our website at LINK:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/NoonTimeFourm/
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/NoonTimeFourm/>

It was nice to hear/talk with you on the net today jim and ur equipment
is working well u were between

and s-9 and 20 over 9 with good audio so its working and you are again
Jim invited to join us when

ever you like.

73,Norm [:)]

[Click Logo To Visit My Website ``The Real Ham``]
<http://www.qsl.net/kb9ygd/index.html/>

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739. RE: [CQCQCQ] to Jim from Norm Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-07 19:54:42 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 735 Message: 739

Hello James , I was tuning in My SWR Was Hi so I did not Xmit around 1:30pm Congratulations good Signal and Audio

5/9 Plus 20 I did not catch what Ant You are using ,

I think You will also notice How much longer the AM Guys Key down and talk I have not use AM much But I really enjoy a Listening to a Great qso On a Cold winter night . and a Hot Cup Of Cider in My Cup from Jim I picked up at Peoria Hamfest .

And To My Good friend and Neighbor Norm , Thanks for promoting Ham radio You also have a Good signal Most were 20-DB I "am using a Kenwood TS-2000 And about 256Ft of # 12 Wire about 30Ft above the Ground in a Full size Loop , Using My 2 Trees and Both Neighbors N/And S They gave Me permission that was nice

73 De Don

KA9QJG

740. Re: to Jim from Norm Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-07 21:26:08 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 735 Message: 740

Ok Don well with 256 ft of loop it will work well on all bands but you may have to experment as how to feed it ya know the impedence match i guess ur using open line 600/450 ohm LL very good antenna and when u can Don come on in and join us even if its only for a hi & by hi hi we have 2 awards you will like one is the old buzzard award ah ha ha its good and yes i have my repeater timeout award you awarded me hanging on my wall and on the website also thanks Don.
73,N [:D]
--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "ka9qjg" <KA9QJG@...> wrote:
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> Hello James , I was tuning in My SWR Was Hi so I did not Xmit around
> 1:30pm Congratulations good Signal and Audio
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741. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: to Jim from Norm Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-08 00:05:08 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 735 Message: 741

Thanks for the invitation. And for the good signal report. Seems like a really nice bunch of fellers. Relaxed, but serious about radio and related stuff.

Yes... it took me a few minutes to figure out how to set my radio to receive AM clearly ... it all sounded muddy and distorted, at least until I figured out how to re-set the roofing filters, bandwidth, and other settings on receive. After that, it was much cleaner and sounded good - at first, it only sounded good on one sideband. ... (Novice learning curve...)

Guess I need to bone up on the AM Mode !

Thanks, again. Especially for your patience as I got oriented !

======= James -K8JHR ===============

Norm wrote:

> *Ya Jim were on 3.870 _AM_

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742. Re: [CQCQCQ] to Jim from Norm Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-08 00:17:33 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 735 Message: 742

Thanks Don. Sorry you were not able to call back this time.

The antenna I was using is a 43 foot monopole (EX-Engineering)
which I fully describe building on my web pages - www.k8jhr.com

Yeah, they DO wind up and let it fly for extended periods.

As a relatively new operator, I will most likely do more
listening than talking, but I will take my turn and have
something to say... even if I keep it short. Interesting
discussions, they sound like serious students - and I like that.

Happy trails. ====== James -K8JHR =====

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743. Organizing QSL Cards

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-08 13:41:20 UTC
From: petergenereaux
Topic: 743 Message: 743

Will welcome how other hams file/orgaize QSL cards they receive.

73, Peter, W7PRG

744. Re: [CQCQCQ] Organizing QSL Cards

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-08 20:11:23 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 743 Message: 744

In a large file box - about fifteen inches long/deep left
over from my college debate days. Alphabetical dividers
for DX cards, and State dividers for domestic cards.

All indexed in a computer log.

========== Richards ==========

petergenereaux wrote:
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745. Re: [CQCQCQ] Organizing QSL Cards

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-08 21:10:15 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 743 Message: 745

I have been putting them on the wall in QSL holders but, I am running out of room in the shack area for that.
I got a couple of card sized file cabinets at the salvation army store and have started putting some in there.
72
Bill ab9qu

P.S.

no sort of organization for me. I just stick them someplace.

petergenereaux wrote:
> Will welcome how other hams file/orgaize QSL cards they receive.
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746. Nice Communications Setup

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-08 22:39:19 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 746 Message: 746

Sometimes it is nice I look around and see what of Other hams are doing in this Wonderful Hobby . I think most will Enjoy watching this If I was only that lucky

Don"t worry Santa will bring some of it to us

Happy Holidays

73 De Don KA9QJG

Antennas
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=t7GqQWNZAtQ&NR=1

Radio Room

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4unqE6iM5_Y&NR=1

Field Day
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Si-vOHwEM5g&feature=related

747. Re: [CQCQCQ] Nice Communications Setup

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-08 23:21:28 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 746 Message: 747

There is no way that guy is married....not with all THAT
many toys..... His electric bill must be horrendous.

========== Richards ==========

ka9qjg1 wrote:
> Sometimes it is nice I look around and see what
of Other hams are doing in this Wonderful Hobby
>
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748. ARRL 10 Meter Contest this weekend Dec 12th & 13th...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-11 05:17:53 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 748 Message: 748

FYI\

and 73

Happy Holidays

Don KA9QJG

I got this info from another Group I belong to I do have Permission to repost it From the Owner

Don KB9UMT

He runs a Very Large Group called the Ham Radio Help If You like Join and check it out But Please read and Abide by their Rules .

Don sure dos a lot of Research on a Subject and post a lot of good links

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/HamRadioHelpGroup/

Just a heads up for those that my not remember, know, or are new that one of the focuses this week on HF will be on the 10 Meter Band...the ARRL 10 Meter Contest is this weekend.

If you are new to HF then please listen in or better yet get your feet wet and give it a go this weekend on 10 meters, it is always ineresting. Those with Tech License this is one contest you can join in on since Tech's can operate voice and cw on 10 meters so think about jumping in making some contacts. Please know the exchange and go over the rules before you answer another contest CQ but they will welcome the contacts and points. You do not have to have a big station to participate.

Many at this time of the year will say the 10 meter band is not open or it will be dead...we are at the cycle minimum...well, listen in because there will no doubt be some 10 meter band openings this weekend with this many operators focuses on 10 meters along with some big stations wanting some contest contacts/points.

Have fun
de kb9umt Don

Some other info.....

Rules and details about the ARRL 10 Meter Contest:
http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2009/10-meters.html

Just a couple reads about this contest (there are hundreds):
http://www.eham.net/articles/740

http://www.contesting.com/articles/42

http://www.arrl.org/contests/results/2001/10-Meters.pdf

Again...you don't have to have a big station to participate, so please listen in or jump in if the band is open. There are going to be some big stations on the band more for you than you for them and some of them just might have the equipment to find you:

http://www.kh6yy.net/antenna.html

http://user.txcyber.com/~nx5m/antennas.htm

There are going to be those from QRP (low power) to QRO (high power), some on wire antennas, simple dipoles, random wires, mobile, portable, verticals, yagis, quads, stacked arrays, etc...you will hear or see it all on the band so give it try. Some antennas from simple to maybe more complex yet simple too for 10 Meters:

http://www.amwindow.org/tech/htm/tenmant/tenmant.htm

http://www.hamuniverse.com/10metertechniciandipole.html

http://www.hamuniverse.com/kl7jr1012wirebeam.html

http://www.dxportal.com/stats/content/10112-10-meter-homebrew-vertical-dipole-antenna.html

http://www.hamuniverse.com/wonderbar.html

http://please.name.my/179/my-homebrew-10-meter-moxon-antenna-in-my-backyard.html

http://www.arrl.org/tis/info/pdf/9904067.pdf

http://www.k2kw.com/verticals/learning.html

You will even find some that don't care what antenna they throw up and they still will make contacts on a weekend like this:

http://www.n0ew.org/StrangeAntennas/10m.html

Need a simple logging software for this contest then go here:

http://www.n3fjp.com/10Met.htm

Want to map the action then look on any DX Cluster or DX SPOT site but you can also watch spotted action here:

http://www.ve3sun.com/dxmon/quickstart.html

749. Contest Logger for Radio Amateurs.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-12 01:12:24 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 749 Message: 749

FYI

73

De Don KA9QJG

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Our member Bob KA9AQZ sent this site to me and I thought I would
send it along for you to view, If your Interested? It's free

http://www.ei5di.com/

750. NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-39

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-12 01:13:57 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 750 Message: 750

FYI

The NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-39 has been published on Friday 12/11/2009 at 1400 UTC, valid 0000 UTC Saturday 12/12/2009 through 2359 UTC Friday 12/18/2009 at

http://www.wcflunatall.com/nz4o3.htm .

73 De Don KA9QJG

751. contest

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-13 15:14:31 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 751 Message: 751

I am parked at 28.400 if anyone is looking for a contact

73'

Bob
WB3DYE-Eastern Pa

752. {Disarmed} RE: [CQCQCQ] contest

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-13 15:23:39 UTC
From: Jim Thibeault
Topic: 751 Message: 752

Hi Bob,

I tried calling you but no reply. I haven't heard anyone on 10 meters at all this weekend.

Jim
<http://www.jimsengraving.com/> www.jimsengraving.com

Ham Radio Study Guides
<http://www.jimsengraving.com/main/page_ham_radio_study_guides.html>
http://www.jimsengraving.com/main/page_ham_radio_study_guides.html
Prayer for President Obama Psalms 109:8
"The more corrupt the state, the more it legislates." - Tacitus

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of worksntv@...
Sent: Sunday, December 13, 2009 9:15 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] contest

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73'

Bob
WB3DYE-Eastern Pa

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This message has been scanned for viruses and
dangerous content by MailScanner, and is
believed to be clean.

753. A Big New Sunspot Emerges

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-16 05:33:19 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 753 Message: 753

FYI

Happy Holidays

Don KA9QJG

Space Weather News for Dec. 15, 2009
http://spaceweather.com

BIG NEW SUNSPOT: Just yesterday, sunspot 1035 was nearly invisible. Today, it is as wide as seven planet Earths. The fast-growing active region burst into view on Dec. 14th with a magnetic polarity that clearly identifies it as a member of new Solar Cycle 24. If the expansion continues apace, it could soon become the largest sunspot of the year. Check

http://spaceweather.com for movies, photos and updates.

754. New ARRL Course on Digital Technology for EmComms

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-16 08:52:32 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 754 Message: 754

FYI

Happy Holidays

Don KA9QJG

New ARRL Course on Digital Technology for
EmComms

With digital technology becoming an
integral part of Amateur Radio, hams interested in emergency communications now
have a new tool to help them take advantage of emerging modes such as Packet
Radio APRS, Winlink 2000, IRLP, EchoLink and WIRES-II, D-STAR, APCO25, HF
sound card modes and Automatic Link Establishment (ALE). The ARRL Digital
Technology for Emergency Communications will introduce hams to all of
the ways Amateur Radio operators are using digital technology as a valuable
emergency communications tool.

http://www.arrl.org/news/stories/2008/11/13/10448/?nc=1

Written by ARRL
Publications Manager and QST Editor Steve Ford, WB8IMY, this self-study
CD-ROM will answer such questions as: Can you transfer supply lists or
personnel assignments between emergency operations sites? Can you get critical
e-mails to the Internet if a connection goes down? Can you relay digital
images of damage at specific locations? Can you track the locations of emergency
personnel and display them on computer maps?

Illustrations, screenshots, Internet links and audio files are used to demonstrate
transmission modes and equipment configurations. Bite-sized learning units
and interactive knowledge checks make learning interesting and fun.

"This course is a great starting point for anyone interested
in the public service applications of digital communications technology,"
said Ford.

755. Newly released - 2477 tech articles

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-17 05:46:23 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 755 Message: 755

FYI

Disclaimer I have Never ordered from this Place I Have found enough FREE Helpful ant info on their site

Happy Hoilidays

Don KA9QJG

On or before December 21, 2009, antenneX will be publishing a new version of each of the following popular DVD/CDs with 2477 tech articles:

The Combo DVD Pack contains the new antenneX DVD #21 (1,667 articles) and CD #10 of the LB Cebik, W4RNL (SK) CD-ROM with some 800 articles.

Prices will be held at previous existing prices but increase after Jan. 1:

Because there is more content, the prices will increase for the new versions. However, if a reserved advance copy is purchased before Jan 1, orders will be accepted at the old prices of the previous versions 20 (antenneX DVD) and #15 Combo Pack (antenneX DVD & Cebik CD).

For more info about each of the disks:
- http://www.antennex.com/Sshack/cdrom.htm
- http://www.antennex.com/Sshack/cd_cebik.htm
- http://www.antennex.com/Sshack/cd_combo.htm

Each above page includes links to the order forms.

For those who have purchased earlier versions, the discounted upgrade price applies and you should order that one.

Also, if you are looking for a Xmas special gift for yourself or a friend, our Bookshelf section of the Shopping Shack is an excellent source of fine technical reading material, including more than 60 books http://www.antennex.com/Sshack/books.htm

Also, don't overlook the special already running on the new book release, "Antennas Made of Wires - Volumes 1 & 2" and get 103 bonus modeling files,
(103 NEC and 103 EZNEC formats).
http://www.antennex.com/Sshack/wire/wire.html

The Shopping Shack contains apprx 100+ choice items pertaining to antennas and radio-related products. See the main menu at:
http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm

Merry Christmas to one and all!

All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

756. NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-40

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-18 19:45:18 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 756 Message: 756

FYI

And Happy Holidays

73 De Don KA9QJG

The NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2009-40 has been published on Friday 12/18/2009 at 1300 UTC, valid 0000 UTC Saturday 12/19/2009 through 2359 UTC Friday 12/25/2009 at

http://www.wcflunatall.com/nz4o3.htm

73 & GUD DX,
Thomas F. Giella, NZ4O
Lakeland, FL, USA
nz4o@...

757. ---coming in here with s9 signal

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-19 21:35:49 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 757 Message: 757

Belgium on 7.132 Mhz---coming in here with s9 signal---made contact with 100 watts and dipole!

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

758. Re: [CQCQCQ] ---coming in here with s9 signal

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-20 08:16:41 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 757 Message: 758

THAT is why we do ham radio. Right there. Nice.

========= James = K8JHR ==========

worksntv@... wrote:
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759. Three Solar Cycle 24 Sunspot Groups

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-20 19:54:35 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 759 Message: 759

FYI

And Happy Holidays

Don KA9QJG

Posted Sunday December 20, 2009 at 1200 UTC at

http://www.wcflunatall.com/nz4o4.htm

We now officially have solar cycle 24 sunspot group #11036, located near S29W19 with a beta magnetic signature. We also have solar cycle 24 sunspot group #11037, located near N18E54 with a beta magnetic signature.

We now have three solar cycle 24 numbered sunspot groups in existence at the same time, a new record high for solar cycle 24. Also the sunspot number is 43, also a new record high for solar cycle 24.

73, GUD DX, Merry X-mas & Happy New Year, Thomas F. Giella, NZ4O Lakeland, FL, USA nz4o@...

760. Re: [CQCQCQ] Three Solar Cycle 24 Sunspot Groups

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-20 19:59:07 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 759 Message: 760

You know.... I am reluctant to embrace this sunspot activity...

I was kinda getting used to the challenge, and every contact
was taking on more meaning given the low propagation...
but if it is getting better, than it will become too easy and
less valuable.

Shakespeare wrote, something close to:

"The prize be light, lest the winning be easy."

======== James -K8JHR ================

ka9qjg1 wrote:

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761. RE: [CQCQCQ] Three Solar Cycle 24 Sunspot Groups

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-20 20:26:42 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 759 Message: 761

You know James I have to agree When things become to easy it takes the Fun out , But Hey You did put up some good Ant systems and run good Equipment

Back over 2o Yrs ago when 10 Meters was great you could and I did work Japan and Aus and Many more QRP On 5 watts or less.

But when I first go on there all I had was a little Uniden HR-2510 25 watt Max Rig looked like a CB and some even used it for that

I put up a random long wire and used a tuner and I would get in the Big piles ups and try and try and try To Make a contact, I got pretty good at knowing when to put the call out I would always listen and see how that person was taking them in ,

I would count to 3 After He would un key and all the Big guns who sounded like a bunch of bees called And all of a sudden the Station would tell Me to go ahead .

I did some trading and repairing and Hamfest shopping and finally got My First real Ham radio a Kenwood TS-440S And a 60 Ft Tower with a 4 Element Cushcraft Horz Beam ,

Then I would listen to the pile ups turn the beam Put My call in once and the Station would come back 5 And 9 and I made the contacts and Exchanged QSL Cards got WAS on 10

Guess what it was no longer Fun digging them out of the noise it was more Fun when the Band was dead and using a piece of wire and low power I think Ham Radio is something We should move slow at and Enjoy it Find out what Mode You like ATV ..PKT ..DIGITAL -CW -AM -QRP-- BOAT ANCHORS-- SATS And as You Know many more then put your efforts into that one and do the best you can

But when listening which I do most and Hear a New ham or someone calling CQ To check something out Etc .

I will always Be there for them Just because it is old for Me We do not want to Spoil it for the Newcomers and always make them feel Welcome ,

I have had some New hams unfortunately run into some good ol boys on the bands , And after that experience some never wanted to key a Mic again

Happy Holidays

Don KA9QJG

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======== James -K8JHR ================

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762. Re: [CQCQCQ] Three Solar Cycle 24 Sunspot Groups

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-20 22:31:17 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 759 Message: 762

Great post, Don. A lot of buckshot in one shell.

========== James -K8JHR ==========

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> ======== James -K8JHR ================
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763. TAPR PSR Jounal Fall Issue Now On-line & TAPR on Twitter

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-20 22:57:32 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 763 Message: 763

FYI
And I share this info With others that May be interested in it or not aware .

Happy Holidays

Don KA9QJG

TAPR's PSR Journal Fall Issue is Now On-Line at:

http://www.tapr.org/psr/psr109.pdf

All PSR Issues Are Now Online
By Stan Horzepa , WA1LOU

All current and back issues of TAPR's quarterly
newsletter, Packet Status Register (PSR), are now
online and accessible at www.tapr.org/psr
The newsletters are in Adobe Acrobat format.
Thanks to John Ackermann, N8UR, Phil Karn,
KA9Q, John Koster, W9DDD, and Darryl Smith,
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signing up here:
https://www.tapr.org/cgi□bin/mailman/listinfo/
psr□pdf
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TAPR Twitter

TAPR set□up a Twitter account for TAPR
to keep TAPR members and digital enthusiasts
aware of TAPR's events & activities.

The TAPR Twitter account can be accessed
at: http://www.twitter.com/taprdigital

764. New Solar Cycle 24 Sunspot Group

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-24 22:37:05 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 764 Message: 764

FYI

And Happy Holidays to All

Don KA9QJG

Posted Thursday December 24, 2009 at 1300 UTC at http://www.wcflunatall.com/nz4o4.htm

A new solar cycle 24 sunspot group emerged early this morning. It is located near S27E26 and appears to have a simple beta magnetic signature. If and when it's numbered by NOAA/SWPC it will be #11040.

If numbered then the month of December has seen seven solar cycle 24 sunspot groups emerge. And of course that is a new record for solar cycle 24.

The solar flux index values for December 23rd were 80.7 78.4 76.8 and the sunspot number 23.

73, GUD DX, Merry X-mas & Happy New Year, Thomas F. Giella, NZ4O Lakeland, FL, USA nz4o@...

765. MARS Radio gets New Name

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-27 02:13:52 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 765 Message: 765

FYI

Happy Holidays

Don KA9QJG

On Wednesday, December 23, the U.S. Department of Defense (DoD) issued an Instruction

<http://www.dtic.mil/whs/directives/corres/pdf/465002p.pdf>

concerning MARS, effective immediately. This Instruction gives the three MARS services -- Army, Air Force and Navy/Marine Corps -- a new focus on homeland security and a new name: Military Auxiliary Radio System. The Instruction is the first major revision to <http://www.arrl.org/news/files/dod46502_1988.doc> MARS since January 26, 1988 -- as such, the first revision since the 9/11 attacks and Hurricane Katrina, two major events that changed the way Amateur Radio dealt with emergency communications.

The DoD defines a "military auxiliary" as "an organized body of volunteers prepared to supplement the uniformed services or any designated civilian authorities by provision of specialized autonomous services when called upon or when situations warrant," and gives the Civil Air Patrol and Coast Guard Auxiliary as examples of auxiliaries.

In the past, MARS had focused primarily on emergency communications and health and welfare support. The DoD's Instruction now directs the three MARS services to provide "contingency radio communications" to support US government operations, DoD components and "civil authorities at all levels," providing for national security and emergency preparedness events. MARS units will still continue to provide health and welfare communications support "to military members, civilian employees and contractors of DoD Components, and civil agency employees and contractors, when in remote or isolated areas, in contingencies or whenever appropriate." MARS must also be capable of operation in "radio only" modes -- without landlines or the Internet -- and sustainable on emergency power (when public utility power has failed); some MARS stations must be transportable for timely deployment.

The Instruction, however, does not mention which of the three MARS services will take the lead when responding to events. According to sources, this has been seen as a critical issue in conforming to the National Incident Management System (NIMS) that calls for "unity of command." As now constituted, the three separate MARS services are supposed do "interoperate," but command-wise, each operates independently. Some MARS members had urged clarification on this issue to avoid confusion during an emergency, sources said.

The Secretaries of the Army, Air Force and Navy are to encourage participation in MARS, the Instruction states, saying this may be accomplished "by establishing and funding an active MARS program within each Military Department, which shall then assign a MARS-licensed staff representative to manage operations, readiness, planning, procedural and technical development, documentation, standards, training, equipment, program and membership administration, and other matters necessary for mission accomplishment."

The Secretaries are also tasked with bringing new personnel into their MARS services. The Instruction calls on them to establish programs "to promote civilian interest, recruit qualified volunteers, sponsor them for basic background checks and furnish them suitable training in contingency support communications."

The Instruction also dictates that MARS leaders will now report to three DoD officials; before this revision, they only reported to one person. The Assistant Secretary of Defense for Homeland Security and Americas Security Affairs (ASD [HD&ASA]) now has primary responsibility for the MARS Defense Support of Civil Authorities (DSCA) mission. In addition, MARS leaders will report to the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Networks and Information Integration/DoD Chief Information Officer (ASD[NII]/DoD CIO) and the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Logistics and Material Readiness (ASD[L&MR]). In the 1998 charter, oversight of MARS was assigned to a single top official, the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Command, Control, Communications and Intelligence.

This revision -- which was years in the making -- keeps the Navy/Marine Corps MARS intact; until now, members of this MARS service were concerned that their part of MARS might be terminated by Navy commanders.

The Instruction also gives some new perks to MARS members. Active duty military personnel who are affiliated with MARS may be able to earn Reserve points based on service in MARS and, in cases of permanent change of station, qualify for weight exemption for transportation of MARS communications equipment. All members may be considered for benefits associated with DoD civilian service, such as access to DoD morale, welfare and recreation Category C recreational facilities and access to DoD credit unions.

Membership in any of the three MARS services is open to qualified active duty, Guard and Reserve personnel, as well as those in civilian agencies who report to civil authorities or their supporting organizations (including nongovernmental organizations) and private US citizens who meet age, education and other criteria -- such as an FCC-issued Amateur Radio license -- imposed by a DoD Component MARS office.

766. ARRL Webinar - Legal Issues for Amateur Radio Clubs January 6th @ 8 - 9:30 pm C

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-27 03:46:37 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 766 Message: 766

FYI

Happy holidays

Don KA9QJG

http://www.arrl.org/?artid=9341

Atlantic Division to Host Webinar (Dec 22, 2009)
-- Periodically, the ARRL s Atlantic Division hosts a webinar -- an interactive Web-based seminar, designed to facilitate communication between a small number of presenters and a large remote audience using the Internet.

On Wednesday, January 6 at 9 PM EST, ARRL General Counsel Chris Imlay, W3KD, along with attorneys Bob Famiglio, K3RF, and Mike Lazaroff, K3AIR, will present a webinar for Amateur Radio club officers or prospective club officers entitled Presentation on Legal Issues for Amateur Radio Clubs. According to Bill Edgar, N3LLR, this presentation will touch on legal issues for Amateur Radio clubs or organizations.
The panel will cover club incorporation, liability issues and legal issues for clubs.

Please click herehttps://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/503665777 to register for this informative, interactive Internet meeting.

767. Sunspot Surge and a Blue Moon Eclipse

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-31 05:52:48 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 767 Message: 767

FYI

And I wish Everyone a Healthy and Great New Year

Good DX

Don

KA9QJG

Space Weather News for Dec. 31, 2009
http://spaceweather.com

SUNSPOT SURGE: 2009 is ending with a flurry of sunspots. The month of December has had more "spotted days" than any previous month of the year by a significant margin, and all of the month's sunspot groups have been members of new Solar Cycle 24. Could this herald an end to the deepest solar minimum in nearly a century? That remains to be seen. Sunspot counts and trends are shown on today's edition of http://spaceweather.com.

SOMETHING NEW: Turn your iPhone or iPod Touch into a field-tested satellite tracker! Spaceweather.com presents the Satellite Flybys app: http://simpleflybys.com

BLUE MOON ECLIPSE: For the first time in almost 20 years, there's going to be a "Blue Moon" on New Year's Eve. In Europe, sky watchers will witness an even rarer event--an eclipse of a Blue Moon on New Year's Eve. What are the odds? Probabilities and observing tips may be found at http://spaceweather.com.

768. Source of used Milltary equipment

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-31 17:34:38 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 768 Message: 768

http://tinyurl.com/yhsefp6

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

769. Cebik's 2-Vol Book Wire Antenna Special

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2009-12-31 20:24:32 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 767 Message: 769

First, I wish a Happy/Healthy New Year to everyone and your family and friends!

FYI

I Post about this because most of like to learn more about antennas , I find a lot of Free useful info on their site But I actually looked around and they have a lot of other Ham related books with good info , I have never dealt with them but thought I would share the info

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS You know what the best Antenna is? Well that would be the one You made out of Materials lying around , cut to the Freq and put up in the Winter storm or Bad Weather / and it Works great

We publish and maintain two of the most important and popular sites on the Internet pertaining to antennas and radio-related topics. We appreciate your support of these sites, www.antennex.com and www.cebik.com and its 120,000 monthly traffic enjoyed. 2009 has been an exceptional year and we look forward to 2010. Thank you all!

The purpose of this message is to let folks know that the special offer for the new 535-page book release of "Antennas Made from Wires - Vol 1" to be followed with Volume 2 shortly after January 1 has been extended from the scheduled expiration today (Dec. 31) to the date of the Volume 2 release in early January 2010.

This 2-Volume book series and models are based on the works of a master, LB Cebik, W4RNL (SK). Volume 1 starts with the wire basics and progresses to more complex designs. Volume 2 will contain even more complex designs. These 2 books surely will cover the antenna needs of most readers as well as a great learning experience.

The purchase of Volume 1 and the reservation of an advance copy of Volume 2 prior to its release earns a free bonus of 100+ wire modeling files (in both NEC & EZNEC). Those wire models will be shipped (or available for download) immediately with Volume 1 now available.

Volume 2 delivery will follow as soon as production is finished. After that date, the bonus files will no longer be included. Be sure to place your order before that date to save 26% with the bonus!

We are extending the special offer because this wire series has proved to be one of the most popular of our book releases.

Folks who purchase downloads will be notified when, how and where to download Volume 2 when ready. Those who purchase the CD-ROM version, Volume

2 will be shipped as soon as available to the same address as Volume 1.

For more info about this special offer, please see this page:
http://www.antennex.com/Sshack/wire/wire.html

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For lots of other good things like more books, software, etc. -- more than
100 products:
http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm

All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

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770. WARAC Hamfest, Waukesha, WI, Saturday, 1/9/10

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-01 22:58:16 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 770 Message: 770

Well it is 2010 Hope Everyone is having a Great Start for the New Year , I know it is cold for most of us and it would be Great to get out to a Hamfest , Here is one To far for Me but I thought I would post the info ,

73 De Don KA9QJG

WARAC Hamfest, Waukesha, WI, Saturday, 1/9

Waukesha County Expo Center

Hamfest Flyer

http://www.warac.org/swap/flyer.pdf

PS If Santa brought someone a New Radio for Christmas Get on here and set up a Schedule and check it out ,That is what this group is all about

And I know I"am not the only one who waited to Winter to put up some antennas The work better when We do that .

771. Re: [CQCQCQ] WARAC Hamfest, Waukesha, WI, Saturday, 1/9/10

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-02 00:02:16 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 770 Message: 771

ka9qjg1 wrote:
> Hope Everyone is having a Great Start for the New Year

ER.... AH... THANKS, DON....

BUT, I HAVE OTHER PLANS....

---------- Richards -- K8JHR ----------

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772. NZ4O Propagation Forecast #2010-01

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-02 01:14:06 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 772 Message: 772

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

The NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2010-01 has been published on Friday 01/01/2009 at 1700 UTC, valid 0000 UTC Saturday 01/02/2010 through 2359 UTC Friday 01/08/2009 at

http://www.wcflunatall.com/nz4o3.htm .

73 & GUD DX,
Thomas F. Giella, NZ4O
Lakeland, FL, USA
nz4o@...

773. [Cebiksite] Published Jan 2010 New Issue

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-04 02:23:47 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 773 Message: 773

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

The new issue of antenneX January 2010 has been published.

If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue #153 is now ready to read at your pleasure!

Whether you are a paid subscriber or not, there are always several new articles and other downloads made freely available in the Guest Rooms each month.

For more info about this new issue:
http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html

For all of the articles, be sure you have a premium subscription and don't miss this new issue with 10 fresh articles by authors around the globe!

Another new feature article by LB Cebik is included in addition to the continuation of his Antenna Modeling Column. A special of his also appears in the Ham WorkShop about stealth antennas.

To subscribe:
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Be sure to consider joining the Antenna Discussion List where numerous interesting subjects are covered and the articles are discussed in greater detail.

http://www.antennex.com/help/subscribe.htm

More than 100 products in the Shopping Shack:
http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm
Happy New Year & hope to see you soon!

All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

774. RE: [HamRadioHelpGroup] 80/75m chat

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-04 03:23:45 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 774 Message: 774

I am currently on 75/80 and Angie, if you are still around, you owe a few of us a contact. I am posting this on both the HRHG and the CQCQCQ group

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
kc0jpo@...
Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
http://mcares.synthasite.com/
"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: HamRadioHelpGroup@yahoogroups.com
[mailto:HamRadioHelpGroup@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Angelica
Sent: Sunday, January 03, 2010 1:48 PM
To: HAM Radio Help
Subject: [HamRadioHelpGroup] 80/75m chat

Hi, I was wondering if anyone would care to chat sometime on 80/75m either tonight (Sunday) or tomorrow sometime? I am trying to get back into ragchewing. :-)

73, Angie / KD8HMS

775. MissionCritical's Newsletter for Jan. 6, 2010

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-06 20:41:12 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 775 Message: 775

Hope Everyone had a Great Holiday

FYI

Here is a Monthly Communications Mag I get , lots of Nice articles And Great for us to keep up with the New Tech in our Communications Hobby

Enjoy

Don KA9QJG

http://mccmag.com/transmission/ONL.cfm

776. Heathkit Site for Parts

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-10 02:18:52 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 776 Message: 776

I know some of You Older Members Not me , Repair and collect old Radios Here is a Nice Heathkit Site for Parts Etc.

http://www.ultrawebb.com/OHP/

73 De Don KA9QJG

777. [Cebiksite] Vol 2 Released - Antennas Made from Wires

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-10 21:57:23 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 777 Message: 777

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

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http://www.antennex.com/Sshack/wire/wire.html

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Thanks for your time & hope to see you soon!

All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

778. WCRA Midwest Wheaton Il Hamfest 24 Jan 10

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-11 02:09:32 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 778 Message: 778

Hope Everyone is doing OK in the New Year , Time to get out and enjoy a Hamfest to see If Santa brought some New Equipment and Some are Dumping , OOPS Bad choice of Words , Their like New Non Smoking either Way Equipment , If not to far check it out

73 De Don KA9QJG

[WCRA Logo] WCRA Mid-Winter Hamfest www.wheatonhamfest.org
We maintain our hamfest information as a sub-domain to our W9CCU.ORG web site:

Our 2010 Hamfest is just around the corner, January 24, 2010.

For Our Vendors, Our 2010 Fleamarket Hamfest Letter <http://wheatonhamfest.org/fleamarket_letter_final.pdf> has just arrived. For more information, contact John wt9y <mailto:j.p.faber@att.net> directly.

We will be returning to last year's facility at Kane County Fair Grounds, come check it out <http://wheatonhamfest.org/newfestlocation.htm> .

As in last year, Girl and Boy Scouts, Under 18 Years Of Age, And In Official Scout Uniforms, Will Be Admitted Free To Our Hamfest.

Our Forum information has not yet been updated for 2010, This is last year's forums information <http://wheatonhamfest.org/hamfestforums.htm> .

For Our Customers, Our January 2010 Hamfest Flyer <http://wheatonhamfest.org/flyer.pdf> is just a click away.

779. Re: [CQCQCQ] WCRA Midwest Wheaton Il Hamfest 24 Jan 10

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-11 03:05:07 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 778 Message: 779

I you are going to the Wheaton Hamfest to see what Santa
has for you...

well...
er...
um... Santa already missed your house.

;-)
========== JHR ==========

On 1/10/2010 9:09 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:

, Time to get out and enjoy a
> Hamfest to see If Santa brought some New Equipment

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780. Great Ant Info

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-12 05:22:15 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 780 Message: 780

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS I Have Not bought anything from this Site, but there is a lot of Helpful Free antenna info

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782. Re: [CQCQCQ] AEA PK-232

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-12 23:37:03 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 781 Message: 782

Wow... seems like a lot of money for a bunch of old DOS programs...

Happy trails and 73.

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

On 1/12/2010 12:21 AM, ka9qjg1 wrote:
> FYI
> I know some are still using the AEA PK-232 for Digital Communications Here is some good info
>

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783. Haiti Live Audio

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-14 22:20:01 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 783 Message: 783

This is from another group I belong to you can listen to live Audio from a few different sources, know a Few do not have HF Equipment or good outside Ant.

Also in Listening it will give you some Idea how the Hams and other Conduct the Nets. Anything we can do in Ham Radio to help and promote this Wonderful Hobby is always a plus

Our Thoughts and prayers go out to all that are involved

Subj: [LiveScannerAudio] Haiti Live Audio Feeds Up

http://tinyurl.com/ybzu6so

Also 14.265MHz SATERN Net

73 De Don

KA9QJG

784. Re: [CQCQCQ] Haiti Live Audio

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-14 23:20:40 UTC
From: John
Topic: 783 Message: 784

Thank you for the link.

John
KE7JSL

>
> http://tinyurl.com/ybzu6so
>
> Also 14.265MHz SATERN Net
>
> 73 De Don
>
> KA9QJG
>

785. ARRL VHF Sweepstakes, Saturday, 1/23 1900 UTC - Monday, 1/25 0359 UTC

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-16 01:00:33 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 785 Message: 785

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Warm Up with the ARRL January VHF Sweepstakes!
VHF weak-signal operators will be on the bands in force the weekend of January 23-25 as the ARRL January VHF
hits the airwaves. This contest gives the VHFer in all of us a chance to do some contesting during the winter months.

http://tinyurl.com/yehwptw

ARRL Contest Branch Manager Sean Kutzko, KX9X said that January may not seem like the ideal time to hold a VHF+ contest: "After all, sporadic-E propagation is most commonly associated with summer months; however, the propagation gods like to surprise and confound, and there have been plenty of QSOs made via sporadic-E in the colder months through the years. Plenty of other chances for enhancement exist as well, thanks to tropospheric ducting and auroral propagation.
Thanks to the advent of WSJTsoftware, making QSOs via meteor scatter in the wee hours of the morning on 6 and 2 meters has never been easier. You have plenty of opportunities to make long-haul QSOs on the VHF+ bands in January!"

Kutzko said that getting on the VHF bands is easy. Technician class licensees have permission to use all amateur bands above 50 MHZ, and the antennas for VHF frequencies are comparatively smaller than their HF counterparts. A dipole for 6 meters is less than 10 feet long and most modern transceivers come with 50 MHz built-in. So, string up a dipole for 6 meters and see what you can work!

"While most contest QSOs will be made using SSB and CW," Kutzko said, "don't forget about FM simplex. There are numerous stations that enjoy 2 meter FM simplex QSOs, especially if you live near a large population center. Just be sure to keep the national 2 meter calling frequency of 146.52 MHz clear of contest activity. Don't neglect the higher bands, either -- 222 MHz, 432 MHz and 1.2 GHz and up will see activity this weekend, too."

The 2010 ARRL January VHF Sweepstakes runs from 1900 UTC Saturday, January 23 through 0359 UTC Monday, January 25. Participants can submit their Cabrillo-formatted logs via e-mail. Paper logs may be sent to ARRL January VHF Sweepstakes, 225 Main St, Newington, CT 06111. All logs must be postmarked no later than 0359 UTC Thursday, February 25, 2010.

2010 ARRL January VHF Sweepstakes
General Rules
1. Object: To work as many amateur stations in as many different 2 degrees x 1 degree grid squares as possible using authorized frequencies above 50 MHz. Foreign stations work W/VE amateurs only.
2. Date and Contest Period: The date will be announced annually by the ARRL but will

generally be the third or fourth weekend in January. Begins 1900 UTC Saturday, ends 0359 UTC Monday (January 23-25, 2010)..
3. Entry Categories:
1. 3.1. Single Operator.
1. 3.1.1. Low Power
2. 3.1.2. High Power
2. 3.2. Single Operator Portable
3. 3.3. Rover.
1. 3.3.1. Rover
2. 3.3.2. Limited Rover
3. 3.3.3. Unlimited Rover
4. 3.4. Multioperator.
5. 3.5. Limited Multioperator.
See ?General Rules for All ARRL Contests Above 50 MHz? for detailed category definitions.
4. Exchange: Grid-square locator (see April 1994 QST, p 86).
1. 4.1. Exchange of signal report is optional.
5. Scoring:
1. 5.1. QSO points:
1. 5.1.1. Count one point for each complete 50- or 144-MHz QSO.
2. 5.1.2. Count two points for each 222- or 432-MHz QSO.
3. 5.1.3. Count four points for each 902- or 1296-MHz QSO.
4. 5.1.4. Count eight points for each 2.3 GHz (or higher) QSO.
2. 5.2. Multiplier: The total number of different grid squares worked per band. Each 2 degrees x 1 degree grid square counts as one multiplier on each band it is worked.
3. 5..3. Final score: Multiply the total number of QSO points from all bands operated by the total number of multipliers for final score.
4. 5.4. Rovers only: The final score consists of the total number of QSO points from all bands times the sum of unique multipliers (grid squares) worked per band (regardless of which grid square they were made in) plus one additional multiplier for every grid square from which they successfully completed a contact.
1. 5.4.1. Rovers are listed in the contest score listings under the Division from which the most QSOs were made.
6. Reporting:
1. 6.1. Electronic submissions may be emailed to JanuaryVHF@... and hand-written paper logs or diskettes mailed to January VHF, ARRL, 225 Main St, Newington, CT 06111.
2. 6.2. Entries that have been electronically generated must submit their log file in the Cabrillo file format. Paper printouts of electronic files are not acceptable substitutes.
3. 6.3. Entries must be emailed or postmarked no later than 0359 UTC Thursday, February 25, 2010.
4. 6.4. Entries may be submitted using the web applet at www.b4h.net/cabforms
5. 6.5. Rovers who submit scores for the club competition must submit a second summary sheet indicating QSOs and scoreif they make any contacts from outside of the club territory. Indicate clearly on the summary sheet and in log if the log is the total entry or that portion to be counted for the club score.
7. Miscellaneous:
1. 7.1. Stations may be worked for credit only once per band from any given grid square, regardless of mode. This does not prohibit working a station from more than one grid square with the same call sign (such as a Rover).
2. 7.2. Only one signal per band (6, 2, 11/4, etc) at any given time is permitted, regardless of mode.
3. 7.3. Multi-operator stations may not include QSOs with their own operators except on

frequencies higher than 2.3 GHz. Even then, a complete, different station (transmitter, receiver and antenna) must exist for each QSO made under these conditions.
8. Awards: Certificates will be awarded in the following categories:
1. 8.1. Single operator.
1. 8.1.1. Top Single Operator in each ARRL/RAC Section for high and low power.
2. 8.1.2. Top Single Operator on each band (50, 144, 222, 432, 902, 1296 and 2304-and-up categories) in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Note: Since the highest score per band will be the award winner for that band, an entrant may win a certificate with additional single-band endorsements.) For example, if KA1RWY has the highest single-operator all-band score in the CT Section and her 50- and 222-MHz scores are higher than any other CT single operator?s, she will earn a certificate for being the single-operator Section leader and endorsements for 50 and 222 MHz.
2. 8.2. Top Single-Operator Portable in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Single operator portable entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)
3. 8.3. Top Rover, Limited Rover and Unlimited Rover in each ARRL Division and Canada where significant effort or competition is evident. (Rover entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)
4. 8.4. Top Multioperator score in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)
5. 8.5. Top Limited Multioperator in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Limited Multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)
6. 8.6. Top DX stations where significant effort or competition is evident.
9. Other:
1. 9.1. See ?General Rules for All ARRL Contests? and ?General Rules for ARRL Contests on bands above 50 MHz (VHF)? in November 2001 QST or on the ARRL Web at www.arrl..org/contests
2. 9.2. For more information contact contests@... or (860) 594-0232.

786. OT Aircraft ID

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-17 06:59:52 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 786 Message: 786

I know we have Members who like Monitoring Aircraft Etc. This site is the best I have seen It was and I thought I would share it ,

You can actually see what some from around the World look like Old, New, Military and Civilian

http://www.aviastar.org/index2.html

Happy Scanning

Don KA9QJG

787. OT Communications Antennas

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Happy Scanning

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788. Updated Indiana Repeater List

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Just got this From My Indiana Repeater Council Up to date info , But that still dos not mean all are active But the ones that are not are being checked into , And Just think being a Member of this Group You got it before it came out in the New Repeater Directory

Thought I wouuld Share with our Members in Indiana or Nearby , Also NOTE:

in the Midwest late in the Evening We have been having Band openings on 2 440 and 6 Meters Might be because of Lake Michigan and Some Tropo Ducting going on .

73 De Don KA9QJG

IRC Repeater Listing
January 16, 2010
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O Open/Carrier Access WX Weather Net
C Closed Access L Link and/or Crossband
AP Autopatch X Wide Area Coverage
CA Closed Autopatch LiTZ Long Tone Zero
DS Dual Squelch P Portable
E Emergency Power Z Autopatch to Law Enforcement

D-STAR
Location Region Output Input Callsign Sponsor CTCSS Notes Update
Indianapolis DS 147.390 + W9ICE ICE O WX L Z D-STAR 12/02/07
Indianapolis DS 444.125 + W9ICE ICE O CA L Z D-STAR 12/02/07
Muncie DS 145.490 - W9DUK DelawrARC O 11/21/09
West Lafayette DS 146.730 - W9ARP WARP O E D-STAR 09/21/08
West Lafayette DS 444.300 + W9ARP WARP O D-STAR 01/24/08

East Central
Location Region Output Input Callsign Sponsor CTCSS Notes Update
Centerville EC 147.180 + KB9SJZ KB9SJZ 82.5 O E WX RACES 06/05/09
Chassis Ridge EC 145.130 - KB9BBA TCRA O E 06/28/09
Chassis Ridge EC 145.250 - KA9BBA TCRA O E 09/13/09

Connersville EC 146.745 - KB9RVR Fayette O CA E 12/21/09
Connersville EC 442.050 + N9TU N9TU O WX ARES 12/21/09
Franklin EC 444.625 + KC9LGZ KC9LGZ 151.4 O E 01/19/09
Glenwood EC 53.430 52.430 WB9SBI WB9SBI 131.8 O E 01/19/08
Glenwood EC 146.685 - WB9SBI WB9SBI 131.8 O E WX 01/19/08
Greenfield EC 147.150 + W9ATG HancockARC O 12/15/07
Greens Fork EC 29.660 - K9APR K9APR O E RACES 10/21/04
Hartford City EC 146.655 - AA9Z O 10/08/99
Hartford City EC 443.575 + AA9Z O 10/08/99
Lebanon EC 147.105 + N9HLL O CA L Z 10/04/94
Lynn EC 927.0125 902.0125 K9NZF K9NZF 131.8 O E WX 02/24/09
Lynn EC 927.575 902.575 K9NZF K9NZF 08/28/07
Marion EC 145.310 - WB9UCF O CA E 02/05/01
Marion EC 146.790 - W9EBN GrantARC 131.8 O CA E L 05/22/09
Marion EC 147.195 + W9EBN GrantARC 131.8 O E RACES 05/22/09
Marion EC 224.520 - KA9IYJ O AP 06/10/02
Marion EC 442.750 + KB9CRA KB9CRA 131.8 O E RACES 05/22/09
Marion EC 443.400 + KB9CRA KB9CRA 131.8 O E 05/21/09
Marion EC 444.225 + KB9CRA KB9CRA O AP E RACES 05/22/09
Marion EC 444.750 + WB9VLE WB9VLE 131.8 O L 02/11/07
Marion EC 927.5375 902.5375 WB9VLE WB9VLE 127.3 O 06/20/09
Modock EC 443.325 + K9NZF 08/23/07
Muncie EC 146.730 - WB9HXG MuncieARC O WX L RACES ARES 04/03/09
Muncie EC 146.850 - K1FZY 11/25/05
Muncie EC 223.920 - WB9HXG MuncieARC O L ARES 04/03/09
Muncie EC 224.700 - WD9HQH Evans/Rust O AP E 11/21/09
Muncie EC 441.825 + N9CZV N9CZV 110.9 O E WX X 03/08/08
Muncie EC 441.900 + K1FZY 01/06/06
Muncie EC 443.450 + WD9HQH Evans/Rust 127.3 O AP E 11/21/09
Muncie EC 444.375 + WB9HXG MuncieARC O AP WX L RACES ARES 04/03/09
Muncie EC 927.7125 902.7125 N9CZV N9CZV 151.4 O 11/24/07
New Castle EC 147.360 + N9WB N9WB O 06/19/09
Parker City EC 224.040 - K9NZF O 08/24/07
Pennville EC 145.210 - WA9BFF Jay ARC 100.0 O E RACES ARES 03/24/09
Portland EC 145.190 - WA9JAY WA9JAY P RACES ARES 11/01/07
Portland EC 442.200 + WA9JAY 131.8 O E WX RACES ARES 11/01/07
Portland EC 443.475 + W9JKL W9JKL 100.0 O WX 07/30/08
Richmond EC 147.270 + W1IDX W1IDX 131.8 O AP E ARES 11/22/09
Richmond EC 224.740 - W1IDX W1IDX 127.3 O ARES 11/22/09
Richmond EC 441.650 + KD8AKE KD8AKE 131.8 O 11/10/08
Richmond EC 441.950 + KB9WNM O E 01/07/07
Rushville EC 147.000 + K9PQP E Ctrl Rpt 127.5 O WX RACES 02/24/09
Rushville EC 442.600 + K9PQP E Ctrl Rpt 127.3 O E RACES ARES 02/24/09
Winchester EC 147.300 + WD9EXZ WD9EXZ 110.9 O E WX 10/18/07
Winchester EC 441.800 + N9CZV N9CZV 110.9 O 10/18/07
Winchester EC 927.6875 902.6875 N9CZV N9CZV 151.4 O 10/18/07
Yorktown EC 53.070 52.070 W9CSI O 09/23/00
Yorktown EC 441.700 + W9YFD W9YFD 127.3 O E WX ARES 08/29/09
Yorktown EC 442.725 + W9CSI 04/25/99

Indianapolis
Location Region Output Input Callsign Sponsor CTCSS Notes Update
Alexandria I 145.430 - WB9UOF O 01/20/00
Anderson I 145.390 - W9VCF MCARC 151.4 O E ARES TT 07/15/09
Anderson I 146.820 - W9OBH AndersonRC 110.9 O CA E WX 07/08/09
Anderson I 147.090 + KB9VE AndersonRC 110.9 O E WX RACES 07/07/09
Anderson I 441.750 + WA9EOC AndersnEOC O E WX RACES ARES 02/23/09
Anderson I 443.350 + WA9CWE MadisonEMA O E RACES 07/07/09
Anderson I 444.675 + WA9EOC AndersnEOC 131.8 O E RACES ARES 12/04/08
Belleville I 147.015 + K9PZ HCARS O E WX ARES 10/28/08
Brownsburg I 444.200 + KC9CTQ 05/07/06
Danville I 53.450 52.450 WX9HC HendrixARC 88.5 O AP E L X RACES ARES 11/24/09
Danville I 145.130 - WX9HC HendrixARC 88.5 O AP E L X RACES ARES 11/24/09
Danville I 147.165 + K9LMK K9LMK O WX RACES 01/05/10
Danville I 444.575 + WX9HC HendrixARC 88.5 O AP E L X RACES ARES 11/24/09
Franklin I 223.960 - KC9LGZ KC9LGZ 151.4 O E 05/01/09
Greenfield I 145.330 - W9ATG O E WX RACES ARES 09/03/05
Greenfield I 444.450 + W9ATG O RACES 08/15/02
Greenfield I 444.725 + W9ATG O RACES 09/15/02
Greenwood I 146.835 - WA9RDF WA9RDF 151.4 O E WX RACES ARES 01/19/08
Indianapolis I 52.700 51.700 K9IPL K9IPL O E L 05/26/08
Indianapolis I 53.010 52.010 K9TNW HQ RC O 04/07/09
Indianapolis I 145.210 - NE9T NE9T 100.0 O 02/01/08
Indianapolis I 145.370 - W9GTA O 09/27/04
Indianapolis I 146.625 - W9IRA O 12/18/05
Indianapolis I 146.700 - W9IRA O E WX 12/18/05
Indianapolis I 146.760 - K9LPW 151.4 O E WX RACES 12/02/09
Indianapolis I 146.880 - W9RCA RCA ARC 88.5 O 09/24/09
Indianapolis I 146.970 - W9ICE ICE 107.2 O E WX L 11/07/07
Indianapolis I 147.075 + KA9GIX O 08/28/02
Indianapolis I 147.120 + W9IRA O ARES 12/19/05
Indianapolis I 224.500 - KC9COP 07/29/05
Indianapolis I 224.540 - KB9RBB 03/14/05
Indianapolis I 224.580 - WA9WEB WA9WEB 100.0 O 10/18/07
Indianapolis I 224.800 - K9XV K9XV 88.5 O RACES 05/10/09
Indianapolis I 224.980 - W9ICE ICE 77.0 O E 7530 11/07/07
Indianapolis I 441.875 + KF9MD 04/17/07
Indianapolis I 441.925 + K9RAG K9RAG 100.0 O E 09/30/09
Indianapolis I 442.000 + KA9GIX O 02/22/02
Indianapolis I 442.375 + K9DC K9DC 43.0 O 07/07/09
Indianapolis I 442.500 + WA9MVP
Indianapolis I 442.650 + W9ICE ICE 77.0 O L X B W RACES ARES TT 11/07/07
Indianapolis I 442.850 + KB9UZD 10/30/99
Indianapolis I 442.950 + KB9RBF 03/14/05
Indianapolis I 443.000 + WB9PGW WB9PGW 100.0 O E 03/26/09
Indianapolis I 443.100 + KC9GMJ WISH Tech 100.0 O E 04/10/09
Indianapolis I 443.250 + KM9E O CA L Z 05/27/05
Indianapolis I 443.425 + K9IP DREGs 94.8 O E L 07/07/09
Indianapolis I 443.600 + W9VCS O 02/19/05

Indianapolis I 443.750 + K9LPW Cent IN RA 100.0 O DS WX RACES 01/18/09
Indianapolis I 443.800 + KC9COP 04/25/05
Indianapolis I 443.850 + W9IRA 12/18/05
Indianapolis I 443.900 + W9ICE ICE 118.8 O 12/02/07
Indianapolis I 444.000 + NE9T NE9T 100.0 O 02/01/08
Indianapolis I 444.325 + KB9SGN KB9SGN 136.5 O E WX L X 11/02/07
Indianapolis I 444.875 + KA9GIX 02/22/02
Indianapolis I 915.9875 927.9875 W9ICE ICE 131.8 O E L 11/07/07
Lebanon I 443.150 + NX9Q CA E L RACES 08/16/99
Martinsville I 147.060 + K9PYI MorganRA 88.5 O E ARES Z 03/27/09
Martinsville I 147.255 + W9ZSK W9ZSK 88.5 O E 03/22/08
Martinsville I 224.660 - K9PYI MorganRA O E WX ARES 03/27/09
Martinsville I 442.625 + K9PYI MorganRA 100.0 O E WX 06/28/09
Martinsville I 444.250 + N9EGQ N9EGQ 100.0 O E 03/22/08
Morristown I 53.470 52.470 N9PDB N9PDB O 10/20/07
New Whiteland I 145.110 - KN9E O CA L 08/19/06
Nineveh I 442.150 + KA9SWI KA9SWI O E 11/08/09
Noblesville I 145.170 - N9EOC HamCoARES 77.0 O E WX L RACES ARES 10/06/09
Noblesville I 443.550 + N9EOC Ham-ARES 77.0 O E WX L RACES ARES 11/06/09
Plainfield I 145.290 - AB9D AB9D 88.5 O CA 12/23/09
Plainfield I 442.275 + AB9D AB9D 123.0 O CA 12/23/09
Plainfield I 442.900 + WB9CIF 11/16/95
Shelbyville I 145.480 - W9JUQ O E WX ARES 07/27/00
Shelbyville I 224.440 - W9NTP O E WX ARES 07/27/00
Shelbyville I 444.975 + W9JUQ O E WX ARES 07/27/00
Whiteland I 444.075 + KM9S 08/20/06

North Central
Location Region Output Input Callsign Sponsor CTCSS Notes Update
Bremen NC 145.190 - N9FX O E RACES 04/09/05
Bremen NC 443.425 + N9FCO 01/20/06
Bristol NC 146.895 - K9TSM O CA E 05/23/06
Culver NC 444.925 + N9GPY N9GPY 131.8 O E WX ARES Z 12/17/09
Delong NC 443.925 + N9GPY N9GPY 131.8 O E WX Z 12/17/09
Elkhart NC 53.170 52.170 KC9GMH KC9GMH 131.8 O WX L 03/20/08
Elkhart NC 145.250 - KC9GMH KC9GMH 131.8 O WX L 01/28/08
Elkhart NC 145.430 - AA9DG ElkhartCRA 131.8 O CA Z 11/21/08
Elkhart NC 224.080 - KC9GMH KC9GMH 131.8 O WX L 03/02/08
Elkhart NC 224.900 - W9LZX ElkhartCRA 131.8 O CA Z 11/21/08
Elkhart NC 442.375 + KC9GMH KC9GMH 131.8 O E WX 01/28/08
Elkhart NC 442.600 + N9RSV O 11/27/05
Elkhart NC 443.150 + KC9OHC KC9OHC 131.8 O 04/13/09
Elkhart NC 443.325 + N9UZM O 11/26/05
Elkhart NC 443.475 + AA9JC AA9JC 131.8 O E X RACES ARES 12/26/09
Elkhart NC 444.275 + AA9JC AA9JC 131.8 O E 12/26/09
Elkhart NC 927.650 902.650 KC9GMH KC9GMH 131.8 O WX L 03/02/08
Frankfort NC 146.610 - K9JRC O L 10/21/05
Frankfort NC 442.575 + N9SFA 10/21/05
Goshen NC 223.940 - N9AES N9AES 131.8 O E WX 10/15/08

Goshen NC 443.850 + KB9ORC KB9ORC 131.8 O E 12/04/09
Kokomo NC 146.910 - W9KRC KRC O WX RACES ARES 11/24/09
Kokomo NC 147.240 + W9KRC KRC 88.5 O E WX RACES ARES 11/24/09
Kokomo NC 147.375 + W9KRC KRC O RACES ARES 11/24/09
Kokomo NC 442.300 + W9KRC KRC O RACES ARES 11/24/09
Kokomo NC 442.400 + KA9GFS O 10/17/00
Kokomo NC 444.025 + N9LLO O E L 06/20/99
Logansport NC 145.230 - W9VMW O 01/21/03
Logansport NC 145.350 - W9VMW O 01/21/03
Logansport NC 147.180 + W9VMW 01/21/03
Logansport NC 443.650 + W9VMW O 77.0 01/21/03
Middlebury NC 442.475 + AA9JC AA9JC 131.8 O E X RACES ARES 12/26/09
Mishawaka NC 146.745 - N8AES N8AES 100.0 O WX L RACES 08/07/08
Mishawaka NC 147.090 + N9GVU O 09/30/99
Mishawaka NC 444.100 + N9GVU O 09/30/99
Nappanee NC 443.025 + WD9ATU WD9ATU 94.7 O E 11/25/07
Notre Dame NC 443.350 + ND1U 02/07/05
Peru NC 147.345 + K9ZEV O E 12/21/09
Plymouth NC 146.670 - K9ZLQ 12/04/94
Plymouth NC 147.285 + K9WZ O CA E L 06/06/96
Plymouth NC 224.500 - K9ZLQ 12/04/94
Richvalley NC 146.955 - WA9RRL WA9RRL 141.3 O E 07/30/08
Rochester NC 146.805 - W9KLC O ARES 06/20/96
Rochester NC 442.700 + KC9IXX O E 05/30/07
Sidney NC 444.425 + WB9VLE WB9VLE 131.8 O E 09/20/08
South Bend NC 29.680 - W9AMR O E 04/10/07
South Bend NC 52.620 52.120 N9OCB O E 06/18/06
South Bend NC 53.850 52.850 N9JHQ O E 02/21/04
South Bend NC 145.290 - N9OCB N9OCB 131.8 O 11/20/09
South Bend NC 147.225 + W9AB O 03/29/97
South Bend NC 147.390 + WB9AGX WB9AGX 131.8 O AP E WX L 04/02/08
South Bend NC 440.475 + N9UPW N9UPW 192.8 O E WX L RACES ARES SNP 02/25/09
South Bend NC 442.100 + WB9AGX 100.0 O AP E WX L RACES 04/02/08
South Bend NC 442.500 + N9OCB N9OCB 11/20/09
South Bend NC 444.175 + KA9MXW KA9MXW 131.8 O E 11/21/08
South Bend NC 444.700 + W9TEW O CA E 04/20/02
South Bend NC 444.975 + K9SIQ O CA E 01/27/05
South Bend NC 927.975 902.975 WB9AGX WB9AGX 131.8 O AP E WX L RACES 06/05/08
Syracuse NC 146.985 - KB9AVO O ARES Z 08/23/07
Tipton NC 443.125 + K9TRC O E 07/19/07
Wabash NC 147.030 + KB9LDZ WabashARC 131.8 O CA E WX 07/30/08
Wabash NC 442.325 + KB9LDZ WabashARC 131.8 O E WX 07/30/08
Warsaw NC 145.130 - KA9OHV KA9OHV 91.5 O E WX ARES 01/27/09
Warsaw NC 443.050 + KA9OHV KA9OHV 131.8 O WX X ARES 01/27/09
Warsaw NC 443.775 + N9UZM O 02/26/07
Warsaw NC 444.200 + K9CWD 11/25/05

Northeast
Location Region Output Input Callsign Sponsor CTCSS Notes Update

Andrews NE 442.925 + KC9DZ 04/28/07
Angola NE 147.105 + WB9AEI O E Z 12/14/06
Angola NE 147.180 + WB9AEI O E L ARES Z 12/14/96
Angola NE 444.900 + WB9AEI
Auburn NE 147.015 + W9OU NE In ARC O WX ARES 11/10/09
Auburn NE 442.450 + KA9LCF
Berne NE 146.970 - KB9KYM AdamsARC O 05/27/09
Columbia City NE 53.050 52.050 K9KOP K9KOP 141.3 O E WX RACES ARES 06/20/09
Columbia City NE 145.270 - WC9AR WCARC 131.8 O E WX RACES ARES 01/28/08
Columbia City NE 223.900 - K9KOP K9KOP 141.3 O E WX RACES ARES 07/18/09
Columbia City NE 442.900 + K9KOP K9KOP 141.3 O E WX RACES ARES 07/18/09
Columbia City NE 444.550 + WC9AR WhitleyARC 131.8 O E WX RACES ARES 01/28/08
Decatur NE 145.470 - KB9KYM AdamsARC O 05/27/09
Decatur NE 443.725 + KB9FRU AdamsARC O 05/27/09
Decatur NE 444.325 + K9OMW K9OMW O 01/05/10
Fort Wayne NE 53.270 52.270 N9VZJ O L 09/16/04
Fort Wayne NE 53.330 52.330 W9FEZ O 02/21/00
Fort Wayne NE 145.330 - W9FEZ O 02/21/00
Fort Wayne NE 146.760 - W9TE FWRC 131.8 O E 10/10/09
Fort Wayne NE 146.880 - W9INX ACARTS O AP E RACES ARES 11/03/09
Fort Wayne NE 146.910 - W9TE FWRC O 10/10/09
Fort Wayne NE 146.940 - W9TE FWRC O AP 10/10/09
Fort Wayne NE 147.135 + N9VZJ 11/26/06
Fort Wayne NE 147.165 + N9VZJ O L 09/03/04
Fort Wayne NE 147.255 + W9INX ACARTS O E ARES 11/03/09
Fort Wayne NE 224.800 - W9FEZ O 05/09/00
Fort Wayne NE 442.550 + N9VZJ O L 09/16/04
Fort Wayne NE 443.100 + WB9VLE WB9VLE 131.8 O 11/24/07
Fort Wayne NE 443.275 + KC9AUQ 05/07/06
Fort Wayne NE 443.800 + W9INX ACARTS O E RACES ARES 11/03/09
Fort Wayne NE 444.250 + WD9AVW O 03/11/05
Fort Wayne NE 444.300 + W9VD O E ARES 12/27/00
Fort Wayne NE 444.800 + W9FEZ O 02/21/00
Fort Wayne NE 444.875 + W9TE FWRC O 10/10/09
Garrett NE 444.050 + K9PBR 06/19/07
Huntington NE 53.150 52.150 WB9VLE WB9VLE 131.8 O 12/15/09
Huntington NE 443.975 + KC9GX O L ARES 04/28/07
Kimmell NE 444.725 + KC9FDA KC9FDA 141.3 O AP CA E WX Z 12/21/07
Kokomo NE 443.300 + KA9GFS 10/17/00
Lagrange NE 443.675 + WS9S O RACES ARES 12/23/06
Laotto NE 145.110 - KB9VTK KB9VTK 141.3 O 09/28/09
Laotto NE 443.600 + KB9VTK KB9VTK 141.3 O E 03/02/08
Laotto NE 927.4625 902.4625 KB9VTK KB9VTK 141.3 O 05/19/09
Roanoke NE 146.625 - WB9VLE WB9VLE 131.8 O CA E 11/21/08
Roanoke NE 444.150 + WB9VLE WB9VLE O 04/03/07
Roanoke NE 927.5125 902.5125 WB9VLE WB9VLE 131.8 O 04/03/07
Spencerville NE 147.360 + WB9VLE WB9VLE 131.8 O 03/26/09
Warren NE 224.460 - N9QVI O E 09/09/01
Wolflake NE 147.270 + N9MTF N9MTF 131.8 O 07/31/08
Wolflake NE 442.800 + N9MTF N9MTF O 07/31/08

Northwest
Location Region Output Input Callsign Sponsor CTCSS Notes Update
Brook NW 145.210 - KC9COR O 05/03/04
Burns Harbor NW 444.675 + N9FI BethSteel 97.4 O 12/21/09
Cedar Lake NW 146.835 - WB9VRG WB9VRG 131.8 O E 01/31/08
Crown Point NW 145.450 - KE9I 01/01/93
Crown Point NW 224.000 - W9FXT 05/07/06
Gary NW 146.625 - W9SAL W9SAL 131.8 O E 09/12/07
Gary NW 146.910 - WA9JLN O E L 07/16/07
Gary NW 442.750 + WA9JLN O CA E L 07/16/07
Hammond NW 147.195 + W9FXT IARA 131.8 O CA E L TT 09/07/09
Hammond NW 224.740 - KA9QJG KA9QJG 131.8 O AP E WX AMBER 05/01/05
Hammond NW 442.200 + W9FXT W9FXT 173.8 O E TT 11/06/09
Hammond NW 444.750 + KA9QJG KA9QJG 131.8 O AP E WX Amber 11/25/07
Knox NW 442.950 + W9QN
La Porte NW 146.610 - K9JSI LaPorteARC 131.8 O E WX L RACES ARES 10/06/09
LaPorte NW 444.950 + W9SAL W9SAL 131.8 O 08/07/07
Merrillville NW 147.000 + W9LJ O E RACES Z 12/23/06
Merriville NW 442.075 + W9LJ O RACES ARES 12/23/06
Michigan City NW 146.970 - W9LY MCARC 131.8 O 11/21/09
Michigan City NW 441.950 + W9LY MCARC 131.8 O 11/21/09
New Carlisle NW 146.865 - AB9OZ AB9OZ 131.8 O ARES 04/03/09
New Carlisle NW 223.800 - N9HXU N9HXU 131.8 O 11/09/08
New Carlisle NW 442.425 + AB9OZ AB9OZ 131.8 O 04/03/09
New Carlisle NW 444.525 + AB9OZ AB9OZ O 04/03/09
North Judson NW 145.410 - N9LV N9LV 131.8 O AP E WX X 12/21/09
North Judson NW 442.000 + N9LV N9LV 131.8 O WX X 12/21/09
Rensselaer NW 145.330 - KC9HUS O E WX 11/08/05
St. John NW 147.240 + W9LJ O E RACES ARES Z 01/15/07
Valparaiso NW 29.640 - KB9KRI O E 09/10/01
Valparaiso NW 53.570 52.570 KB9KRI O 09/10/01
Valparaiso NW 53.810 52.810 AE9P AE9P 131.8 O E WX RACES ARES 01/30/08
Valparaiso NW 146.775 - K9PC PorterARC 131.8 O E RACES ARES 12/23/09
Valparaiso NW 147.075 + KC9KOH Porter Emg 131.8 O WX RACES ARES 03/21/09
Valparaiso NW 147.105 + KB9KRI Duneland 131.8 O E WX X ARES 10/23/08
Valparaiso NW 224.120 - KB9KRI O E 09/10/01
Valparaiso NW 442.250 + K9PC PorterARC 131.8 O E RACES ARES 12/23/09
Valparaiso NW 444.350 + KB9KRI O E 09/10/01
Valparaiso NW 444.450 + KC9KOH Porter Emg 131.8 O WX RACES ARES 03/21/09
Valparaiso NW 927.800 907.800 KB9KRI O E 09/10/01
Valparaiso NW 1292.000 1272.000 KB9KRI Duneland 88.5 O E 10/23/08

South Central
Location Region Output Input Callsign Sponsor CTCSS Notes Update
Bedford SC 29.680 - N9UMJ N9UMJ 136.5 O E WX L X RACES ARES TT 08/25/09
Bedford SC 145.310 - W9QYQ HoosrHills 107.2 O E WX RACES 10/13/09
Bedford SC 145.490 - AA9WR O 09/22/06
Bedford SC 146.730 - W9QYQ HoosrHills 107.2 O CA E WX RACES 10/13/09

Bedford SC 442.250 + N9UMJ N9UMJ 136.5 O AP WX L X RACES ARES TT 07/18/09
Bedford SC 442.675 + N9WEV O CA E RACES 05/12/01
Bedford SC 444.050 + W9QYQ HoosrHills 107.2 O E WX RACES 10/13/09
Bloomington SC 146.640 - WB9TLH O E WX 04/03/07
Bloomington SC 146.940 - K9IU O E 01/20/06
Bloomington SC 147.180 + WB9HZX WB9HZX 136.5 O E WX 10/28/09
Bloomington SC 224.640 - W9EAR EARS 107.2 O WX L rb 10/29/07
Bloomington SC 442.825 + K9IU O E ARES 03/18/06
Bloomington SC 442.925 + W9EAR EARS 107.2 O WX L 10/29/07
Bloomington SC 443.775 + KB9SGN KB9SGN 136.5 O WX L X RACES ARES 11/02/07
Bloominton SC 444.900 + WB9HZX WB9HZX 136.5 O E WX 10/28/09
Cannelton SC 146.760 - K4DJF K4DJF 107.2 O 10/19/07
Chrisney SC 443.600 + W9DRB W9DRB O 08/28/09
Columbus SC 146.790 - WB9AEP CARC 100.0 O E WX RACES ARES 07/15/09
Columbus SC 443.075 + KC9FQ CARC 136.5 O E WX RACES ARES 06/20/09
Corydon SC 146.775 - WD9HMH HarrEMA 103.5 O E RACES ARES 11/24/09
English SC 443.150 + KC9IUY O E WX 03/14/07
Floyds Knob SC 146.745 - WD9HMH O E RACES 12/14/96
Floyds Knob SC 224.820 - W9BGW W9BGW O E 01/07/10
Floyds Knob SC 444.200 + WD9ANK WD9ANK 67.0 O CA E 01/28/09
Floyds Knob SC 927.525 902.525 WD9ANK WD9ANK 67.0 O E 01/25/09
Frenchtown SC 146.820 - W9BGW W9BGW 103.5 O ARES 07/18/09
Frenchtown SC 224.700 - WB9GNA WB9GNA 103.5 O E 01/15/10
Frenchtown SC 442.300 + WB9GNA WB9GNA 146.2 O E 01/28/09
Kirksville SC 443.050 + WB9TLH 07/05/07
Levenworth SC 147.015 + WB4ROI WB4ROI 103.5 O E WX ARES 05/01/09
Marengo SC 443.300 + KC9OLF SoInARC 146.2 O CA E WX RACES ARES 01/19/09
Napoleon SC 146.805 - KC9MBX KC9MBX O E WX RACES ARES 02/24/08
Nashville SC 53.090 52.090 KA9SWI KA9SWI O E WX RACES ARES 11/08/09
Nashville SC 147.300 + KA9SWI KA9SWI 136.5 O E WX RACES ARES 11/08/09
Nashville SC 443.275 + KA9SWI KA9SWI 136.5 O E WX L RACES ARES 11/08/09
Paoli SC 53.630 52.630 WB9FHP WB9FHP O E WX ARES TT 07/18/09
Paoli SC 147.045 + KB9OHY Orange ARC 103.5 O E WX ARES TT 07/18/09
Paoli SC 444.025 + KB9OHY OrangeARC 103.5 O E 07/18/09
Salem SC 146.655 - KB9KPG WashCoARC 103.5 O E WX RACES ARES 01/05/10
Salem SC 444.925 + KB9SGN KB9SGN 136.5 O E L X ARES 11/02/07
Seymour SC 145.430 - KC9JOY KC9JOY O E WX 10/15/08
Seymour SC 147.135 + KI9G K9IG 103.5 O E 05/01/09
Seymour SC 224.860 - N9PUG N9PUG O E ARES 10/15/08
Seymour SC 441.550 + KC9JOY KC9JOY O 03/02/09
Seymour SC 442.975 + KI9G K9IG 103.5 O E 05/01/09
Seymour SC 443.725 + N9KPA N9KPA 103.5 O E RACES ARES 09/30/09
Springville SC 223.800 - N9HXU N9HXU 107.2 O 11/09/08

Southeast
Location Region Output Input Callsign Sponsor CTCSS Notes Update
Brookville SE 53.370 52.370 N9HHM O CA E 10/08/00
Brookville SE 224.280 - N9HHM O CA E 10/08/00
Brookville SE 224.320 - N9HHM O CA E 10/08/00

Brookville SE 442.250 + KB9YSN O WX ARES 07/14/03
Greensburg SE 146.955 - KB9KNG 06/01/02
Greensburg SE 224.780 - KB9KNG O WX ARES 06/01/02
Greensburg SE 444.525 + N9LQL N9LQL O E WX RACES ARES 02/01/08
Lawrenceburg SE 147.285 + WA9BLA LV ARC 146.2 O E WX RACES ARES 09/07/09
Lawrenceburg SE 443.875 + K9GPS LV ARC 146.2 O RACES ARES 02/24/09
Madison SE 145.170 - W9EFU CliftyARS O E WX ARES 12/21/09
Madison SE 442.875 + W9EFU O E WX ARES 05/03/00
Osgood SE 441.775 + WY9L RCARC O WX X ARES 11/04/09
Versailes SE 222.860 + KC9MBX KC9MBX O E WX RACES ARES 03/20/08

Southwest
Location Region Output Input Callsign Sponsor CTCSS Notes Update
Birdseye SW 147.285 + K9PSI K9PSI O E 09/02/08
Bloomfield SW 147.240 + W9HD W9HD 103.5 O CA E WX L RACES ARES 02/17/08
Boonville SW 147.075 + WB9QVR WarrickEMA 88.5 O E RACES 07/18/09
Boonville SW 442.400 + WB9QVR WB9QVR 107.2 O E RACES ARES 12/24/09
Chandler SW 442.125 + AA9MM 05/30/07
Chrisney SW 146.910 - KC9FTG SpencerEOC O RACES ARES 08/28/09
Dugger SW 146.775 - KC9AK DuggerARC 136.5 O 12/06/09
Evansville SW 53.550 52.550 W9KXP W9KXP 162.2 O E WX L X 08/27/09
Evansville SW 145.110 - W9EAR EARS 107.2 O E 10/29/07
Evansville SW 145.150 - W9EAR EARS O CA WX L Z 10/29/07
Evansville SW 146.790 - W9OG TriState 88.5 O AP E WX L X RACES ARES 09/07/08
Evansville SW 146.835 - W9KXP W9KXP 136.5 O E WX L X 10/18/08
Evansville SW 147.105 + W9MAR MidwstARS O L 11/06/09
Evansville SW 147.150 + W9OG TriState O E RACES ARES 09/07/08
Evansville SW 443.250 + W9KXP W9KXP 146.2 O E WX L X RACES ARES 12/18/09
Evansville SW 443.325 + N9JCA N9JCA 123.0 O IRLP 4368 04/04/09
Evansville SW 443.400 + AA9MM O CA RACES Z 02/28/05
Evansville SW 443.550 + K9RVB 06/17/06
Evansville SW 444.150 + AA9MM O CA RACES Z 02/28/05
Evansville SW 444.500 + W9MAR MidwestARS O 11/06/09
Evansville SW 444.950 + N9WYN 01/07/06
Francisco SW 442.050 + KC9MEW KC9MEW 210.7 O 03/20/08
Jasonville SW 53.310 52.310 KC9AK DuggerARC 88.5 O 12/06/09
Jasper SW 444.675 + N9MZF O E 06/10/02
Linton SW 145.170 - KA9JOK KA9JOK 100.0 O 05/01/09
Linton SW 145.390 - KB9HIK O 04/03/07
Linton SW 444.800 + KA9JOK KA9JOK 100.0 O CA E L 04/05/09
Lynnville SW 145.250 - W9KXP W9KXP 123.0 O E WX L RACES ARES 10/18/08
Lynnville SW 443.850 + W9KXP W9KXP 136.5 O E WX L RACES ARES TT 06/29/09
Monroe City SW 442.750 + W9KXP W9KXP 156.7 O E L RACES ARES 06/29/09
Newburgh SW 53.150 52.150 KC9HZJ O E L RACES ARES 11/26/06
Newburgh SW 145.430 - KA9VKO O 03/01/04
Newburgh SW 443.475 + KC9HZJ 07/06/06
Petersburg SW 145.450 - WA9FGT O AP L 12/14/96
Petersburg SW 443.125 + K9MNS K9MNS 136.5 O E 06/04/09
Petersburg SW 444.000 + KB9EDT O 12/03/00

Princeton SW 145.410 - KB9NEJ SoINMobEmg 136.5 O E WX RACES ARES 03/23/09
Princeton SW 147.390 + W9KXP W9KXP 131.8 O E WX L X 06/09/08
Ridgeport SW 145.470 - KB9SIP 136.5 O AP E WX L X ARES 11/02/07
Shoals SW 145.210 - KA9PSX KA9PSX O AP E 12/02/09
Troy SW 146.955 - W9KXP W9KXP 146.2 O E WX X RACES ARES 09/21/08
Vicksburg SW 442.425 + KB9SIP 118.8 O E WX L X ARES 11/02/07
Vincennes SW 146.670 - W9EOC OldPost 91.5 O E WX ARES 11/21/09
Vincennes SW 146.925 - W9EAR EARS 107.2 O WX L X 10/29/07
Vincennes SW 224.600 - W9DP O E 12/24/06
Vincennes SW 443.675 + W9EOC Old Post O E WX ARES 11/21/09
Vincennes SW 443.925 + W9EAR EARS 107.2 O CA Z 10/29/07
Washington SW 147.315 + WA9IN O RACES 09/12/05
Washington SW 442.700 + KB9LOW O 08/28/02
Winslow SW 147.000 + W9UL O AP E Z 06/19/07

Southwest
Location Region Output Input Callsign Sponsor CTCSS Notes Update

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ATV
Location Region Output Input Callsign Sponsor CTCSS Notes Update
Evansville TV 421.250 434.000 W9KXP W9KXP 146.2 O E WX RACES ARES Sync 15.750 06/29/09
Fort Wayne TV 910.250 439.250 W9TE FWRC O H-Sync 10/10/09
Fort Wayne TV 910.250 427.250 W9TE FWRC O H-Sync 10/10/09
Indianapolis TV 425.250 439.250 K9LPW CentIN RA O E 12/02/09
West Lafayette TV 421.250 439.250 KB9KHM KB9KHM sync 15.750 09/28/06

West Central
Location Region Output Input Callsign Sponsor CTCSS Notes Update
Battleground WC 444.175 + WB9CZC WB9CZC 88.5 O E P ARES 06/28/09
Chalmers WC 147.255 + KC9PQA WhiteARC 131.8 O E WX ARES 06/20/09
Clinton WC 146.715 - K9KSA 08/28/05
Clinton WC 442.175 + K9KSA 08/28/05
Cloverdale WC 53.710 52.710 N9XYY O 12/23/06
Cloverdale WC 444.475 + KB9SGN KB9SGN 136.5 O E WX L 11/02/07
Coatesville WC 444.400 + KC9HKT KC9HKT 151.4 O E 06/04/09
Covington WC 145.490 - W9ABH BARC 156.7 O E L 11/23/09
Crawfordsville WC 146.865 - KB9GPB 11/22/95
Crawfordsville WC 147.225 + KB9GPB O CA E RACES 04/17/00
Crawfordsville WC 147.270 + KC9QKL Livewires O 11/05/09
Foster WC 145.270 - N9UWE N9UWE 88.5 O L 11/30/09
Foster WC 443.450 + N9UWE N9UWE O 11/30/09
Gosport WC 146.895 - KB9SGN K9TC 136.5 O AP L X ARES 11/02/07
Gosport WC 442.350 + KB9QJM O CA E L 05/24/04
Greencastle WC 147.330 + W9BJJ O ARES 11/25/05
Monticello WC 444.175 + KB9AYF 04/16/05
Otterbein WC 444.075 + KC9BPE KC9BPE 88.5 O E 01/07/10

Otterbein WC 927.5625 902.5625 W9CBA 11/08/05
Rockville WC 146.745 - NS9M O E 08/07/99
Spencer WC 146.985 - KB9MZZ O E WX ARES 09/06/05
Terre Haute WC 52.525 52.920 W9EQD TerreHaute O 12/04/09
Terre Haute WC 145.350 - NC9U OtrCrkRC O E 12/18/09
Terre Haute WC 146.805 - W9SKI W9SKI O E WX 03/02/08
Terre Haute WC 146.955 - W9TLT W9TLT O E 11/24/07
Terre Haute WC 147.090 + W0DQJ O E Z 07/02/93
Terre Haute WC 147.150 + W9EQD TerreHaute 151.4 O 12/04/09
Terre Haute WC 223.880 - NS9M O E 01/27/00
Terre Haute WC 224.880 - W9TLC O 09/06/04
Terre Haute WC 442.550 + NC9U OtrCrkRC O E 12/18/09
Terre Haute WC 444.600 + NC9U OtrCrkRC O E WX 12/17/09
Terre Haute WC 444.750 + W9EQD TerreHaute 151.4 O 12/04/09
Terre Haute WC 444.850 + K9EDP K9EDP 151.4 O 10/30/07
W. Terre Haute WC 145.230 - K9HX K9HX 151.4 O E WX ARES 02/25/06
West Lafayette WC 53.190 52.190 W9YB PurdueARC 88.5 O E 11/30/09
West Lafayette WC 146.760 - W9YB PurdueARC 88.5 O E L ARES 11/30/09
West Lafayette WC 147.135 + WI9RES WIRES 88.5 O AP E WX ARES 12/20/09
West Lafayette WC 224.960 - W9YB PurdueARC 88.5 O E 11/21/09
West Lafayette WC 444.500 + W9YB PurdueARC 88.5 O E 11/30/09
Williamsport WC 443.675 + WB9ARC BARC 156.7 O E WX L RACES 11/23/09

789. To don from Norm 1-18-10

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-18 21:09:02 UTC
From: norman triantafilos
Topic: 788 Message: 789
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Thank You Don i found the repeater information extreemly usefull
Norm
http://www.qsl.net/kb9ygd/index.html Search My Logbook->
http://dx.qsl.net/cgi-bin/logform.cgi?kb9ygd
http://mysite.verizon.net/res868sp/thetriantafilosfamily/index.html

790. Updated Indiana Repeater List

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-18 21:57:37 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 788 Message: 790

This might look a lot better for some of us Older Members to See Not Me
lol

73 De Don KA9QJG

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O

Open/Carrier Access

WX

Weather Net

C

Closed Access

L

Link and/or Crossband

AP

Autopatch

X

Wide Area Coverage

CA

Closed Autopatch

LiTZ

Long Tone Zero

DS

Dual Squelch

P

Portable

E

Emergency Power

Z

Autopatch to Law Enforcement

D-STAR
Location

Region

Output

Input

Callsign

Sponsor

CTCSS

Notes

Update

Indianapolis

DS

147.390

+

W9ICE

ICE

O WX L Z D-STAR

12/02/07

Indianapolis

DS

444.125

+

W9ICE

ICE

O CA L Z D-STAR

12/02/07

Muncie

DS

145.490

-

W9DUK

DelawrARC

O

11/21/09

West Lafayette

DS

146.730

-

W9ARP

WARP

O E D-STAR

09/21/08

West Lafayette

DS

444.300

+

W9ARP

WARP

O D-STAR

01/24/08

East Central
Location

Region

Output

Input

Callsign

Sponsor

CTCSS

Notes

Update

Centerville

EC

147.180

+

KB9SJZ

KB9SJZ

82.5

O E WX RACES

06/05/09

Chassis Ridge

EC

145.130

-

KB9BBA

TCRA

O E

06/28/09

Chassis Ridge

EC

145.250

-

KA9BBA

TCRA

O E

09/13/09

Connersville

EC

146.745

-

KB9RVR

Fayette

O CA E

12/21/09

Connersville

EC

442.050

+

N9TU

N9TU

O WX ARES

12/21/09

Franklin

EC

444.625

+

KC9LGZ

KC9LGZ

151.4

O E

01/19/09

Glenwood

EC

53.430

52.430

WB9SBI

WB9SBI

131.8

O E

01/19/08

Glenwood

EC

146.685

-

WB9SBI

WB9SBI

131.8

O E WX

01/19/08

Greenfield

EC

147.150

+

W9ATG

HancockARC

O

12/15/07

Greens Fork

EC

29.660

-

K9APR

K9APR

O E RACES

10/21/04

Hartford City

EC

146.655

-

AA9Z

O

10/08/99

Hartford City

EC

443.575

+

AA9Z

O

10/08/99

Lebanon

EC

147.105

+

N9HLL

O CA L Z

10/04/94

Lynn

EC

927.0125

902.0125

K9NZF

K9NZF

131.8

O E WX

02/24/09

Lynn

EC

927.575

902.575

K9NZF

K9NZF

08/28/07

Marion

EC

145.310

-

WB9UCF

O CA E

02/05/01

Marion

EC

146.790

-

W9EBN

GrantARC

131.8

O CA E L

05/22/09

Marion

EC

147.195

+

W9EBN

GrantARC

131.8

O E RACES

05/22/09

Marion

EC

224.520

-

KA9IYJ

O AP

06/10/02

Marion

EC

442.750

+

KB9CRA

KB9CRA

131.8

O E RACES

05/22/09

Marion

EC

443.400

+

KB9CRA

KB9CRA

131.8

O E

05/21/09

Marion

EC

444.225

+

KB9CRA

KB9CRA

O AP E RACES

05/22/09

Marion

EC

444.750

+

WB9VLE

WB9VLE

131.8

O L

02/11/07

Marion

EC

927.5375

902.5375

WB9VLE

WB9VLE

127.3

O

06/20/09

Modock

EC

443.325

+

K9NZF

08/23/07

Muncie

EC

146.730

-

WB9HXG

MuncieARC

O WX L RACES ARES

04/03/09

Muncie

EC

146.850

-

K1FZY

11/25/05

Muncie

EC

223.920

-

WB9HXG

MuncieARC

O L ARES

04/03/09

Muncie

EC

224.700

-

WD9HQH

Evans/Rust

O AP E

11/21/09

Muncie

EC

441.825

+

N9CZV

N9CZV

110.9

O E WX X

03/08/08

Muncie

EC

441.900

+

K1FZY

01/06/06

Muncie

EC

443.450

+

WD9HQH

Evans/Rust

127.3

O AP E

11/21/09

Muncie

EC

444.375

+

WB9HXG

MuncieARC

O AP WX L RACES ARES

04/03/09

Muncie

EC

927.7125

902.7125

N9CZV

N9CZV

151.4

O

11/24/07

New Castle

EC

147.360

+

N9WB

N9WB

O

06/19/09

Parker City

EC

224.040

-

K9NZF

O

08/24/07

Pennville

EC

145.210

-

WA9BFF

Jay ARC

100.0

O E RACES ARES

03/24/09

Portland

EC

145.190

-

WA9JAY

WA9JAY

P RACES ARES

11/01/07

Portland

EC

442.200

+

WA9JAY

131.8

O E WX RACES ARES

11/01/07

Portland

EC

443.475

+

W9JKL

W9JKL

100.0

O WX

07/30/08

Richmond

EC

147.270

+

W1IDX

W1IDX

131.8

O AP E ARES

11/22/09

Richmond

EC

224.740

-

W1IDX

W1IDX

127.3

O ARES

11/22/09

Richmond

EC

441.650

+

KD8AKE

KD8AKE

131.8

O

11/10/08

Richmond

EC

441.950

+

KB9WNM

O E

01/07/07

Rushville

EC

147.000

+

K9PQP

E Ctrl Rpt

127.5

O WX RACES

02/24/09

Rushville

EC

442.600

+

K9PQP

E Ctrl Rpt

127.3

O E RACES ARES

02/24/09

Winchester

EC

147.300

+

WD9EXZ

WD9EXZ

110.9

O E WX

10/18/07

Winchester

EC

441.800

+

N9CZV

N9CZV

110.9

O

10/18/07

Winchester

EC

927.6875

902.6875

N9CZV

N9CZV

151.4

O

10/18/07

Yorktown

EC

53.070

52.070

W9CSI

O

09/23/00

Yorktown

EC

441.700

+

W9YFD

W9YFD

127.3

O E WX ARES

08/29/09

Yorktown

EC

442.725

+

W9CSI

04/25/99

Indianapolis
Location

Region

Output

Input

Callsign

Sponsor

CTCSS

Notes

Update

Alexandria

I

145.430

-

WB9UOF

O

01/20/00

Anderson

I

145.390

-

W9VCF

MCARC

151.4

O E ARES TT

07/15/09

Anderson

I

146.820

-

W9OBH

AndersonRC

110.9

O CA E WX

07/08/09

Anderson

I

147.090

+

KB9VE

AndersonRC

110.9

O E WX RACES

07/07/09

Anderson

I

441.750

+

WA9EOC

AndersnEOC

O E WX RACES ARES

02/23/09

Anderson

I

443.350

+

WA9CWE

MadisonEMA

O E RACES

07/07/09

Anderson

I

444.675

+

WA9EOC

AndersnEOC

131.8

O E RACES ARES

12/04/08

Belleville

I

147.015

+

K9PZ

HCARS

O E WX ARES

10/28/08

Brownsburg

I

444.200

+

KC9CTQ

05/07/06

Danville

I

53.450

52.450

WX9HC

HendrixARC

88.5

O AP E L X RACES ARES

11/24/09

Danville

I

145.130

-

WX9HC

HendrixARC

88.5

O AP E L X RACES ARES

11/24/09

Danville

I

147.165

+

K9LMK

K9LMK

O WX RACES

01/05/10

Danville

I

444.575

+

WX9HC

HendrixARC

88.5

O AP E L X RACES ARES

11/24/09

Franklin

I

223.960

-

KC9LGZ

KC9LGZ

151.4

O E

05/01/09

Greenfield

I

145.330

-

W9ATG

O E WX RACES ARES

09/03/05

Greenfield

I

444.450

+

W9ATG

O RACES

08/15/02

Greenfield

I

444.725

+

W9ATG

O RACES

09/15/02

Greenwood

I

146.835

-

WA9RDF

WA9RDF

151.4

O E WX RACES ARES

01/19/08

Indianapolis

I

52.700

51.700

K9IPL

K9IPL

O E L

05/26/08

Indianapolis

I

53.010

52.010

K9TNW

HQ RC

O

04/07/09

Indianapolis

I

145.210

-

NE9T

NE9T

100.0

O

02/01/08

Indianapolis

I

145.370

-

W9GTA

O

09/27/04

Indianapolis

I

146.625

-

W9IRA

O

12/18/05

Indianapolis

I

146.700

-

W9IRA

O E WX

12/18/05

Indianapolis

I

146.760

-

K9LPW

151.4

O E WX RACES

12/02/09

Indianapolis

I

146.880

-

W9RCA

RCA ARC

88.5

O

09/24/09

Indianapolis

I

146.970

-

W9ICE

ICE

107.2

O E WX L

11/07/07

Indianapolis

I

147.075

+

KA9GIX

O

08/28/02

Indianapolis

I

147.120

+

W9IRA

O ARES

12/19/05

Indianapolis

I

224.500

-

KC9COP

07/29/05

Indianapolis

I

224.540

-

KB9RBB

03/14/05

Indianapolis

I

224.580

-

WA9WEB

WA9WEB

100.0

O

10/18/07

Indianapolis

I

224.800

-

K9XV

K9XV

88.5

O RACES

05/10/09

Indianapolis

I

224.980

-

W9ICE

ICE

77.0

O E 7530

11/07/07

Indianapolis

I

441.875

+

KF9MD

04/17/07

Indianapolis

I

441.925

+

K9RAG

K9RAG

100.0

O E

09/30/09

Indianapolis

I

442.000

+

KA9GIX

O

02/22/02

Indianapolis

I

442.375

+

K9DC

K9DC

43.0

O

07/07/09

Indianapolis

I

442.500

+

WA9MVP

Indianapolis

I

442.650

+

W9ICE

ICE

77.0

O L X B W RACES ARES TT

11/07/07

Indianapolis

I

442.850

+

KB9UZD

10/30/99

Indianapolis

I

442.950

+

KB9RBF

03/14/05

Indianapolis

I

443.000

+

WB9PGW

WB9PGW

100.0

O E

03/26/09

Indianapolis

I

443.100

+

KC9GMJ

WISH Tech

100.0

O E

04/10/09

Indianapolis

I

443.250

+

KM9E

O CA L Z

05/27/05

Indianapolis

I

443.425

+

K9IP

DREGs

94.8

O E L

07/07/09

Indianapolis

I

443.600

+

W9VCS

O

02/19/05

Indianapolis

I

443.750

+

K9LPW

Cent IN RA

100.0

O DS WX RACES

01/18/09

Indianapolis

I

443.800

+

KC9COP

04/25/05

Indianapolis

I

443.850

+

W9IRA

12/18/05

Indianapolis

I

443.900

+

W9ICE

ICE

118.8

O

12/02/07

Indianapolis

I

444.000

+

NE9T

NE9T

100.0

O

02/01/08

Indianapolis

I

444.325

+

KB9SGN

KB9SGN

136.5

O E WX L X

11/02/07

Indianapolis

I

444.875

+

KA9GIX

02/22/02

Indianapolis

I

915.9875

927.9875

W9ICE

ICE

131.8

O E L

11/07/07

Lebanon

I

443.150

+

NX9Q

CA E L RACES

08/16/99

Martinsville

I

147.060

+

K9PYI

MorganRA

88.5

O E ARES Z

03/27/09

Martinsville

I

147.255

+

W9ZSK

W9ZSK

88.5

O E

03/22/08

Martinsville

I

224.660

-

K9PYI

MorganRA

O E WX ARES

03/27/09

Martinsville

I

442.625

+

K9PYI

MorganRA

100.0

O E WX

06/28/09

Martinsville

I

444.250

+

N9EGQ

N9EGQ

100.0

O E

03/22/08

Morristown

I

53.470

52.470

N9PDB

N9PDB

O

10/20/07

New Whiteland

I

145.110

-

KN9E

O CA L

08/19/06

Nineveh

I

442.150

+

KA9SWI

KA9SWI

O E

11/08/09

Noblesville

I

145.170

-

N9EOC

HamCoARES

77.0

O E WX L RACES ARES

10/06/09

Noblesville

I

443.550

+

N9EOC

Ham-ARES

77.0

O E WX L RACES ARES

11/06/09

Plainfield

I

145.290

-

AB9D

AB9D

88.5

O CA

12/23/09

Plainfield

I

442.275

+

AB9D

AB9D

123.0

O CA

12/23/09

Plainfield

I

442.900

+

WB9CIF

11/16/95

Shelbyville

I

145.480

-

W9JUQ

O E WX ARES

07/27/00

Shelbyville

I

224.440

-

W9NTP

O E WX ARES

07/27/00

Shelbyville

I

444.975

+

W9JUQ

O E WX ARES

07/27/00

Whiteland

I

444.075

+

KM9S

08/20/06

North Central
Location

Region

Output

Input

Callsign

Sponsor

CTCSS

Notes

Update

Bremen

NC

145.190

-

N9FX

O E RACES

04/09/05

Bremen

NC

443.425

+

N9FCO

01/20/06

Bristol

NC

146.895

-

K9TSM

O CA E

05/23/06

Culver

NC

444.925

+

N9GPY

N9GPY

131.8

O E WX ARES Z

12/17/09

Delong

NC

443.925

+

N9GPY

N9GPY

131.8

O E WX Z

12/17/09

Elkhart

NC

53.170

52.170

KC9GMH

KC9GMH

131.8

O WX L

03/20/08

Elkhart

NC

145.250

-

KC9GMH

KC9GMH

131.8

O WX L

01/28/08

Elkhart

NC

145.430

-

AA9DG

ElkhartCRA

131.8

O CA Z

11/21/08

Elkhart

NC

224.080

-

KC9GMH

KC9GMH

131.8

O WX L

03/02/08

Elkhart

NC

224.900

-

W9LZX

ElkhartCRA

131.8

O CA Z

11/21/08

Elkhart

NC

442.375

+

KC9GMH

KC9GMH

131.8

O E WX

01/28/08

Elkhart

NC

442.600

+

N9RSV

O

11/27/05

Elkhart

NC

443.150

+

KC9OHC

KC9OHC

131.8

O

04/13/09

Elkhart

NC

443.325

+

N9UZM

O

11/26/05

Elkhart

NC

443.475

+

AA9JC

AA9JC

131.8

O E X RACES ARES

12/26/09

Elkhart

NC

444.275

+

AA9JC

AA9JC

131.8

O E

12/26/09

Elkhart

NC

927.650

902.650

KC9GMH

KC9GMH

131.8

O WX L

03/02/08

Frankfort

NC

146.610

-

K9JRC

O L

10/21/05

Frankfort

NC

442.575

+

N9SFA

10/21/05

Goshen

NC

223.940

-

N9AES

N9AES

131.8

O E WX

10/15/08

Goshen

NC

443.850

+

KB9ORC

KB9ORC

131.8

O E

12/04/09

Kokomo

NC

146.910

-

W9KRC

KRC

O WX RACES ARES

11/24/09

Kokomo

NC

147.240

+

W9KRC

KRC

88.5

O E WX RACES ARES

11/24/09

Kokomo

NC

147.375

+

W9KRC

KRC

O RACES ARES

11/24/09

Kokomo

NC

442.300

+

W9KRC

KRC

O RACES ARES

11/24/09

Kokomo

NC

442.400

+

KA9GFS

O

10/17/00

Kokomo

NC

444.025

+

N9LLO

O E L

06/20/99

Logansport

NC

145.230

-

W9VMW

O

01/21/03

Logansport

NC

145.350

-

W9VMW

O

01/21/03

Logansport

NC

147.180

+

W9VMW

01/21/03

Logansport

NC

443.650

+

W9VMW

O 77.0

01/21/03

Middlebury

NC

442.475

+

AA9JC

AA9JC

131.8

O E X RACES ARES

12/26/09

Mishawaka

NC

146.745

-

N8AES

N8AES

100.0

O WX L RACES

08/07/08

Mishawaka

NC

147.090

+

N9GVU

O

09/30/99

Mishawaka

NC

444.100

+

N9GVU

O

09/30/99

Nappanee

NC

443.025

+

WD9ATU

WD9ATU

94.7

O E

11/25/07

Notre Dame

NC

443.350

+

ND1U

02/07/05

Peru

NC

147.345

+

K9ZEV

O E

12/21/09

Plymouth

NC

146.670

-

K9ZLQ

12/04/94

Plymouth

NC

147.285

+

K9WZ

O CA E L

06/06/96

Plymouth

NC

224.500

-

K9ZLQ

12/04/94

Richvalley

NC

146.955

-

WA9RRL

WA9RRL

141.3

O E

07/30/08

Rochester

NC

146.805

-

W9KLC

O ARES

06/20/96

Rochester

NC

442.700

+

KC9IXX

O E

05/30/07

Sidney

NC

444.425

+

WB9VLE

WB9VLE

131.8

O E

09/20/08

South Bend

NC

29.680

-

W9AMR

O E

04/10/07

South Bend

NC

52.620

52.120

N9OCB

O E

06/18/06

South Bend

NC

53.850

52.850

N9JHQ

O E

02/21/04

South Bend

NC

145.290

-

N9OCB

N9OCB

131.8

O

11/20/09

South Bend

NC

147.225

+

W9AB

O

03/29/97

South Bend

NC

147.390

+

WB9AGX

WB9AGX

131.8

O AP E WX L

04/02/08

South Bend

NC

440.475

+

N9UPW

N9UPW

192.8

O E WX L RACES ARES SNP

02/25/09

South Bend

NC

442.100

+

WB9AGX

100.0

O AP E WX L RACES

04/02/08

South Bend

NC

442.500

+

N9OCB

N9OCB

11/20/09

South Bend

NC

444.175

+

KA9MXW

KA9MXW

131.8

O E

11/21/08

South Bend

NC

444.700

+

W9TEW

O CA E

04/20/02

South Bend

NC

444.975

+

K9SIQ

O CA E

01/27/05

South Bend

NC

927.975

902.975

WB9AGX

WB9AGX

131.8

O AP E WX L RACES

06/05/08

Syracuse

NC

146.985

-

KB9AVO

O ARES Z

08/23/07

Tipton

NC

443.125

+

K9TRC

O E

07/19/07

Wabash

NC

147.030

+

KB9LDZ

WabashARC

131.8

O CA E WX

07/30/08

Wabash

NC

442.325

+

KB9LDZ

WabashARC

131.8

O E WX

07/30/08

Warsaw

NC

145.130

-

KA9OHV

KA9OHV

91.5

O E WX ARES

01/27/09

Warsaw

NC

443.050

+

KA9OHV

KA9OHV

131.8

O WX X ARES

01/27/09

Warsaw

NC

443.775

+

N9UZM

O

02/26/07

Warsaw

NC

444.200

+

K9CWD

11/25/05

Northeast
Location

Region

Output

Input

Callsign

Sponsor

CTCSS

Notes

Update

Andrews

NE

442.925

+

KC9DZ

04/28/07

Angola

NE

147.105

+

WB9AEI

O E Z

12/14/06

Angola

NE

147.180

+

WB9AEI

O E L ARES Z

12/14/96

Angola

NE

444.900

+

WB9AEI

Auburn

NE

147.015

+

W9OU

NE In ARC

O WX ARES

11/10/09

Auburn

NE

442.450

+

KA9LCF

Berne

NE

146.970

-

KB9KYM

AdamsARC

O

05/27/09

Columbia City

NE

53.050

52.050

K9KOP

K9KOP

141.3

O E WX RACES ARES

06/20/09

Columbia City

NE

145.270

-

WC9AR

WCARC

131.8

O E WX RACES ARES

01/28/08

Columbia City

NE

223.900

-

K9KOP

K9KOP

141.3

O E WX RACES ARES

07/18/09

Columbia City

NE

442.900

+

K9KOP

K9KOP

141.3

O E WX RACES ARES

07/18/09

Columbia City

NE

444.550

+

WC9AR

WhitleyARC

131.8

O E WX RACES ARES

01/28/08

Decatur

NE

145.470

-

KB9KYM

AdamsARC

O

05/27/09

Decatur

NE

443.725

+

KB9FRU

AdamsARC

O

05/27/09

Decatur

NE

444.325

+

K9OMW

K9OMW

O

01/05/10

Fort Wayne

NE

53.270

52.270

N9VZJ

O L

09/16/04

Fort Wayne

NE

53.330

52.330

W9FEZ

O

02/21/00

Fort Wayne

NE

145.330

-

W9FEZ

O

02/21/00

Fort Wayne

NE

146.760

-

W9TE

FWRC

131.8

O E

10/10/09

Fort Wayne

NE

146.880

-

W9INX

ACARTS

O AP E RACES ARES

11/03/09

Fort Wayne

NE

146.910

-

W9TE

FWRC

O

10/10/09

Fort Wayne

NE

146.940

-

W9TE

FWRC

O AP

10/10/09

Fort Wayne

NE

147.135

+

N9VZJ

11/26/06

Fort Wayne

NE

147.165

+

N9VZJ

O L

09/03/04

Fort Wayne

NE

147.255

+

W9INX

ACARTS

O E ARES

11/03/09

Fort Wayne

NE

224.800

-

W9FEZ

O

05/09/00

Fort Wayne

NE

442.550

+

N9VZJ

O L

09/16/04

Fort Wayne

NE

443.100

+

WB9VLE

WB9VLE

131.8

O

11/24/07

Fort Wayne

NE

443.275

+

KC9AUQ

05/07/06

Fort Wayne

NE

443.800

+

W9INX

ACARTS

O E RACES ARES

11/03/09

Fort Wayne

NE

444.250

+

WD9AVW

O

03/11/05

Fort Wayne

NE

444.300

+

W9VD

O E ARES

12/27/00

Fort Wayne

NE

444.800

+

W9FEZ

O

02/21/00

Fort Wayne

NE

444.875

+

W9TE

FWRC

O

10/10/09

Garrett

NE

444.050

+

K9PBR

06/19/07

Huntington

NE

53.150

52.150

WB9VLE

WB9VLE

131.8

O

12/15/09

Huntington

NE

443.975

+

KC9GX

O L ARES

04/28/07

Kimmell

NE

444.725

+

KC9FDA

KC9FDA

141.3

O AP CA E WX Z

12/21/07

Kokomo

NE

443.300

+

KA9GFS

10/17/00

Lagrange

NE

443.675

+

WS9S

O RACES ARES

12/23/06

Laotto

NE

145.110

-

KB9VTK

KB9VTK

141.3

O

09/28/09

Laotto

NE

443.600

+

KB9VTK

KB9VTK

141.3

O E

03/02/08

Laotto

NE

927.4625

902.4625

KB9VTK

KB9VTK

141.3

O

05/19/09

Roanoke

NE

146.625

-

WB9VLE

WB9VLE

131.8

O CA E

11/21/08

Roanoke

NE

444.150

+

WB9VLE

WB9VLE

O

04/03/07

Roanoke

NE

927.5125

902.5125

WB9VLE

WB9VLE

131.8

O

04/03/07

Spencerville

NE

147.360

+

WB9VLE

WB9VLE

131.8

O

03/26/09

Warren

NE

224.460

-

N9QVI

O E

09/09/01

Wolflake

NE

147.270

+

N9MTF

N9MTF

131.8

O

07/31/08

Wolflake

NE

442.800

+

N9MTF

N9MTF

O

07/31/08

Northwest
Location

Region

Output

Input

Callsign

Sponsor

CTCSS

Notes

Update

Brook

NW

145.210

-

KC9COR

O

05/03/04

Burns Harbor

NW

444.675

+

N9FI

BethSteel

97.4

O

12/21/09

Cedar Lake

NW

146.835

-

WB9VRG

WB9VRG

131.8

O E

01/31/08

Crown Point

NW

145.450

-

KE9I

01/01/93

Crown Point

NW

224.000

-

W9FXT

05/07/06

Gary

NW

146.625

-

W9SAL

W9SAL

131.8

O E

09/12/07

Gary

NW

146.910

-

WA9JLN

O E L

07/16/07

Gary

NW

442.750

+

WA9JLN

O CA E L

07/16/07

Hammond

NW

147.195

+

W9FXT

IARA

131.8

O CA E L TT

09/07/09

Hammond

NW

224.740

-

KA9QJG

KA9QJG

131.8

O AP E WX AMBER

05/01/05

Hammond

NW

442.200

+

W9FXT

W9FXT

173.8

O E TT

11/06/09

Hammond

NW

444.750

+

KA9QJG

KA9QJG

131.8

O AP E WX Amber

11/25/07

Knox

NW

442.950

+

W9QN

La Porte

NW

146.610

-

K9JSI

LaPorteARC

131.8

O E WX L RACES ARES

10/06/09

LaPorte

NW

444.950

+

W9SAL

W9SAL

131.8

O

08/07/07

Merrillville

NW

147.000

+

W9LJ

O E RACES Z

12/23/06

Merriville

NW

442.075

+

W9LJ

O RACES ARES

12/23/06

Michigan City

NW

146.970

-

W9LY

MCARC

131.8

O

11/21/09

Michigan City

NW

441.950

+

W9LY

MCARC

131.8

O

11/21/09

New Carlisle

NW

146.865

-

AB9OZ

AB9OZ

131.8

O ARES

04/03/09

New Carlisle

NW

223.800

-

N9HXU

N9HXU

131.8

O

11/09/08

New Carlisle

NW

442.425

+

AB9OZ

AB9OZ

131.8

O

04/03/09

New Carlisle

NW

444.525

+

AB9OZ

AB9OZ

O

04/03/09

North Judson

NW

145.410

-

N9LV

N9LV

131.8

O AP E WX X

12/21/09

North Judson

NW

442.000

+

N9LV

N9LV

131.8

O WX X

12/21/09

Rensselaer

NW

145.330

-

KC9HUS

O E WX

11/08/05

St. John

NW

147.240

+

W9LJ

O E RACES ARES Z

01/15/07

Valparaiso

NW

29.640

-

KB9KRI

O E

09/10/01

Valparaiso

NW

53.570

52.570

KB9KRI

O

09/10/01

Valparaiso

NW

53.810

52.810

AE9P

AE9P

131.8

O E WX RACES ARES

01/30/08

Valparaiso

NW

146.775

-

K9PC

PorterARC

131.8

O E RACES ARES

12/23/09

Valparaiso

NW

147.075

+

KC9KOH

Porter Emg

131.8

O WX RACES ARES

03/21/09

Valparaiso

NW

147.105

+

KB9KRI

Duneland

131.8

O E WX X ARES

10/23/08

Valparaiso

NW

224.120

-

KB9KRI

O E

09/10/01

Valparaiso

NW

442.250

+

K9PC

PorterARC

131.8

O E RACES ARES

12/23/09

Valparaiso

NW

444.350

+

KB9KRI

O E

09/10/01

Valparaiso

NW

444.450

+

KC9KOH

Porter Emg

131.8

O WX RACES ARES

03/21/09

Valparaiso

NW

927.800

907.800

KB9KRI

O E

09/10/01

Valparaiso

NW

1292.000

1272.000

KB9KRI

Duneland

88.5

O E

10/23/08

South Central
Location

Region

Output

Input

Callsign

Sponsor

CTCSS

Notes

Update

Bedford

SC

29.680

-

N9UMJ

N9UMJ

136.5

O E WX L X RACES ARES TT

08/25/09

Bedford

SC

145.310

-

W9QYQ

HoosrHills

107.2

O E WX RACES

10/13/09

Bedford

SC

145.490

-

AA9WR

O

09/22/06

Bedford

SC

146.730

-

W9QYQ

HoosrHills

107.2

O CA E WX RACES

10/13/09

Bedford

SC

442.250

+

N9UMJ

N9UMJ

136.5

O AP WX L X RACES ARES TT

07/18/09

Bedford

SC

442.675

+

N9WEV

O CA E RACES

05/12/01

Bedford

SC

444.050

+

W9QYQ

HoosrHills

107.2

O E WX RACES

10/13/09

Bloomington

SC

146.640

-

WB9TLH

O E WX

04/03/07

Bloomington

SC

146.940

-

K9IU

O E

01/20/06

Bloomington

SC

147.180

+

WB9HZX

WB9HZX

136.5

O E WX

10/28/09

Bloomington

SC

224.640

-

W9EAR

EARS

107.2

O WX L rb

10/29/07

Bloomington

SC

442.825

+

K9IU

O E ARES

03/18/06

Bloomington

SC

442.925

+

W9EAR

EARS

107.2

O WX L

10/29/07

Bloomington

SC

443.775

+

KB9SGN

KB9SGN

136.5

O WX L X RACES ARES

11/02/07

Bloominton

SC

444.900

+

WB9HZX

WB9HZX

136.5

O E WX

10/28/09

Cannelton

SC

146.760

-

K4DJF

K4DJF

107.2

O

10/19/07

Chrisney

SC

443.600

+

W9DRB

W9DRB

O

08/28/09

Columbus

SC

146.790

-

WB9AEP

CARC

100.0

O E WX RACES ARES

07/15/09

Columbus

SC

443.075

+

KC9FQ

CARC

136.5

O E WX RACES ARES

06/20/09

Corydon

SC

146.775

-

WD9HMH

HarrEMA

103.5

O E RACES ARES

11/24/09

English

SC

443.150

+

KC9IUY

O E WX

03/14/07

Floyds Knob

SC

146.745

-

WD9HMH

O E RACES

12/14/96

Floyds Knob

SC

224.820

-

W9BGW

W9BGW

O E

01/07/10

Floyds Knob

SC

444.200

+

WD9ANK

WD9ANK

67.0

O CA E

01/28/09

Floyds Knob

SC

927.525

902.525

WD9ANK

WD9ANK

67.0

O E

01/25/09

Frenchtown

SC

146.820

-

W9BGW

W9BGW

103.5

O ARES

07/18/09

Frenchtown

SC

224.700

-

WB9GNA

WB9GNA

103.5

O E

01/15/10

Frenchtown

SC

442.300

+

WB9GNA

WB9GNA

146.2

O E

01/28/09

Kirksville

SC

443.050

+

WB9TLH

07/05/07

Levenworth

SC

147.015

+

WB4ROI

WB4ROI

103.5

O E WX ARES

05/01/09

Marengo

SC

443.300

+

KC9OLF

SoInARC

146.2

O CA E WX RACES ARES

01/19/09

Napoleon

SC

146.805

-

KC9MBX

KC9MBX

O E WX RACES ARES

02/24/08

Nashville

SC

53.090

52.090

KA9SWI

KA9SWI

O E WX RACES ARES

11/08/09

Nashville

SC

147.300

+

KA9SWI

KA9SWI

136.5

O E WX RACES ARES

11/08/09

Nashville

SC

443.275

+

KA9SWI

KA9SWI

136.5

O E WX L RACES ARES

11/08/09

Paoli

SC

53.630

52.630

WB9FHP

WB9FHP

O E WX ARES TT

07/18/09

Paoli

SC

147.045

+

KB9OHY

Orange ARC

103.5

O E WX ARES TT

07/18/09

Paoli

SC

444.025

+

KB9OHY

OrangeARC

103.5

O E

07/18/09

Salem

SC

146.655

-

KB9KPG

WashCoARC

103.5

O E WX RACES ARES

01/05/10

Salem

SC

444.925

+

KB9SGN

KB9SGN

136.5

O E L X ARES

11/02/07

Seymour

SC

145.430

-

KC9JOY

KC9JOY

O E WX

10/15/08

Seymour

SC

147.135

+

KI9G

K9IG

103.5

O E

05/01/09

Seymour

SC

224.860

-

N9PUG

N9PUG

O E ARES

10/15/08

Seymour

SC

441.550

+

KC9JOY

KC9JOY

O

03/02/09

Seymour

SC

442.975

+

KI9G

K9IG

103.5

O E

05/01/09

Seymour

SC

443.725

+

N9KPA

N9KPA

103.5

O E RACES ARES

09/30/09

Springville

SC

223.800

-

N9HXU

N9HXU

107.2

O

11/09/08

Southeast
Location

Region

Output

Input

Callsign

Sponsor

CTCSS

Notes

Update

Brookville

SE

53.370

52.370

N9HHM

O CA E

10/08/00

Brookville

SE

224.280

-

N9HHM

O CA E

10/08/00

Brookville

SE

224.320

-

N9HHM

O CA E

10/08/00

Brookville

SE

442.250

+

KB9YSN

O WX ARES

07/14/03

Greensburg

SE

146.955

-

KB9KNG

06/01/02

Greensburg

SE

224.780

-

KB9KNG

O WX ARES

06/01/02

Greensburg

SE

444.525

+

N9LQL

N9LQL

O E WX RACES ARES

02/01/08

Lawrenceburg

SE

147.285

+

WA9BLA

LV ARC

146.2

O E WX RACES ARES

09/07/09

Lawrenceburg

SE

443.875

+

K9GPS

LV ARC

146.2

O RACES ARES

02/24/09

Madison

SE

145.170

-

W9EFU

CliftyARS

O E WX ARES

12/21/09

Madison

SE

442.875

+

W9EFU

O E WX ARES

05/03/00

Osgood

SE

441.775

+

WY9L

RCARC

O WX X ARES

11/04/09

Versailes

SE

222.860

+

KC9MBX

KC9MBX

O E WX RACES ARES

03/20/08

Southwest
Location

Region

Output

Input

Callsign

Sponsor

CTCSS

Notes

Update

Birdseye

SW

147.285

+

K9PSI

K9PSI

O E

09/02/08

Bloomfield

SW

147.240

+

W9HD

W9HD

103.5

O CA E WX L RACES ARES

02/17/08

Boonville

SW

147.075

+

WB9QVR

WarrickEMA

88.5

O E RACES

07/18/09

Boonville

SW

442.400

+

WB9QVR

WB9QVR

107.2

O E RACES ARES

12/24/09

Chandler

SW

442.125

+

AA9MM

05/30/07

Chrisney

SW

146.910

-

KC9FTG

SpencerEOC

O RACES ARES

08/28/09

Dugger

SW

146.775

-

KC9AK

DuggerARC

136.5

O

12/06/09

Evansville

SW

53.550

52.550

W9KXP

W9KXP

162.2

O E WX L X

08/27/09

Evansville

SW

145.110

-

W9EAR

EARS

107.2

O E

10/29/07

Evansville

SW

145.150

-

W9EAR

EARS

O CA WX L Z

10/29/07

Evansville

SW

146.790

-

W9OG

TriState

88.5

O AP E WX L X RACES ARES

09/07/08

Evansville

SW

146.835

-

W9KXP

W9KXP

136.5

O E WX L X

10/18/08

Evansville

SW

147.105

+

W9MAR

MidwstARS

O L

11/06/09

Evansville

SW

147.150

+

W9OG

TriState

O E RACES ARES

09/07/08

Evansville

SW

443.250

+

W9KXP

W9KXP

146.2

O E WX L X RACES ARES

12/18/09

Evansville

SW

443.325

+

N9JCA

N9JCA

123.0

O IRLP 4368

04/04/09

Evansville

SW

443.400

+

AA9MM

O CA RACES Z

02/28/05

Evansville

SW

443.550

+

K9RVB

06/17/06

Evansville

SW

444.150

+

AA9MM

O CA RACES Z

02/28/05

Evansville

SW

444.500

+

W9MAR

MidwestARS

O

11/06/09

Evansville

SW

444.950

+

N9WYN

01/07/06

Francisco

SW

442.050

+

KC9MEW

KC9MEW

210.7

O

03/20/08

Jasonville

SW

53.310

52.310

KC9AK

DuggerARC

88.5

O

12/06/09

Jasper

SW

444.675

+

N9MZF

O E

06/10/02

Linton

SW

145.170

-

KA9JOK

KA9JOK

100.0

O

05/01/09

Linton

SW

145.390

-

KB9HIK

O

04/03/07

Linton

SW

444.800

+

KA9JOK

KA9JOK

100.0

O CA E L

04/05/09

Lynnville

SW

145.250

-

W9KXP

W9KXP

123.0

O E WX L RACES ARES

10/18/08

Lynnville

SW

443.850

+

W9KXP

W9KXP

136.5

O E WX L RACES ARES TT

06/29/09

Monroe City

SW

442.750

+

W9KXP

W9KXP

156.7

O E L RACES ARES

06/29/09

Newburgh

SW

53.150

52.150

KC9HZJ

O E L RACES ARES

11/26/06

Newburgh

SW

145.430

-

KA9VKO

O

03/01/04

Newburgh

SW

443.475

+

KC9HZJ

07/06/06

Petersburg

SW

145.450

-

WA9FGT

O AP L

12/14/96

Petersburg

SW

443.125

+

K9MNS

K9MNS

136.5

O E

06/04/09

Petersburg

SW

444.000

+

KB9EDT

O

12/03/00

Princeton

SW

145.410

-

KB9NEJ

SoINMobEmg

136.5

O E WX RACES ARES

03/23/09

Princeton

SW

147.390

+

W9KXP

W9KXP

131.8

O E WX L X

06/09/08

Ridgeport

SW

145.470

-

KB9SIP

136.5

O AP E WX L X ARES

11/02/07

Shoals

SW

145.210

-

KA9PSX

KA9PSX

O AP E

12/02/09

Troy

SW

146.955

-

W9KXP

W9KXP

146.2

O E WX X RACES ARES

09/21/08

Vicksburg

SW

442.425

+

KB9SIP

118.8

O E WX L X ARES

11/02/07

Vincennes

SW

146.670

-

W9EOC

OldPost

91.5

O E WX ARES

11/21/09

Vincennes

SW

146.925

-

W9EAR

EARS

107.2

O WX L X

10/29/07

Vincennes

SW

224.600

-

W9DP

O E

12/24/06

Vincennes

SW

443.675

+

W9EOC

Old Post

O E WX ARES

11/21/09

Vincennes

SW

443.925

+

W9EAR

EARS

107.2

O CA Z

10/29/07

Washington

SW

147.315

+

WA9IN

O RACES

09/12/05

Washington

SW

442.700

+

KB9LOW

O

08/28/02

Winslow

SW

147.000

+

W9UL

O AP E Z

06/19/07

Southwest
Location

Region

Output

Input

Callsign

Sponsor

CTCSS

Notes

Update

ATV
Location

Region

Output

Input

Callsign

Sponsor

CTCSS

Notes

Update

Evansville

TV

421.250

434.000

W9KXP

W9KXP

146.2

O E WX RACES ARES Sync 15.750

06/29/09

Fort Wayne

TV

910.250

439.250

W9TE

FWRC

O H-Sync

10/10/09

Fort Wayne

TV

910.250

427.250

W9TE

FWRC

O H-Sync

10/10/09

Indianapolis

TV

425.250

439.250

K9LPW

CentIN RA

O E

12/02/09

West Lafayette

TV

421.250

439.250

KB9KHM

KB9KHM

sync 15.750

09/28/06

West Central
Location

Region

Output

Input

Callsign

Sponsor

CTCSS

Notes

Update

Battleground

WC

444.175

+

WB9CZC

WB9CZC

88.5

O E P ARES

06/28/09

Chalmers

WC

147.255

+

KC9PQA

WhiteARC

131.8

O E WX ARES

06/20/09

Clinton

WC

146.715

-

K9KSA

08/28/05

Clinton

WC

442.175

+

K9KSA

08/28/05

Cloverdale

WC

53.710

52.710

N9XYY

O

12/23/06

Cloverdale

WC

444.475

+

KB9SGN

KB9SGN

136.5

O E WX L

11/02/07

Coatesville

WC

444.400

+

KC9HKT

KC9HKT

151.4

O E

06/04/09

Covington

WC

145.490

-

W9ABH

BARC

156.7

O E L

11/23/09

Crawfordsville

WC

146.865

-

KB9GPB

11/22/95

Crawfordsville

WC

147.225

+

KB9GPB

O CA E RACES

04/17/00

Crawfordsville

WC

147.270

+

KC9QKL

Livewires

O

11/05/09

Foster

WC

145.270

-

N9UWE

N9UWE

88.5

O L

11/30/09

Foster

WC

443.450

+

N9UWE

N9UWE

O

11/30/09

Gosport

WC

146.895

-

KB9SGN

K9TC

136.5

O AP L X ARES

11/02/07

Gosport

WC

442.350

+

KB9QJM

O CA E L

05/24/04

Greencastle

WC

147.330

+

W9BJJ

O ARES

11/25/05

Monticello

WC

444.175

+

KB9AYF

04/16/05

Otterbein

WC

444.075

+

KC9BPE

KC9BPE

88.5

O E

01/07/10

Otterbein

WC

927.5625

902.5625

W9CBA

11/08/05

Rockville

WC

146.745

-

NS9M

O E

08/07/99

Spencer

WC

146.985

-

KB9MZZ

O E WX ARES

09/06/05

Terre Haute

WC

52.525

52.920

W9EQD

TerreHaute

O

12/04/09

Terre Haute

WC

145.350

-

NC9U

OtrCrkRC

O E

12/18/09

Terre Haute

WC

146.805

-

W9SKI

W9SKI

O E WX

03/02/08

Terre Haute

WC

146.955

-

W9TLT

W9TLT

O E

11/24/07

Terre Haute

WC

147.090

+

W0DQJ

O E Z

07/02/93

Terre Haute

WC

147.150

+

W9EQD

TerreHaute

151.4

O

12/04/09

Terre Haute

WC

223.880

-

NS9M

O E

01/27/00

Terre Haute

WC

224.880

-

W9TLC

O

09/06/04

Terre Haute

WC

442.550

+

NC9U

OtrCrkRC

O E

12/18/09

Terre Haute

WC

444.600

+

NC9U

OtrCrkRC

O E WX

12/17/09

Terre Haute

WC

444.750

+

W9EQD

TerreHaute

151.4

O

12/04/09

Terre Haute

WC

444.850

+

K9EDP

K9EDP

151.4

O

10/30/07

W. Terre Haute

WC

145.230

-

K9HX

K9HX

151.4

O E WX ARES

02/25/06

West Lafayette

WC

53.190

52.190

W9YB

PurdueARC

88.5

O E

11/30/09

West Lafayette

WC

146.760

-

W9YB

PurdueARC

88.5

O E L ARES

11/30/09

West Lafayette

WC

147.135

+

WI9RES

WIRES

88.5

O AP E WX ARES

12/20/09

West Lafayette

WC

224.960

-

W9YB

PurdueARC

88.5

O E

11/21/09

West Lafayette

WC

444.500

+

W9YB

PurdueARC

88.5

O E

11/30/09

Williamsport

WC

443.675

+

WB9ARC

BARC

156.7

O E WX L RACES

11/23/09

791. NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast 22 Jan 10

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-22 21:58:29 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 791 Message: 791

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

The NZ4O Daily LF/MF/HF/6M Frequency Radiowave Propagation Forecast #2010-04 has been published on Friday 01/22/2009 at 1000 UTC,

valid 0000 UTC Saturday 01/23/2010 through 2359 UTC Friday 01/23/2009 at

http://www.solarcycle24.org .

792. 4 Meter Ham Band

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-28 23:24:41 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 792 Message: 792

FYI

This Sounds Great to Me I would support it

73 De Don KA9QJG

Per the "suggestion" that "someone" needs to petition the FCC to establish a 4-meter band for amateur use in the United States (the 4-meter band is available in a number of European and African nations) I have submitted the following petition to the FCC:

Glen E. Zook
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gezook@... <mailto:gezook@...>

27 January 2010

Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Subject: Petition for proposed changes in 47 CFR Part 97 Section
97.301(a) and Section 97.305(c) to add the 4-meter band

Commissioners:

The 4-meter (70.000 MHz to 70.500 MHz) amateur radio band has been authorized in a growing number of European and African nations and establishing such privileges for amateur radio operators in the United States and other areas over which the Commission has jurisdiction would be of great benefit to those operators residing in such areas. The recent migration of broadcast television stations to primarily the UHF frequencies basically eliminates any probable interference to television channels 4 or 5 which otherwise might have occurred because the 4-meter band is located on frequencies that were allocated to television channel 4. Since the 4-meter amateur radio band does not fall in the 72.0 MHz to 76.0 MHz segment which is allocated to Operational Fixed and various mobile services there would be no potential co-channel or adjacent channel interference.

It is proposed to allow all classes of amateur radio operators operating privileges on this new band. However, it is suggested that Novice Class licensees be restricted to a lower output level than those allowed for Technician Class, General Class, Advanced Class, and Amateur Extra Class licensees. If the present power output limitations of 1500 watts are granted to the higher class licensees then the Novice Class licensees should be restricted to no more than 200 watts power output as per most of the privileges granted those operators who hold a Novice Class license. If a lower power limit is placed on other classes of operator then the power output limits on the Novice Class should be reduced

accordingly. For example, if power limitations of 200 watts maximum output power be placed on Technician Class and higher licensees, then it is suggested that Novice Class licensees be held to no more than 25 watts output.

One possible scenario would be to limit the Technician Class and higher licensees to 200 watts output power for a period of time (i.e. for 2
years) to determine any major interference problems which may occur by establishing these new operating privileges. At the end of that time, then the power output should be increased to the 1500 watts output power now allowed to Technician Class and higher class licensees. The power output allowed for Novice Class operations would then be 25 watts for 2-years increasing to 200 watts after the 2-year time frame.

It is recommended that 47 CFR Part 97 Section 97.301(a) have the following additions made:

Wavelength band Region I Region II Region III Sharing

4m 70.0 □ 70.5 MHz 70.0 □ 70.5 MHz - (a)

and Section 97.305(c) have the following additions made:

VHF

4m MCW, phone, image, RTTY, data, test (2), (5), (8)

Respectively submitted:

Glen E. Zook, K9STH

Whether or not the FCC will even actually consider establishing a new amateur radio band will have to be seen. But, nothing tried, nothing gained!

Glen, K9STH

793. 10 & 6 Meter is open Sun Jan 31, 2010 5:38 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-01-31 23:40:44 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 793 Message: 793

FYI

Big Signals on 10 Meters and Some Sigs on 6 Most of the Afternoon at My QTH

Hammond Indiana

73 De Don KA9QJG

794. Antenna Snags Warning from Brookfiels Il Officials

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-02-17 01:26:55 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 794 Message: 794

FYI I looked Him up He is a Ham I wish Him the Best

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.qrz.com/db/K9OY <http://www.qrz.com/db/K9OY>
Photos

GatelyHouse.jpg

Posted Feb 16, 2010 @ 02:35 PM

Last update Feb 16, 2010 @ 02:44 PM

Brookfield, IL ☐

A local man's antennas have recently received some unwanted communication.

Brookfield resident Gregory Gately, who's roof is adorned with towering antennas, said a village employee knocked on his door Feb. 11 and told him the radio antennas on top of his home were in violation of village code.

"I moved to this home, my second home in Brookfield, 12 years ago, and I have had towers and radio antennas on my home the entire time," Gately said in an e-mail sent to Suburban Life.

At his first home in Brookfield, where he lived from 1983 to 1998, Gately said he also had antennas.

"A Brookfield code enforcement lady said, `Your house is in property maintenance violation, you need to remove all towers and antennas from your room within the next seven days or produce building permits that were issued for the tower installations.'"

Gately said the ticket he received stated that if he did not remove the antennas within the next seven days, by Feb. 18, he would be subject to a citation and a court appearance.

But Assistant Village Manager Keith Sbiral said that what Gately received was only a warning ticket.

"It's just a warning ticket, it's not even going to go to court," Sbiral said. "At this point, we're not going to comment because we don't even know if there is a violation.

Gately maintains his antennas are protected under a Federal Communications Commission law, and that the code he was said to be in violation of was a village satellite dish ordinance.

At this point, village officials are just trying to get in contact with Gately.

"He hasn't bothered to call me or the village to talk about it, though I have reached out to him," Sbiral said.

795. Reply to group from Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-02-17 22:23:00 UTC
From: norman triantafilos
Topic: 794 Message: 795

Ya isnt it ashamed and so sad... But when the bottom falls out they all start squeelin`
help us...And this is just another reason Norman dos not do public service!

 Norm/Kb9ygdhttp://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=1046633402
http://www.qsl.net/kb9ygd/index.html Search My Logbook->
http://dx.qsl.net/cgi-bin/logform.cgi?kb9ygd
http://mysite.verizon.net/res868sp/thetriantafilosfamily/index.html

--- On Tue, 2/16/10, ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...> wrote:

From: ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@WOWWAY.COM>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Antenna Snags Warning from Brookfiels Il Officials
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Tuesday, February 16, 2010, 8:26 PM

FYI
I looked Him up He is a Ham I wish Him the Best

73 De Don KA9QJG
http://www.qrz. com/db/K9OY
Photos

GatelyHouse. jpg

Posted Feb 16, 2010 @ 02:35 PM
Last update Feb 16, 2010 @ 02:44 PM
Brookfield, IL —
A local man's antennas have recently received some unwanted communication.
Brookfield resident Gregory Gately, who's roof is adorned with towering antennas, said a village employee knocked on his door Feb. 11 and told him the radio antennas on top of his home were in violation of village code.
"I moved to this home, my second home in Brookfield, 12 years ago, and I have had towers and radio antennas on my home the entire time," Gately said in an e-mail sent to Suburban Life.
At his first home in Brookfield, where he lived from 1983 to 1998, Gately said he also had antennas.
"A Brookfield code enforcement lady said, `Your house is in property maintenance violation, you need to remove all towers and antennas from your room within the next seven days or produce building permits that were issued for the tower installations. '"
Gately said the ticket he received stated that if he did not remove the antennas within the next seven days, by Feb. 18, he would be subject to a citation and a court appearance.
But Assistant Village Manager Keith Sbiral said that what Gately received was only a warning ticket.
"It's just a warning ticket, it's not even going to go to court," Sbiral said. "At this point, we're not going to comment because we don't even know if there is a violation.
Gately maintains his antennas are protected under a Federal Communications Commission law,

and that the code he was said to be in violation of was a village satellite dish ordinance.
At this point, village officials are just trying to get in contact with Gately.
"He hasn't bothered to call me or the village to talk about it, though I have reached out to him," Sbiral said.

796. OT Person of the Week

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-02-23 03:32:05 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 796 Message: 796

I Got this from a Old Vietnam Vet I met at the VA In Crown point Indiana , I watched it and Lets say I think even if Off topic It is worth Sharing with others on this Group ,

I" am old enough to recall the old days during that time and experienced the same

Enjoy http://tinyurl.com/27xdnr

73 De Don KA9QJG

798. RE: [CQCQCQ] OT Person of the Week

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-02-23 17:04:28 UTC
From: Seth Rainsdon
Topic: 796 Message: 798

Thank you for sharing this with us I means a lot to me.

73s - kd7piq

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg1
Sent: Monday, February 22, 2010 7:32 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] OT Person of the Week

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73 De Don KA9QJG

799. Re: Antenna Snags Warning from Brookfiels Il Officials

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-02-25 03:35:35 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 794 Message: 799

Sure Glad this Worked out So Far , Looks like our Fed Exemption helped in this case

73 De Don KA9QJG

2/17/2010 4:32:00 PM
Email this article ☐ Print this article Gregory Gately
stands in front of a 60-foot high radio tower, one of two such
structures on his Monroe Avenue property in Brookfield.
BOB UPHUES/StaffTicket for radio antennas a mistake, says village

By BOB UPHUES
Editor

Web Extra!

Admittedly, Gregory Gately's home in Brookfield is covered in antennas. A ham radio operator for years, Gately connects with fellow enthusiasts from all over the area. Between the two 60-foot towers and a forest of more than 30 roof antennas, his Monroe Avenue bungalow resembles a Gothic monument to wireless communication.

On Feb. 11, however, he received an unwelcome message from the Village of Brookfield's code department. It was delivered in person and read, "Remove all antennae from entire property. ASAP." He had seven days to comply, according to the yellow maintenance violation notice signed by inspector Carol Bottari.

"I tried to explain to her that I was exempt from local ordinances, but she said, 'We'll see you in court,'" Gately told the Landmark. "I yelled back, 'It'll be in federal court.'"

Assistant Village Manager Keith Sbiral, who oversees the Department of Building and Planning, says that the maintenance violation ticket was written in error and that he has reached out to Gately to discuss the matter.

Gately has lived in his house with his wife, Ann (also a ham radio operator), for 12 years. The antennas have been up for almost that long and no new antennas have been added in at least five years, Gately said.

Other than a problem many years ago with a neighbor who complained that Gately's hobby was interfering with her TV reception, he says he's received no other complaints.

Sbiral still hadn't spoken with Gately as of this morning. But Gately has taken his case to the local press and to the TV station where he

works part-time as a receptionist. On Tuesday, Sbiral had a TV reporter calling and the subsequent news story on TV has led to an outcry against Gately's antennas from some of his neighbors.

"The problem is now I've got a neighborhood full of people who are upset and want some action," Sbiral said.

And, according to Sbiral, the village is not going to take any action, because Gately is right - Federal Communications Commission laws prohibit municipalities from, according to a 1985 statute, putting into practice regulations that are "so restrictive that they preclude effective amateur communications."

This isn't to say that Brookfield couldn't set up zoning guidelines to reasonably regulate antennas for the purposes of health and safety. It's just that the village has no laws on the books regulating such antennas at all.

"He's got the right to have these antennas, and there's not a lot the village can do or would want to do about it," Sbiral said.

Why was the violation notice issued then?

Simply put, Sbiral said, it was a mistake.

"We try to make sure we don't ever make mistakes," Sbiral said. "It's probably not a good idea to use 'ASAP' as a timeframe, but I don't expect inspectors to know every FCC regulation under the sun."

Sbiral said that as soon as he saw the ticket come across his desk, "I said, I don't think we have jurisdiction on that.

"I hope the resident understands that mistakes happen and that's what it is," Sbiral said. "He's not going to have any repercussions from the village on this."

As for where the complaint originated, Sbiral said it was an anonymous complaint from a neighbor made shortly before the inspector handed Gately the ticket. Gately surmised that a homeowner trying to sell a nearby home might have called in the complaint. But the real estate agent who has the listing, Jane Harps, said that wasn't the case.

"It certainly wasn't me," said Harps.

Sbiral said that the village will likely look at drafting some kind of zoning laws to regulate the placement of antennas on properties. At least two of the antennas on Gately's are very close to the side lot line.

"I think there's a way to have some reasonable code that complies with the rules of the FCC relative to the height and the number of antennas," Sbiral said. "Most likely, anyone who has them already would probably be grandfathered in or there would be a sunset clause. It would probably

behoove the village to update that a little bit.

"I don't think it's the huge issue it was blown up to be."

800. OT Here is a nice to the Point Decal for Our Equipment LOL

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-02-26 04:10:27 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 800 Message: 800

Here is a nice to the Point Decal for Our Equipment LOL Think I will print a few out

73 De Don KA9QJG

801. Re: [CQCQCQ] OT Here is a nice to the Point Decal for Our Equipment LOL

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-02-26 04:43:55 UTC
From: James - KB7TBT
Topic: 800 Message: 801
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Already have one on the back window of my truck!

James
KB7TBT
www.kb7tbt.com

Here is a nice to the Point Decal for Our Equipment LOL Think I will print a few out

73 De Don KA9QJG

802. AntenneX New Issue March 2010 Published

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-01 20:20:58 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 802 Message: 802

FYI

lots of Great Antenna info

73 De Don KA9QJG

The new issue of antenneX for March 2010 has been published.

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All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

803. TAPR President Emeritus Dr David Toth, VE3GYQ (SK)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-03 09:10:00 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 803 Message: 803

FYI

Our Thoughts and Prayers go out to all His Family and Friends

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.arrl.org/news/stories/2010/03/01/11367/?nc=1
TAPR President Emeritus Dr David Toth, VE3GYQ (SK)

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David Toth opened the 2008 ARRL/TAPR Digital Communications Convention. Watch the video www.youtube.com/user/KN4AQ#p/u/6/yBrumFbn05o [Video courtesy of ARVN's Gary Pierce, KN4AQ]

Dr David Toth, VE3GYQ -- President Emeritus of Tucson Amateur Packet Radio (TAPR) -- passed away Friday, February 26after a long battle with cancer. He was 55. A resident of Spencerville, Ohio, Toth served as a Director and Executive Vice President of TAPR in the 1980s and was elected President of the organization in September 2005. With his advancing illness, he decided not to stand for re-election last October and was instead named President Emeritus with Steve Bible, N7HPR, taking the reins as TAPR President.

"Dave was a great manager during his tenure at the head of TAPR," said ARRL Contributing Editor and TAPR Secretary Stan Horzepa, WA1LOU. "I give him a lot of credit for the success of TAPR's involvement in the high performance software defined radio (HPSDR) projects. The ham radio world has lost one of its best with VE3GYQ's passing."

An ARRL Life Member, Toth was a medical doctor who, despite his busy schedule, still made time to be an active amateur. In addition to experimenting with digital communications, he was an avid VHF contester. Licensed since the 1970s, Toth -- a native of Windsor, Ontario -- came to the US in 1993 to practice emergency medicine in Ohio. He was a partner of Premier Health Care Services in Dayton and worked at Lima (Ohio) Memorial Health System and St Rita's Medical Center (also in Lima) until the time of his illness.

"Dave was an extreme pleasure to work with," TAPR President Steven Bible, N7HPR, told the ARRL. "Most people saw Dave's dry wit and humor, but underneath, he was also very passionate about TAPR and promoting the technical side of the Amateur Radio."

QST Editor Steve Ford, WB8IMY, remembered Toth fondly: "After years of telephone chats and e-mails, I finally met Dave Toth in the flesh at the 2006 ARRL/TAPR Digital Communications Conference in Tucson. Some say a brilliant intellect and a well-developed sense of humor are mutually exclusive, but Dave defied the stereotype. It was difficult to keep a straight face at the forums while Dave was muttering irreverent comments. He will be greatly missed."

Bob McGwier, N4HY, who worked with Toth on SDR and other digital communications projects, told the ARRL that Toth was important to Amateur Radio "in so many ways. He was an early member of TAPR, a long time supporter of AMSAT and he gave of his time and talents to promote technical endeavors in Amateur Radio. Dave was an important player in the earliest

days of packet radio in that he helped promote packet and supported it with on the air hardware, but he also participated in the development of a widely used BBS software suite that helped promote packet radio. As a board member and President of TAPR, he helped TAPR become the principal support for Open HPSDR, a project to promote the development of hardware and software for software defined radio use by Amateur Radio. TAPR kitted the hardware developments and made the widely available to amateurs everywhere. Dave was a great confidante, advisor, and friend. He will be sorely missed by all who knew him."

Toth was a private pilot for more than 30 years and an avid amateur astronomer. Since he was a young boy, Toth enjoyed looking at the night sky and reading about space and the stars. He had his own observatory that he opened up on clear nights. Toth was the founding member of the London (Ontario) Astronomy Club and served as its president; he was a member of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada and belonged to the Lima, Dayton and Columbus Astronomy Clubs.
Friends may call from 3-8 PM Monday, March 1 and 1-8 PM Tuesday, March 2 at the Shawnee Chapel of the Chiles-Laman Funeral Home in Lima, Ohio; a parish wake service will begin at 8 PM on Tuesday. Services will begin at 10:30 AM on Wednesday, March 3 at St Charles Catholic Church. Burial of the cremated remains will be at a later date.

804. Heil Goldline Mic PTT Switch

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-03 20:10:57 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 804 Message: 804

Some of you know I have had Problems with the Pushbutton on the Heil Gold line Mic it would cut in and out.

I took it apart Not a Real switch a small pin on a piece of plastic Rod that Touched a Contact. As You know Heil Mic and Products are expensive But they Sound Great if the Equipment You are using then on is set up Properly

And that is Important Don"t think just because You bought a $100.00 Mic because You heard someone on the Air sounding great , That you just Plug it in and talk NO Your Radio shoud be set up For Your Voice and that Mic

Most People will never have a Problem with this switch going bad, Because Some like Our Membere likes VOX, And there is a Pigtail on the Line so You can use a Foot switch or a Ext switch on Your desk.

I like holding a Mic in My Hand because you are normally about 2 Inches away and talking into the Mic if the Phone rings or you turn your head the Mic cord follows, a Desk Mic and I have the MC-85 MC-60 And Others You have to set in front of the Mic and you will sound Great but we do not always do that .

Anyway if you do have this Mic and the PTT Switch goes bad, what I posted is almost an exact Replacement but better It actually pushes in and Holds then push to release the Heil one did not

You cannot beat the price and at least we can still see the part and be able to solder it Hey that's like real Ham radio I remember that

PS actually shocked that Radio shack actually had a part I needed But the Manager looked at the Mic and handed it back and Said No we don't have anything like that , I walked over to switches and found this one this one , He said what is this ? Well it is the part you said you don't have Do I need to pay for it lol

73 De Don KA9QJG

[SPST 3-Amp]
<http://www.radioshack.com/product/index.jsp?productId=2062544>

SPST 3-Amp "Soft-Feel" Push On-Push Off Switch

Model: 275-1565 | Catalog #: 275-1565

$2.79

805. Re: [CQCQCQ] Heil Goldline Mic PTT Switch

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-03 20:56:11 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 804 Message: 805

I like the part where you ask him if you have to pay for a part he does not have... when he really does have it.

made me laugh,....

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

On 3/3/2010 3:10 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:

He said what is this ? Well it is the part you said you don't
> have Do I need to pay for it lol
>
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806. RE: [CQCQCQ] Heil Goldline Mic PTT Switch

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-03 21:36:04 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 804 Message: 806

Thanks , and He was the Manager good to see You are ok and Posting
Your Wit to the Groups , Some like it and some just Don't understand it ,
But Hey that is what the Delete Key is For That is a Scary thought We can
be Deleted in a Second lol

73 De Don KA9QJKG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
Richards
Sent: Wednesday, March 03, 2010 2:56 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Heil Goldline Mic PTT Switch

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========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

On 3/3/2010 3:10 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:

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807. Re: [CQCQCQ] Heil Goldline Mic PTT Switch

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-03 22:15:39 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 804 Message: 807

Yes ... that IS a scary thought... we CAN be deleted in an instant.

So... live life to the fullest and pray hard ! ;-)

---------- James - K8JHR ----------

On 3/3/2010 4:36 PM, ka9qjg wrote:

That is a Scary thought We can be Deleted in a Second lol

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808. FCC Allows Robotic Device in Amateur Band

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-04 01:25:39 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 808 Message: 808

FYI

Lots of Talk on this on the Newsgroups and AIR And Radio News line My thoughts if the Goverment tells us We are the Primary user of anything YES Until they need it .

PS I cannot wait to Call CQ CQ CQ Right on top of that Little Police $ 10.000 Robot

Hey I have already talked to Robots on the Ham Bands OK I"am sorry that was not nice

73 De Don KA9QJG

FCC Allows Robotic Device in Amateur Band

In January 2008, a company called ReconRobotics filed a request with the FCC for a waiver of Part 90 of the Commission's Rules with respect to the Recon Scout -- a remote-controlled, maneuverable surveillance robot designed for use in areas that may be too hazardous for human entry. A waiver is required to permit licensing of the Recon Scout because the device operates in the 430-448 MHz band, which is allocated to the Federal Government Radiolocation service on a primary basis, as well as the Amateur Radio Service and certain non-federal radiolocation systems on a secondary basis. More than two years later, the FCC granted the waiver request in the form of an Order (WP Docket No 08-63), subject to certain conditions.

According to ReconRobotics, the Recon Scout device can be thrown, dropped or launched into hazardous areas and can provide an operator located a safe distance away with video and audio, along with infrared, biological, chemical, heat, radiation or other data. It would be marketed for use by state and local law enforcement and firefighting agencies, as well as by security personnel in critical infrastructure industries.

The FCC noted in the Order that they had received more than 70 comments "generally consist[ing] of public safety and law enforcement entities supporting the waiver request, and amateur radio operators opposing it." In their initial waiver request, ReconRobotics asserted that even though the device operates in an area allocated to other services, including Amateur Radio, the Recon Scout operates with only 1 W peak power and it is "unlikely to cause interference to these services."

ARRL's Arguments Against the Waiver

In its comments filed in May 2008 (as told in a May 29, 2008 article on the ARRL Web site), the ARRL called on the FCC to deny ReconRobotics waiver request, "either permanently or even temporarily," calling on the Commission to require ReconRobotics to "initiate a rulemaking proceeding if it feels that the Part 90 or Part 15 rules governing analog devices are not sufficiently accommodating and should be changed, and could be changed consistent with interference avoidance. Repeatedly granting waivers for analog devices which do not meet the fundamental interference avoidance requirements of the existing rules is bad spectrum management and ill-serves the Amateur Service."

The ARRL pointed out in its May 2008 comments that there are differing amateur operations throughout the 420-450 MHz band. One of the channels ReconRobotics is requesting use of -- 442-448 MHz -- is used by amateur repeaters (with band plans varying by locality) and also for Amateur television repeater inputs. "These repeater inputs, both for voice and video, are at high locations where line-of-sight to [ReconRobotics] devices should be expected anywhere in the United States. Repeaters in this band are routinely used for emergency communications via Amateur Radio for numerous served agencies including FEMA, and so at times when the Petioner's device may be expected to be used, the repeaters may be expected to be in operation in the same areas." As such, the ARRL maintained that interference -- both from and to -- the Recon Scout device may be expected on a regular basis from Amateur Radio operations.

"Because [the Recon Scout] operates on a channelized basis, each of the three channels being six megahertz wide, the necessary bandwidth of the device is apparently close to 6 MHz," the ARRL argued. "[ReconRobotics] asks that it be granted an unspecified series of permanent waivers to allow the marketing and sale to, and use of this device by law enforcement and fire department personnel for public safety applications. The Amateur Service, which has a heavily occupied, secondary allocation in the 420-450 MHz band...would be potentially substantially impacted by grant of these waivers."

The ARRL noted that ReconRobotics asked for "unspecified permanent waivers of Part 90 rules" in order to market and sell its product, but, as the ARRL pointed out, more than the Part 90 rules would have to be waived: "Because the three channels (430-436 MHz, 436-442 MHz and 442-448 MHz) on which the device is proposed to operate are all within that segment [430-450 MHz], what is being requested is not only a waiver of Part 90 service rules, but also a waiver of Section 2.106 of the Commission's Rules, the Table of Allocations. The only allocations in the 430-450 MHz band are for Government Radiolocation (limited to military radars) and on a secondary basis, the Amateur Service. Per Section 90.273 of the Commission's rules, frequencies above 429.99375 MHz and below 450 MHz are unavailable to stations in the land mobile service anywhere in the United States."

The ARRL's comments also stated that ReconRobotics "fails to establish that the 420-450 MHz band is the only viable choice and that no other band would be suitable; an obligation of the Petitioner in order to entitle it to a waiver. In requesting the waiver, ARRL asserts that ReconRobotics only claimed, but did not show, prove or demonstrate, that other bands were not suitable for its purposes. In other cases before the FCC as recent as 2006, the Commission denied such waivers, saying, "We do not believe that the public interest requires grant of a waiver merely to accommodate a manufacturer's choice of a specific frequency when others are available." The ARRL contended that "nothing in the four corners of [ReconRobotics'] request indicates anything that would verify the factual conclusions offered. The waiver request boils down to 'trust us, we have checked into this.'"

The ARRL claimed that a permanent waiver of the Commission's Rules permitting nationwide marketing and use on a licensed basis of land mobile short-range transmitters, benefiting as it does only one manufacturer to the exclusion of all others, "is an inferior method of conducting spectrum allocations and spectrum management" and that ReconRobotics "should be required to refile its proposal as a petition to modify the Table of Allocations for this purpose. Its petition should be vetted in the normal course, and would be properly evaluated based on a complete technical compatibility showing, which is not included in the present Waiver Request."

Upon learning that the FCC had granted the waiver, ARRL Chief Executive Officer David Sumner, K1ZZ said that "While we are completely sympathetic to the desires of law enforcement and firefighting agencies and certain security personnel to have a tool like

the Recon Scout at their disposal, the fact remains that 430-448 MHz is a poor choice of frequency range for such a device in the United States. In its Order, the Commission does not say otherwise; it simply concludes that by imposing an array of conditions and limitations on the use of the device by eligible Part 90 licensees, the potential for harmful interference to Federal and licensed non-Federal users of this band can be, in the Commission's view, adequately minimized. The Order falls short of requiring that the manufacturer adequately explain these conditions and limitations to its potential customers and does not explain how the Commission will enforce its requirements. We share the concerns expressed by NTIA on behalf of the Federal users of the band with regard to development of mass-marketed consumer devices that the Commission has no ability to control. Everyone's interests would have been better served had the manufacturer spent the last two years on engineering, redesigning its product for a more suitable frequency range, rather than on advocacy to legalize the domestic use of a product that was designed for military use abroad."

In a February 2010 letter to Julius Knapp, Chief of the FCC's Office of Engineering and Technology from Karl Nebbia, Associate Administrator of the National Telecommunications and Information Administration's (NTIA) Office of Spectrum Manager, Nebbia told the FCC that the NTIA has concerns that "[i]f mass-marketed low power consumer devices are permitted to operate in the 420-450 MHz band, this could adversely impact the performance of critical radar systems." The NTIA listed several conditions that is said "are necessary to preclude the development of mass-marketed consumer devices that, over time, could impact the use of the 420-450 MHz band by federal systems."

The Waiver Is Granted

The FCC noted that Section 1.925 of the Commission's Rules provides that they may grant a waiver if "it is shown that (a) the underlying purpose of the rule(s) would not be served or would be frustrated by application to the instant case, and grant of the requested waiver would be in the public interest; or (b) in light of unique or unusual circumstances, application of the rule(s) would be inequitable, unduly burdensome, or contrary to the public interest, or the applicant has no reasonable alternative." The Commission concluded that "ReconRobotics has met the first prong of the waiver standard and that the grant of the request is warranted, subject to certain conditions."

The FCC explained that "one purpose of allocating different spectrum bands to different services is to prevent harmful interference" and that ReconRobotics asserts that operation of the Recon Scout is unlikely to cause interference to the other services using the 430-448 MHz band, "because the device operates with lower power (1 W peak power, 0.25 W average power) than radiolocation systems. With respect to amateur operations, ReconRobotics asserts that amateur satellite downlinks should not experience interference because earth station antennas are angled too high to detect a low-power device near ground level; and that terrestrial amateur operations are unlikely to experience interference due to the Recon Scout's low power and brief, itinerant operation, and amateur transmitters' much higher power. Moreover, ReconRobotics acknowledges that the Recon Scout would operate on a secondary basis to amateur services in the band, obligating its users to avoid causing interference."

The ARRL, as well as some Amateur Radio operators who submitted comments on the waiver request, stated that because amateur satellite orbits are not geosynchronous, amateur earth station antennas often point toward the horizon to receive low-level signals. The FCC, however, agreed with ReconRobotics, "that interference to amateur satellite

communications is unlikely. The Recon Scout will be used infrequently and will be limited in number, significantly reducing the possibility of interference. In addition, it is unlikely that Recon Scout would have a significant effect on the ability of even an amateur earth station operating near the horizon to receive a low-level satellite signal, given the variety of natural and man-made interference sources such as terrain, trees, buildings, and other obstacles and ground level interferers having a greater effect on reception. We conclude, therefore, that grant of a waiver to permit equipment authorization and customer licensing of the Recon Scout on 436-442 MHz clearly is appropriate, because the device is unlikely to cause interference to amateur satellite communications in the 435-438 MHz segment."

According to the Commission, the remainder of the 436-442 MHz segment is used by amateurs for wideband amateur television (ATV) operations. The FCC cited the 2002 edition of The ARRL Handbook for Radio Amateurs (pages 12.44-12.51), noting "that amateur stations transmitting a video signal to a repeater station typically use much higher power than the Recon Scout and may use high gain, directional antennas. We believe, therefore, that the signal of the amateur station can reasonably be expected to be much stronger than the signal of the Recon Scout at the repeater's receiving antenna, and that the stronger signal of the amateur station will capture the repeater, thereby minimizing any interference from a Recon Scout. Accordingly, we find no basis in the record before us to believe that operation of the Recon Scout on 436-442 MHz will create interference to ATV operations."

The FCC stated that they are "not as clear" if the Recon Scout can operate in the 430-436 MHz and 442-448 MHz segments "without causing harmful interference." Some Amateur Radio operators, in their comments, stated that 1 W is more than enough to activate a repeater, which could cause interference to an entire system of linked repeaters. In addition, the 432-433 MHz segment is used for long-range weak signal communications utilizing very sensitive receivers. "We note, however, that deployment of the Recon Scout on multiple channels is expected to be rare. Therefore, we believe that interference to these amateur operations can largely be avoided by requiring deployment first in the 436-442 MHz segment, then in the 442-448 MHz segment and in the 430-436 MHz segment only if the other two channels already are in use."

FCC Imposes Special Conditions

The FCC noted that ReconRobotics will need to follow the following special conditions:

Eligibility is limited to state and local police and firefighters eligible for licensing under Section 90.20(a)(1) of the Commission's Rules, and security personnel in critical infrastructure industries. Any offer for sale or lease of the Recon Scout will state these eligibility limits.
The Recon Scout may be used only during actual emergencies involving threats to safety of life and for necessary training related to such operations. Security personnel in critical infrastructure industries may operate the Recon Scout only in areas that are environmentally hazardous for entry by human personnel, and for necessary training related to such operations.
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Date: 2010-03-04 01:41:00 UTC
From: James M.(Jim) Geidl
Topic: 808 Message: 809

Sounds like this may just be the beginning of the subversion of Amateur frequencies. If they do it once they will do it all the time.

Jim, K6JMG
www.spinochio.com

No trees were harmed in the sending of this message; however, a large number of electrons were terribly inconvenienced.
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
> On Behalf Of ka9qjg1
> Sent: Wednesday, March 03, 2010 5:26 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [CQCQCQ] FCC Allows Robotic Device in Amateur Band
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> FYI
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> Lots of Talk on this on the Newsgroups and AIR And Radio News
> line My thoughts if the Goverment tells us We are the Primary
> user of anything YES Until they need it .
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> PS I cannot wait to Call CQ CQ CQ Right on top of that Little
> Police $ 10.000 Robot
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> Hey I have already talked to Robots on the Ham Bands OK I"am
> sorry that was not nice
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> 73 De Don KA9QJG
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> In January 2008, a company called ReconRobotics filed a
> request with the FCC for a waiver of Part 90 of the
> Commission's Rules with respect to the Recon Scout -- a
> remote-controlled, maneuverable surveillance robot designed
> for use in areas that may be too hazardous for human entry. A
> waiver is required to permit licensing of the Recon Scout
> because the device operates in the 430-448 MHz band, which is
> allocated to the Federal Government Radiolocation service on
> a primary basis, as well as the Amateur Radio Service and
> certain non-federal radiolocation systems on a secondary
> basis. More than two years later, the FCC granted the waiver
> request in the form of an Order (WP Docket No 08-63), subject
> to certain conditions.

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> According to ReconRobotics, the Recon Scout device can be
> thrown, dropped or launched into hazardous areas and can
> provide an operator located a safe distance away with video
> and audio, along with infrared, biological, chemical, heat,
> radiation or other data. It would be marketed for use by
> state and local law enforcement and firefighting agencies, as
> well as by security personnel in critical infrastructure industries.
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> The FCC noted in the Order that they had received more than
> 70 comments "generally consist[ing] of public safety and law
> enforcement entities supporting the waiver request, and
> amateur radio operators opposing it." In their initial waiver
> request, ReconRobotics asserted that even though the device
> operates in an area allocated to other services, including
> Amateur Radio, the Recon Scout operates with only 1 W peak
> power and it is "unlikely to cause interference to these services."
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> ARRL's Arguments Against the Waiver
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> In its comments filed in May 2008 (as told in a May 29, 2008
> article on the ARRL Web site), the ARRL called on the FCC to
> deny ReconRobotics waiver request, "either permanently or
> even temporarily," calling on the Commission to require
> ReconRobotics to "initiate a rulemaking proceeding if it
> feels that the Part 90 or Part 15 rules governing analog
> devices are not sufficiently accommodating and should be
> changed, and could be changed consistent with interference
> avoidance. Repeatedly granting waivers for analog devices
> which do not meet the fundamental interference avoidance
> requirements of the existing rules is bad spectrum management
> and ill-serves the Amateur Service."
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> The ARRL pointed out in its May 2008 comments that there are
> differing amateur operations throughout the 420-450 MHz band.
> One of the channels ReconRobotics is requesting use of --
> 442-448 MHz -- is used by amateur repeaters (with band plans
> varying by locality) and also for Amateur television repeater
> inputs. "These repeater inputs, both for voice and video, are
> at high locations where line-of-sight to [ReconRobotics]
> devices should be expected anywhere in the United States.
> Repeaters in this band are routinely used for emergency
> communications via Amateur Radio for numerous served agencies
> including FEMA, and so at times when the Petioner's device
> may be expected to be used, the repeaters may be expected to
> be in operation in the same areas." As such, the ARRL
> maintained that interference -- both from and to -- the Recon
> Scout device may be expected on a regular basis from Amateur
> Radio operations.
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> "Because [the Recon Scout] operates on a channelized basis,
> each of the three channels being six megahertz wide, the
> necessary bandwidth of the device is apparently close to 6
> MHz," the ARRL argued. "[ReconRobotics] asks that it be
> granted an unspecified series of permanent waivers to allow
> the marketing and sale to, and use of this device by law
> enforcement and fire department personnel for public safety
> applications. The Amateur Service, which has a heavily
> occupied, secondary allocation in the 420-450 MHz
> band...would be potentially substantially impacted by grant
> of these waivers."
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> The ARRL noted that ReconRobotics asked for "unspecified
> permanent waivers of Part 90 rules" in order to market and
> sell its product, but, as the ARRL pointed out, more than the
> Part 90 rules would have to be waived: "Because the three
> channels (430-436 MHz, 436-442 MHz and 442-448 MHz) on which
> the device is proposed to operate.are all within that segment
> [430-450 MHz], what is being requested is not only a waiver
> of Part 90 service rules, but also a waiver of Section 2.106
> of the Commission's Rules, the Table of Allocations. The only
> allocations in the 430-450 MHz band are for Government
> Radiolocation (limited to military radars) and on a secondary
> basis, the Amateur Service. Per Section 90.273 of the
> Commission's rules, frequencies above 429.99375 MHz and below
> 450 MHz are unavailable to stations in the land mobile
> service anywhere in the United States."
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> The ARRL's comments also stated that ReconRobotics "fails to
> establish that the 420-450 MHz band is the only viable choice
> and that no other band would be suitable; an obligation of
> the Petitioner in order to entitle it to a waiver. In
> requesting the waiver, ARRL asserts that ReconRobotics only
> claimed, but did not show, prove or demonstrate, that other
> bands were not suitable for its purposes. In other cases
> before the FCC as recent as 2006, the Commission denied such
> waivers, saying, "We do not believe that the public interest
> requires grant of a waiver merely to accommodate a
> manufacturer's choice of a specific frequency when others are
> available." The ARRL contended that "nothing in the four
> corners of [ReconRobotics'] request indicates anything that
> would verify the factual conclusions offered. The waiver
> request boils down to 'trust us, we have checked into this.'"
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> The ARRL claimed that a permanent waiver of the Commission's
> Rules permitting nationwide marketing and use on a licensed
> basis of land mobile short-range transmitters, benefiting as
> it does only one manufacturer to the exclusion of all others,
> "is an inferior method of conducting spectrum allocations and
> spectrum management" and that ReconRobotics "should be

> required to refile its proposal as a petition to modify the
> Table of Allocations for this purpose. Its petition should be
> vetted in the normal course, and would be properly evaluated
> based on a complete technical compatibility showing, which is
> not included in the present Waiver Request."
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> Upon learning that the FCC had granted the waiver, ARRL Chief
> Executive Officer David Sumner, K1ZZ said that "While we are
> completely sympathetic to the desires of law enforcement and
> firefighting agencies and certain security personnel to have
> a tool like the Recon Scout at their disposal, the fact
> remains that 430-448 MHz is a poor choice of frequency range
> for such a device in the United States. In its Order, the
> Commission does not say otherwise; it simply concludes that
> by imposing an array of conditions and limitations on the use
> of the device by eligible Part 90 licensees, the potential
> for harmful interference to Federal and licensed non-Federal
> users of this band can be, in the Commission's view,
> adequately minimized. The Order falls short of requiring that
> the manufacturer adequately explain these conditions and
> limitations to its potential customers and does not explain
> how the Commission will enforce its requirements. We share
> the concerns expressed by NTIA on behalf of the Federal users
> of the band with regard to development of mass-marketed
> consumer devices that the Commission has no ability to
> control. Everyone's interests would have been better served
> had the manufacturer spent the last two years on engineering,
> redesigning its product for a more suitable frequency range,
> rather than on advocacy to legalize the domestic use of a
> product that was designed for military use abroad."
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> In a February 2010 letter to Julius Knapp, Chief of the FCC's
> Office of Engineering and Technology from Karl Nebbia,
> Associate Administrator of the National Telecommunications
> and Information Administration's (NTIA) Office of Spectrum
> Manager, Nebbia told the FCC that the NTIA has concerns that
> "[i]f mass-marketed low power consumer devices are permitted
> to operate in the 420-450 MHz band, this could adversely
> impact the performance of critical radar systems." The NTIA
> listed several conditions that is said "are necessary to
> preclude the development of mass-marketed consumer devices
> that, over time, could impact the use of the 420-450 MHz band
> by federal systems."
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> The Waiver Is Granted
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> The FCC noted that Section 1.925 of the Commission's Rules
> provides that they may grant a waiver if "it is shown that
> (a) the underlying purpose of the rule(s) would not be served
> or would be frustrated by application to the instant case,

> and grant of the requested waiver would be in the public
> interest; or (b) in light of unique or unusual circumstances,
> application of the rule(s) would be inequitable, unduly
> burdensome, or contrary to the public interest, or the
> applicant has no reasonable alternative." The Commission
> concluded that "ReconRobotics has met the first prong of the
> waiver standard and that the grant of the request is
> warranted, subject to certain conditions."
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> The FCC explained that "one purpose of allocating different
> spectrum bands to different services is to prevent harmful
> interference" and that ReconRobotics asserts that operation
> of the Recon Scout is unlikely to cause interference to the
> other services using the 430-448 MHz band, "because the
> device operates with lower power (1 W peak power, 0.25 W
> average power) than radiolocation systems. With respect to
> amateur operations, ReconRobotics asserts that amateur
> satellite downlinks should not experience interference
> because earth station antennas are angled too high to detect
> a low-power device near ground level; and that terrestrial
> amateur operations are unlikely to experience interference
> due to the Recon Scout's low power and brief, itinerant
> operation, and amateur transmitters' much higher power.
> Moreover, ReconRobotics acknowledges that the Recon Scout
> would operate on a secondary basis to amateur services in the
> band, obligating its users to avoid causing interference."
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> The ARRL, as well as some Amateur Radio operators who
> submitted comments on the waiver request, stated that because
> amateur satellite orbits are not geosynchronous, amateur
> earth station antennas often point toward the horizon to
> receive low-level signals. The FCC, however, agreed with
> ReconRobotics, "that interference to amateur satellite
> communications is unlikely. The Recon Scout will be used
> infrequently and will be limited in number, significantly
> reducing the possibility of interference. In addition, it is
> unlikely that Recon Scout would have a significant effect on
> the ability of even an amateur earth station operating near
> the horizon to receive a low-level satellite signal, given
> the variety of natural and man-made interference sources such
> as terrain, trees, buildings, and other obstacles and ground
> level interferers having a greater effect on reception. We
> conclude, therefore, that grant of a waiver to permit
> equipment authorization and customer licensing of the Recon
> Scout on 436-442 MHz clearly is appropriate, because the
> device is unlikely to cause interference to amateur satellite
> communications in the 435-438 MHz segment."
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> According to the Commission, the remainder of the 436-442 MHz
> segment is used by amateurs for wideband amateur television

> (ATV) operations. The FCC cited the 2002 edition of The ARRL
> Handbook for Radio Amateurs (pages 12.44-12.51), noting "that
> amateur stations transmitting a video signal to a repeater
> station typically use much higher power than the Recon Scout
> and may use high gain, directional antennas. We believe,
> therefore, that the signal of the amateur station can
> reasonably be expected to be much stronger than the signal of
> the Recon Scout at the repeater's receiving antenna, and that
> the stronger signal of the amateur station will capture the
> repeater, thereby minimizing any interference from a Recon
> Scout. Accordingly, we find no basis in the record before us
> to believe that operation of the Recon Scout on 436-442 MHz
> will create interference to ATV operations."
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> The FCC stated that they are "not as clear" if the Recon
> Scout can operate in the 430-436 MHz and 442-448 MHz segments
> "without causing harmful interference." Some Amateur Radio
> operators, in their comments, stated that 1 W is more than
> enough to activate a repeater, which could cause interference
> to an entire system of linked repeaters. In addition, the
> 432-433 MHz segment is used for long-range weak signal
> communications utilizing very sensitive receivers. "We note,
> however, that deployment of the Recon Scout on multiple
> channels is expected to be rare. Therefore, we believe that
> interference to these amateur operations can largely be
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Date: 2010-03-04 04:57:47 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 808 Message: 810

Well if this is it I had guessed on the Price But close I will Get that little Sucker with My 440 HT

http://tinyurl.com/yeyccyk

Who will be the First do get the WARA Award Worked all Robot Award

73 De Don KA9QJG

811. Re: [CQCQCQ] FCC Allows Robotic Device in Amateur Band

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-04 06:14:47 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 808 Message: 811

I agree.

Like all that talk about involving hams with Homeland Security...
I worry about that, too...

========== James -K8JHR ==========

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Date: 2010-03-04 14:17:10 UTC
From: brad
Topic: 804 Message: 812

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Sent: Wednesday, March 03, 2010 15:11
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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-04 15:06:52 UTC
From: Jim Thibeault
Topic: 804 Message: 813

Your're probably right Brad, I brought a cable into the Heil factory and they fixed it on the spot, no charge.

73's

Jim

KF4NBG

www.jimsengraving.com

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814. Wisconsin QSO Party, Sunday, 3/14, 1 - 8 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-05 21:22:32 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 814 Message: 814

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

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www.warac.org/wqp/wqp.htm

815. TS-2000 Power Plug/Cable

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-05 21:58:19 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 815 Message: 815

I have had some problems with My Kenwood TS-2000 , then Our Member Jeff KC9BNY Started having similar Problems With the Radio going off and on and Display , I told Him Well I just moved the Power Connector up and down and in and out and that fixed it So He did that and His Radio worked just setting on the desk for 2 Weeks Then it did it a Again , So He decided Out of Warranty but It just has to go back to Kenwood , So I said NO Try the My Fix again Well No one ever listens to Me they just say ok to make Me feel better lol

Anyway He thought about this and Actually had Me come over to see the Fix as He did it , I Noticed on the TS-2000 Newsgroup Hams around the World was also having Similar problems So I ask Jeff in His very busy schedule If I wrote this up Would He make a U-Tube Video of it and I would post it So as You can See He did and it us a Great Job and will be seen around the World and May help lots of others with their TS-2000

So a BIG Thank You to our Member Jeff KC9BNY A Hams Ham

73 De Don KA9QJG

Below is the Post I made to the TS-2000 Group Please go to U ☐Tube check it out and leave Jeff a Nice Comment

Hello from Don KA9QJG, I Everyone is doing well .

I have been waiting a awhile to post this to see if others were having Similar problems and they are /
Example I would go to Transmit and the TS-2000 Would shut down, I would check the wires going to the 60 Amp astron they were Tight,

Then I would push up and down a little on the Pwr plug on back of the Radio and Everything would work great for a couple weeks then I would start having similar problems , and I would Just move the PWR Plug and it would start working again
Then I have a Ham Friend who was telling Me He was having similar problems like the display going out and the radio shutting down.
So I told him what I had did with the power connector So he did the same thing and the Radio would work great for a couple of weeks then the Same problem So he said that He would just send it back to Kenwood for repair ,

I told Him NO Try the same thing and see if that works, He did and it worked for about a Week.

He started thinking about this and He removed the Power Connector Took a Small Awl and inserted it into the center opening of the males connectors on the radio plug to 'spread' them apart. Next he used the same awl on the female 'split-tube' connector portion on the power cable end to 'close' them more. He did also use a very fine small circular file first on the female ends to 'clean' out the inside contact area but the file was tapered so he just pushed in and out some fine steel wool to clean the contact area. Now mind you he is not a smoker no does he live in a 'dirty' environment and his TS-2000 is in immaculate condition.
With all these things done the contact surfaces were cleaned and much 'tighter' providing

proper power transfer and all his problems disappeared!

I know most have heard if it is not broke don't fix it , but I think this should be done , some of this was found accidently By just Moving the radio or touching the power cord while changing a ant , And think about this example at 100 Watts FM The Radio connector dos get Hot so the metal is expanding Does it always cool off and go back tight .

A Big Think You to Jeff KC9BNY for doing this

73 De Don KA9QJG

Watch this YouTube video!

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q_QQXKbBDaA

816. DX Cluster Analysis

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-06 19:22:18 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 816 Message: 816

Our Member KA9AQZ Bob sent Me this and I thought I would share the info, I did not mess around with it much but I did find some Great info A UTC Clock top left,

You can click on any Band You want and see who is on or Beacons You can click on the Call it will go to QRZ And look it up Plus More

Check it out if You like DX and Finding How the bands are and coming from where You will like this .

73 De Don KA9QJG

This App. does not require an Installation, Open it and use it.
You can select any or all band monitoring, and by clicking
on the station or spotter it will go to QRZ and look up the call.
This will keep you Informed of what is happening in Ham Radio.

http://dxcluster.ham-radio.ch/

817. Missing Ham

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-12 20:05:32 UTC
From: trainsmurf
Topic: 817 Message: 817

MISSING:

Call Sign: WA6UXA, Licensee ID: L01052295

Grant Date: 04/07/2006, Expiration Date: 04/07/2016

Registrant: Gary G Gilley, 14340 Palmea Dr, Moreno Valley, CA 92553

He was supposed to be the area of BAKERSFIELD, CA. He was supposed to return home 6 days ago. His family is very worried. If anyone hears anything please let me know and I will rely any information to the family. Thank you.

Earl Hoppe
KE6CIM

From Ham Radio Help Group

Steven Owen KJ4NFU

818. Change our Clocks Ahead 1 Hour Sunday 14 Mar 2:00 Am

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-14 04:25:05 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 818 Message: 818

FYI

More Daylight and maybe warm weather on the way for Ant work and Fishing

73 De Don

KA9QJG

When we change our clocks

Beginning in 2007, most of the United States begins Daylight Saving Time at 2:00 a.m. on the second Sunday in March and reverts to standard time on the first Sunday in November. In the U.S., each time zone switches at a different time.
Spring forward, Fall back
During DST, clocks are turned forward an hour, effectively moving an hour of daylight from the morning to the evening.

Date change in 2007
On August 8, 2005, President George W. Bush signed the Energy Policy Act of 2005. This Act changed the time change dates for Daylight Saving Time in the U.S. Beginning in 2007, DST will begin on the second Sunday in March and end the first Sunday in November. The Secretary of Energy will report the impact of this change to Congress. Congress retains the right to resume the 2005 Daylight Saving Time schedule once the Department of Energy study is complete.
Spelling and grammar
The official spelling is Daylight Saving Time, not Daylight SavingS Time.

Saving is used here as a verbal adjective (a participle). It modifies time and tells us more about its nature; namely, that it is characterized by the activity of saving daylight. It is a saving daylight kind of time. Because of this, it would be more accurate to refer to DST as daylight-saving time. Similar examples would be a mind-expanding book or a man-eating tiger. Saving is used in the same way as saving a ball game, rather than as a savings account. Nevertheless, many people feel the word savings (with an 's') flows more mellifluously off the tongue. Daylight Savings Time is also in common usage, and can be found in dictionaries.
Adding to the confusion is that the phrase Daylight Saving Time is inaccurate, since no daylight is actually saved. Daylight Shifting Time would be better, but it is not as politically desirable.
When in the morning?

In the U.S., clocks change at 2:00 a.m. local time. In spring, clocks spring forward from 1:59 a.m. to 3:00 a.m.; in fall, clocks fall back

from 1:59 a.m. to 1:00 a.m. In the EU, clocks change at 1:00 a.m. Universal Time. In spring, clocks spring forward from 12:59 a.m. to 2:00 a.m.; in fall, clocks fall back from 1:59 a.m. to 1:00 a.m.
In the U.S., restaurants and bars have various closing policies. In many states, liquor cannot be served after 2:00 a.m. But at 2:00 a.m. in the fall, the time switches back one hour. So, can they serve alcohol for that additional hour in October? The official answer is that the bars do not stop serving liquor at 2:00 a.m., but actually at 1:59 a.m. So, they have already stopped serving when the time changes from Daylight Saving Time into Standard Time. In practice, however, many establishments stay open an extra hour in the fall.
In the U.S., 2:00 a.m. was originally chosen as the changeover time because it was practical and minimized disruption. Most people were at home and this was the time when the fewest trains were running. It is late enough to minimally affect bars and restaurants, and it prevents the day from switching to yesterday, which would be confusing. It is early enough that the entire continental U.S. switches by daybreak, and the changeover occurs before most early shift workers and early churchgoers are affected.
Some U.S. areas

For the U.S. and its territories, Daylight Saving Time is NOT observed in Hawaii, American Samoa, Guam, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands, and Arizona . The Navajo Nation participates in the Daylight Saving Time policy, even in Arizona, due to its large size and location in three states.
A safety reminder
Many fire departments encourage people to change the batteries in their smoke detectors when they change their clocks because Daylight Saving Time provides a convenient reminder. "A working smoke detector more than doubles a person's chances of surviving a home fire," says William McNabb of the Troy Fire Department in Michigan. More than 90 percent of homes in the United States have smoke detectors, but one-third are estimated to have dead or missing batteries.

73 De Don KA9QJG

819. looking for cq chat 3/31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-30 23:51:46 UTC
From: arkch1p
Topic: 819 Message: 819

I was wondering if anyone will be up to chat after 4p EST (which I think is 2100 hours I think UTC time) tomorrow, March 31, 2010.

73 Angie KD8HMS

820. Re: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-30 23:59:45 UTC
From: K.W.
Topic: 819 Message: 820

Angie:

What Frequency? I can try to be around

73
Kim

From: arkch1p <arkch1p@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tue, March 30, 2010 6:51:46 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31

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73 Angie KD8HMS

821. Re: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-03-31 11:00:16 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 819 Message: 821

Kim,
I was thinking 75/80m. I;m not sure how busy it is around 4p. Do you have a frequency you like in the area?

73 KD8HMS Angie

From: K.W. <kd0fei@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tue, March 30, 2010 7:59:45 PM
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31

Angie:

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822. Congratulations James/K8jhr

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-02 15:30:21 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 822 Message: 822

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823. RE: [CQCQCQ] Congratulations James/K8jhr

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-02 15:37:35 UTC
From: Jim
Topic: 822 Message: 823

Congratulations Richards!!!!

Jim

www.jimsengraving.com

Engraved Memories

10th Amendment. The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the states, are reserved to the states respectively, or to the people.

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Friday, April 02, 2010 10:30 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Congratulations James/K8jhr

<http://lh5.ggpht.com/_Foau7yP7uHU/S7T3Vza5YeI/AAAAAAAAKvM/Jb4xc1rJjB4/s576/k8jhroba.jpg>

825. Re: [CQCQCQ] Congratulations James/K8jhr

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-02 19:27:06 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 822 Message: 825

THANKS NORM -- I Printed it and took it with me to the
local ham luncheon today.

Great fun. Hope to check in more often in the next few weeks.

========== James - K8JHR ==========

On 4/2/2010 11:30 AM, Norm wrote:
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RE: Old Buzzard Certificate

826. Re: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-03 14:34:14 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 819 Message: 826

I am wondering if there are hams who believe in the 2ed Amendment and are firearm owners.
Maybe we can start an informal net on one of the bands during the weekend?

If so please email me ;-)

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

Gun Control: The theory that a woman found raped, strangled and dead in an alley is morally superior to a woman explaining to police how her attacker got that fatal bullet wound.

827. Re: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-04 05:36:01 UTC
From: Leslie Elliott
Topic: 819 Message: 827

Just my personal opinion, but I would consider this topic to be one that should not be discussed on Ham Radio. Ham Radio is supposed to refrain from discussions like religion, national or political views, etc. I am sure one can find many exceptions to this, but that doesn't make it right.

KCØPTO Les

--- On Sat, 4/3/10, worksntv@... <worksntv@...> wrote:

From: worksntv@... <worksntv@...>
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Saturday, April 3, 2010, 9:34 AM

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828. RE: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-04 05:49:43 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 819 Message: 828

As the owner of this group Les , I agree with You I do believe in Freedom of speech and no one is Moderated from posting , Topics on what the Group was set up for .

Bob did post it But I hope that if anyone is interested they E-Mail Him direct as He Requested and it dos not start a big thread about it here

And while I “am taking up bandwidth I would like to wish everyone a Their Family a Very Happy Easter

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Leslie Elliott
Sent: Sunday, April 04, 2010 12:36 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31

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829. Re: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-04 05:54:29 UTC
From: Dan
Topic: 819 Message: 829

I have to agree with you Les
Dan KJ6CZO

Leslie Elliott wrote:
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830. Happy Easter Everyone..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-04 17:57:37 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 830 Message: 830

Happy Easter Everyone from Norm kb9ygd [O:)]

[easter34.gif]

831. Re: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-04 18:46:15 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 819 Message: 831

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And while we are at it... I thought it is perfectly legal to discuss politics or even religion on the air, but that it was RECOMMENDED that one refrain from such matters in many cases so as to avoid any misunderstandings, or heated arguments among those of different views, in order to keep things safely civil. But among friends who share an interest in guns, discussing guns should not cause any problems. You can opt out of the net if you don't like guns. (I would as I have no interest in them at all....)

Thus, it would be inappropriate to join a gun talk net and start a big fight over gun control, but it would not be out of place to talk about guns in general discuss what guns you like to shoot and like to own, and what kind of ammo you prefer, etc. It might even be appropriate to have a net all about 2d Amendment rights and be clear about it, and then discuss it in a civil manner, pro and con, as that is not illegal. Of course, I do recognize the danger this could easily spin out of control and become a hot topic with lots of anger, personal invective, searing and cussing, name calling, and all that really fun stuff...

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832. RE: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-04 19:46:49 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 819 Message: 832

Wow Richards that was Very well put , You sure have a way with words Should have been a Lawyer lol

Happy Easter

Don

PS I did Not Know you were Old enough to be a Ol Buzzard , Congratulations on the Award

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
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833. Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy Easter Everyone..

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-04 23:00:59 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 830 Message: 833

NOrm.
Have a Happy Easter also (well everyone here on CQ as well) :)

73 KD8HMS ANgie

From: Norm <mr_norm_1999@yahoo.com>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sun, April 4, 2010 1:57:37 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Happy Easter Everyone..

Happy Easter Everyone from Norm kb9ygd

834. Re: [CQCQCQ] looking for cq chat 3/31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-05 02:36:26 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 819 Message: 834

Thanks.

I would have preferred to be teach something all these years.
I hated the lawyer game.

And at 54... maybe I AM old enough to be an Old Buzzard.
Those guys in the net are particularly friendly and seem to be
REAL hams... they make stuff, obsess over their stations,
use AM, help each other troubleshoot problems, encourage
development and experimentation, and are very polite.

========== JHR ==========

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835. Georgia QSO Party This Coming Weekend

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-06 06:08:24 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 835 Message: 835

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS I do not do contesting Etc. But with things like this going on We can at least get on the Air and give someone a Point or what ever they need , I like doing this because it is Helping a fellow Ham and it gives us a chance to check out Our Antenna , Radios Etc.

Hello all:

This coming weekend will be the annual Ga QSO Party. We invite all hams to participate. There are many plaques, certificates, and special prizes, including QRP certificates. Georgia has the second largest number of counties in the US: 159. Many are small and our mobiles can cover a lot of counties. All information can found on or by links from the GA QSO Party website: http://gqp.contesting.com/index.htm. Links are available for rules, county abbreviations list, logging programs, summary sheet, etc. Note that there is a free GQP logging program provided by W4GKF.

We have commitments for coverage for all 159 counties. No one has yet worked them all in one weekend, but this should be the year! Many fixed stations will be QRV. The SECC club memorial call, W4AN, will be QRV from the NQ4I M/M station on Saturday. Mobiles expected this year include:W5JR (Sunday), KN4Y, N4FD, KC4HW, NE4S, NM2L, N0TW/KA3FZO, W4JO, W4NZ (with addl ops) K0EJ, N5WR, and K4VIG), W4QO, W3DYA, N4XGI, K4BAI (with KU8E), WD4DX, and possibly ND4V. Others will also be welcome.

Many clubs and groups will be operating as well as the big M/M from W4AN at NQ4I.

We hope everyone who has access to a rig next weekend will join in the fun.
James
KB7TBT
www.kb7tbt.com

836. OT Mission Critical Mag Wed Apr 7, 2010 1:42 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-07 18:43:32 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 836 Message: 836

FYI

Nice Communications Mag I get click on the Links on left for info on topics

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://mccmag.com/transmission/ONL.cfm

837. OT Nice Tube Info

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-10 19:42:25 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 837 Message: 837

For some of us the only good radios Glow in the dark and help keep the ham shack warm here is a nice site showing some Tubes being made Click on the TRANSLATOR On the top to cover to English

Enjoy the Tour http://www.ks-hifi.com/artical/shuguang/shuguang.htm

73 De Don

Ka9qjg

838. Re: [CQCQCQ] OT Nice Tube Info

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-10 20:21:45 UTC
From: mark zelesky
Topic: 837 Message: 838

probably all surplus equipment from US companies that got out of the tube game in the '70s.....

--- On Sat, 4/10/10, ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...> wrote:

From: ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] OT Nice Tube Info
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Saturday, April 10, 2010, 2:42 PM

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73 De Don

Ka9qjg

Yahoo! Groups Links

839. on the road

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-11 01:41:00 UTC
From: K W
Topic: 839 Message: 839

Hi all:

I am on the road to N.M. and back in a weeks time. Right
now I am in OKC. We will hit the road again in the morning.
I will be running 2m ssb...hanging out on 144.200, If its slow
I will be on 17M....18.140...so hoping to hear some of you
on the air.

73
Kim

840. 2010 Spring VHF/UHF Spirits

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-12 01:33:10 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 840 Message: 840

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

2010 Spring VHF/UHF Sprints

Hosted by

John Kalenowsky, K9JK

with organizational support from

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It is our pleasure to announce the 2010 Spring VHF/UHF Sprints.

Everyone is encouraged to participate, even if only in a small way. The rules have intentionally remained simple, and the focus of these FIVE events continues to be for single operator, single transmitter entries, both "fixed", "rover" and "Rookie".

A SIGNIFICANT change for 2010 will be the implementation of "Distance Scoring" for all 5 of the Spring Sprint Bands/events. While the details are still being worked out, this seems like a natural idea to try in these events just as the Spring Sprints were a testing ground for the implementation of Grid Square Locators as the Multipliers back in their first year, 1983.

The "Rookie" classification IS continued for 2010, to ENCOURAGE 'first-time' participants, from their own stations OR as "guest-op" at an "experienced" station to introduce newcomers to weak signal vhf/uhf operations which, hopefully, will 'whet' their interest in such and lead to their participation in the future. This is NOT intended to be multi-op, the "Rookie" operator is expected to be the voice behind the mic, hand on the key/keyer, hands on the keyboard, PTT, tuning knobs and rotor controls. When an experienced operator is present for a "Rookie", their role IS to be "Guidance", NOT operating. Clear identification of Rookie entrants is requested by comments in the SOAPBOX: lines for Cabrillo formatted logs or on the Summary Sheet <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/vhfsprintsummary.pdf> for paper logs. The detail should identify who is the "Rookie" and list any "experienced" operator(s) who was(were) present.

Please note that, for 2010, the shortened log submission date windows remain and consider the following change an EVEN STRONGER encouragement for electronic log submissions using the Cabrillo format. While paper logs will continue to be accepted, the policy that anyMAILED logs MUST be RECEIVED by the log deadline for each band that was started in 2009

continues, so those who submit by Mail MUST allow for the post office transit time (probably a week early to be certain, which still allows participants a full week to process logs from a 4 or 7 hour event). There have not been THAT many "paper" logs and generally, they've had smaller numbers of QSOs but I'd really appreciate if "paper" log submitters at least CONSIDER TRYING the "Web-to-Cabrillo" as described in Rule 7.2.2. If you MUST mail your entry, DO NOTE the log submission MAIL address in 7.3.2.

A summary sheet <http://springsprints.googlegroups.com/web/vhfsprintsummary.pdf> which includes your total contacts, multipliers and calculated score WILL BE required with Paper Logs (see sample at: http://springsprints.googlegroups.com/web/vhfsprintsummary.pdf <http://springsprints.googlegroups.com/web/vhfsprintsummary.pdf>). Such summary info is not required for electronic logs but may be included in the SOAPBOX: area of the Cabrillo formatted log if participants so desire. Be sure to include the grid square you operated from in either your log or summary sheet.

SPONSORS?? This is still the 2009 info...I'm slowly getting going for 2010 sponsors and will be contacting past sponsors shortly. Most of the 2008 Sponsors have renewed their sponsorship for 2009 and I've FINALLY (as of May 4th), created/updated the 2009 Sponsorship page which can be viewed by clicking here <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/sponsors-2009> . If interested in becoming a prize sponsor or sponsoring a plaque for the events in 2009 (or in the future), please email me at:springvhfuhfsprints@... <mailto:springvhfuhfsprints@...>

** Log submissions for 2010 (once the events start) may be viewed here <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/> . **

** Awards for 2007 through 2009 may be viewed here <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/> . The complete scores databases for 2007 through 2009 can be viewedhere <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/> .

Wishing you the very best of VHF! 73,

John Kalenowsky, K9JK

1. Object: To work as many amateur stations in as many 2 degree by 1 degree grid squares as possible, using authorized amateur frequencies on the 50, 144, 222, 432, 902 MHz and above bands.

2. Contest Period:

2.1. - 144 MHz

The 144 MHz Sprint will be from 7 PM until 11 PM local time on Monday, April 12, 2010.

2.2. - 222 MHz

The 222 MHz Sprint will be from 7 PM until 11 PM local time on Tuesday, April 20, 2010.

2.3. - 432 MHz

The 432 MHz Sprint will be from 7 PM until 11 PM local time on Wednesday, April 28, 2010.

2.4. - Microwave (902+)

The Microwave Sprt will be on Saturday, May 1, 2010, from 6 AM until 1 PM local time. This includes all Amateur frequencies above 902 MHz. Please include band data in summaries and logs. NOTE: use of Liaison Frequency is encouraged.

2.5. - 50 MHz

The 50 MHz Sprint will be from 2300Z Saturday, May 8, until 0300Z Sunday, May 9, 2010.

3. Exchange: Grid-square locator - PLEASE EXCHANGE and LOG SIX-Character Grid Locators where possible. Correct exchange of FOUR-Character Grid Locator (and call signs) is the minimum requirement for a valid contact but we'd REALLY like to see SIX-Character locators exchanged and recorded in the submitted logs.

What's that, you say you have no clue what your SIX-Character Grid Locator is?

To assist you with that, AFTER reading the instructions that follow, please click here <http://f6fvy.free.fr/qthLocator/fullScreen.php?locator=EM> .

The click above will take you to a Google Map showing the borders of the 20-degree by 10-degree "MAJOR Grid" of "EM" as well as parts around it. IF you know your FOUR-character Grid Locator (also known as "MINOR Grid"), you can enter it in an entry box at the bottom of the page, which may get you closer to where you want to be looking. In any case, you can then navigate as well as Zoom in and out using the controls at the upper left of the screen.

When you click a point on the map, however, the Latitude and Longitude of that point ALONG WITH THE SIX-Character Grid Locator (also known as "sub-grid") for that point will pop up in a text balloon and the border of the SIX-Character Grid Locator will be shown. If there is good aerial photo coverage in your neighborhood, you might even be able to find your house!

This is provided as a service to the Amateur Radio Community by Laurent/Larry Haas, F6FVY, using the Google Maps API. Thanks to Larry and Google! Try it, I think you'll like it!

4. Scoring:

STILL WORKING OUT THE DETAILS.

Scoring will be distance based, 1 point per kilometer, for 2010.

It would certainly make things easier if EVERYONE knew, exchanged and logged SIX-Character locators but it is likely more certain that there will be participants that only know their FOUR-character locator. In such a case, RECORD what the other station actually SENDS as their Grid Locator even if JUST the FOUR characters. DO NOT use "look up" systems in logging programs, such as Ham Radio Deluxe has or can be done with Super Check Partial files...RECORD what the other station sends (it IS okay if what your lookup 'matches' what they sent but be sure to CHANGE it if they send something different).

I am not aware of MANY Logging Programs that have this scoring capability but the KEY item needed is that the program CAN record SIX-character Grid Exchanges and produce a proper CABRILLO formatted log file.

Rovers can be worked again as they enter a different "Grid Square" (Grid-4) but it is hoped that Rovers will have capability to know their SIX Character SUB-grid locator and give that as their report. "Dupes" will be allowed with Rovers (from different sub-grids in the same Grid-4 locator) but only the LONGEST single path length will be counted for a given Grid-4.

5. Reporting: Electronic Logs (Cabrillo format ONLY) must be received via e-mail or paper logs WITH summary sheet <http://springsprints.googlegroups.com/web/vhfsprintsummary.pdf> RECEIVED via Mail no later than following deadlines (roughly two weeks after the close of each event):
5.1. - 144 MHz - April 27, 2010
5.2. - 222 MHz - May 5, 2010
5.3. - 432 MHz - May 13, 2010
5.4. - Microwave (902+) - May 17, 2010
5.5. - 50 MHz - May 25, 2010

6. Awards:
6.1. Certificates/Plaques (if sponsored) will be awarded as follows:
6.1.1. TOP FIVE individual scores for each of the five Sprint "band" events (Single-Op Fixed, Rover and Rookie will be considered for this ranking).
6.1.2. TOP FIVE cumulative Single-Op Fixed scores (adding scores together by callsign used from each of the events, up to 5, for which valid logs are received).
6.1.3. TOP FIVE cumulative Rover scores (adding scores together by callsign used from each of the events, up to 5, for which valid logs are received).
6.1.4. TOP FIVE cumulative Rookie scores (adding scores together by callsign used from each of the events, up to 5, for which valid logs are received).
6.1.5. If a plaque is not sponsored for a particular finish above, a certificate (similar to what other VHF Contest sponsors provide) will be

sent. "Specialty" plaques will also be considered (such as for best finish in a region) if anyone wants to sponsor such (and can provide a clear criteria). Please contact John regarding that. To view what plaques have been sponsored (and criteria) for 2010, click here <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/sponsors-2009>
6.2. Prizes: As they are sponsored, prizes will be awarded based on criteria of the sponsor. As an example, the simplest criteria will be "random drawing from all logs received." To view what prizes have been sponsored (and criteria) for 2010, click here <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/sponsors-2009>

7. Submission of Logs:
7.1. By submitting a log, participants confirm that they have observed all contest rules, as well as all regulations established for amateur radio in their country and that their log submission is true and accurate to the best of their knowledge. Participants further agree to be bound by the decisions of the Spring Sprint host(s), sponsor(s) and scoring team.

7.2. Electronic Logs:
7.2.1. The "Cabrillo" log format is now the standard for the Spring Sprints.
7.2.1.1. Use the following text for the "CONTEST:" line in the header of the Cabrillo Log file:

For 144 MHz, use CONTEST: VHF-SPRINT-144MHZ-SPRING
For 222 MHz, use CONTEST: VHF-SPRINT-222MHZ-SPRING
For 432 MHz, use CONTEST: VHF-SPRINT-432MHZ-SPRING
For "Microwave" (902 MHz & Up), use CONTEST: VHF-SPRINT-MICROWAVE-SPRING
For 50 MHz, use CONTEST: VHF-SPRINT-50MHZ-SPRING

7.2.1.2. Until logging programs with 'official' support for these events become available, the closest format is probably for the June or September ARRL VHF QSO Parties (as long as the logging program knows how to handle SIX-Character Grid Square exchanges). It may be necessary to manually edit the "CONTEST:" line in the file and Claimed Score is pretty much "guaranteed" to be incorrect since scoring is now based on distances as opposed to the "traditional" QSOs time Multipliers but the QSO data should be correct.
7.2.1.3. E-mail logs to: springsprintlogs@... <mailto:springsprintlogs@...> preferably using a "Plain Text" e-mail format, with ONLY "your call" and the "band" in the subject line (WA2FGK 144 -or- K3TUF MICROWAVE for example) and with the log file as an attachment named "<your call>.LOG" (e.g. W9GKA.LOG)

7.2.2. "Web-to-Cabrillo": Bruce Horn, WA7BNM, has graciously agreed to provide 'web forms' to facilitate generation and AUTOMATIC SUBMISSION of Cabrillo-formatted logs for the Spring VHF & Up Sprints at the http://b4h.net/cabforms <http://b4h.net/cabforms> web site that he maintains. You may have to scroll down the homepage a bit to the "Other Contests" area to find the ones for the Spring VHF Sprints and they may

not be there until just before the actual contests. PLEASE consider using these to generate and submit electronically instead of submitting a paper log. MANY THANKS to Bruce!

7.3. Paper logs:
7.3.1. Paper logs must include a Summary sheet <http://springsprints.googlegroups.com/web/vhfsprintsummary.pdf> and the log sheets themselves should include the following information:

Band (in MHz, e.g. 50, 144, 222, 432, 902. For above 902, change to GHz, e.g. 1.2, 2.3, 3.4, etc.)
Mode (e.g. CW, PH, FM, RY)
Date/Time (UTC Date and Time are strongly preferred but "local" are acceptable and it is usually apparent which was used when logs are received)
Callsign SENT (can be listed at the top of a page OR on each line)
Grid Locator SENT (PLEASE give your SIX-character locator when known AND send it as your exchange)
Other Station's Callsign
Other Station's Grid Locator (PLEASE ask for and record SIX-character when the other station provides it BUT, if the other station only reports FOUR-character, record the 4 characters)

7.3.2. "Snail Mail" paper logs to:

2010 Spring Sprints
c/o Chuck Towner, W9KQJ
PO BOX 73
PALATINE, IL 60078-0073

841. 2010 Indiana QSO Party Announcement

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-12 01:34:07 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 841 Message: 841

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

[Indiana QSO Party]

CQ INQP CQ INQP

Sponsored by HDXCCthe Hoosier DX and Contest Club
<http://www.hdxcc.org/index.html>

Rules <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/rules.html>

Counties <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/counties.html>

Activity <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/activity.php>

Software <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/software.html>

Publicity Package
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/INQP/files/Publicity%20Package/>

Logs <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/logs.php>

Scores <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/scores.php>

Records <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/records.php>

Soapbox <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/soapbox.html>

INQP History <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/history.html>

INQP Reflector <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/inqp>

Contact <mailto:inqp@...?subject=Web%20Site%20Contact>

The purpose of the Indiana QSO Party (INQP) is to encourage contact with Indiana amateur radio stations by other Indiana hams and hams worldwide. Stations outside of Indiana work Indiana stations only. Indiana stations work everybody, including other Indiana stations. Good luck, and we'll see you on the air:

1600 UTC Saturday May 1, 2010 to 0400 UTC Sunday May 2, 2010
(Saturday noon to midnight EDT or 11 AM to 11 PM CDT)

You are invited to join the INQP reflector.
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/inqp> Post your questions about the INQP, make suggestions for next year, or just jump in the general discussion with other participants and the organizers.

Win a Plaque

This year we again have a large number of plaques to be awarded to top scorers in many categories:

Top Club Aggregate Score, Indiana (Sponsor Indiana Radio Club Council)
Top Indiana Score, Single op high power (> 100 watts) (Sponsor KJ9C)
Top Indiana Score, Single op low power (â□¤ 100 watts) (Sponsor KJ9C)
Top Score, Portable (single or multi-op) in Indiana (Sponsor needed)
Top Score, Mobile in Indiana (Sponsor needed)
Top Score, Rover in Indiana (Sponsor needed)
Top Score, Multi-op, fixed single transmitter in Indiana (Sponsor needed)
Top Score from Outside Indiana, single op high power (Sponsor WB9CIF)
Top Score from Outside Indiana, single op low power (Sponsor WB9CIF)
Top QRP Score, overall (Sponsor needed)
Top Score from W7 (Sponsor W9TN)
Top Score from New England (sponsor W9TN)

A big thank you to all our sponsors! If you would like to sponsor a plaque, please contactkj9c@...t <mailto:kj9c@...?subject=INQP%20Plaque%20Sponsorship> .

Another Plaque Opportunity

Last year for the first time, we awarded plaques for the top scoring INQP participants from W1 and W7, since the NEQP and 7QP are the same weekend (see below). This year, the 7QP is returning the favor and awarding a plaque for the highest score from Indiana! Thank you, 7QP!

Club Competition

In addition to individual awards, there is an award for the Indiana Amateur Radio Club whose members turn in the highest total aggregate score. Clubs must be legitimate radio clubs, meeting FCC requirements for club licensing. Clubs need not have a club license or be members of the Indiana Radio Club Council to qualify. The sponsor of Indiana QSO Party, currently the Hoosier DX and Contest Club, is not eligible for this award. Please see the rules <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/rules.html> for more details.

Worked All Indiana Award

Speaking of awards, the INQP is a great time to work on your Worked All Indiana Award <http://www.hdxcc.org/wai/index.html> . It only takes 60 confirmed counties to earn the initial certificate. This year we're instituting a new policy whereby your INQP QSOs will count as confirmed QSOs toward your WAI. Just indicate the INQP QSOs on your GCR, and we'll use your submitted log to confirm the QSOs.

It's a Busy Contest Weekend

The New England QSO Party <http://www.neqp.org/> (NEQP) is the same weekend as the INQP. The NEQP stations will be expecting your state in the exchange, not your county. They will send their state and county. So, when you work an NEQP station, add your state to the exchange. When their mobiles change county, they will want to work you again, even though they would be a dupe for you. Go ahead and work them and give them the Q, and maybe they will do the same for our mobiles. These same guidelines should apply to the 7th Call Area QSO Party <http://www.codxc.com/new/Page.asp?content=dryland7s> (7QP) which is also the same weekend. You will encounter MARAC County Hunters <http://www.marac.org/contests.htm> on both SSB and CW, as both of their contests are again happening on the same weekend. The county hunters will be looking for your state and county, and will be giving you their state and county. As with the NEQP and the 7QP, work their mobiles when they change counties, and they might do the same for us.

County QSO Data Available

Tim N9LF has compiled INQP QSO data by band and mode for all 92 Indiana counties, and a report is available on the counties <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/counties.html> page. Tim's data should be very useful for planning your mobile or portable operation.

842. Fireball, Volcanic Sunsets Startle Sky Watchers

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-16 08:20:36 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 842 Message: 842

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Space Weather News for April 15, 2010
http://spaceweather.com <http://spaceweather.com/>

MIDWESTERN FIREBALL: A brilliant fireball streaked across the USA on the evening of April 14th, startling observers in Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri and surrounding states. Experts say it was a small asteroid, about a meter wide, that exploded in mid-air with an energy equivalent to some 20 tons of TNT. National Weather Service radars detected the fireball's debris trail, resulting in maps that could help guide meteorite hunters to fragments on the ground. Pictures and more information may be found on today's edition of http://spaceweather.com. <http://spaceweather.com./>

VOLCANIC SUNSETS: A cloud of ash from Iceland's Eyjafjallajokull volcano is drifting across Europe this week and causing sunsets of surpassing beauty. Europeans are encouraged to look west at the end of the day. Bonus: If you don't live in Europe, look west anyway. Venus, Mercury and the crescent Moon are beaming through the twilight for all to see. Check http://spaceweather.com <http://spaceweather.com/> for pictures and sky maps.

SPACE WEATHER ALERTS: Would you like to turn your phone into a space weather monitoring system? Sign up for Space Weather PHONE: http://spaceweatherphone.com <http://spaceweatherphone.com/>

843. March was Earth□s warmest on record

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-17 21:08:44 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 843 Message: 843

FYI

From Our Member Bob KA9AQZ , Thanks Bob

Interesting I posted the Frost Warning First Yes We just got a Frost warning for N/W Indiana

73 De Don KA9QJG

Although a large chunk of the USA didn't get in on the warmth in March, the rest of the world sure did.

March was the warmest March ever recorded worldwide, theNational Climatic Data Center <http://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/sotc/?report=global> (NCDC) reported Thursday. NCDC records go back to 1880.

Another source, the University of Alabama-Huntsville, also reported that March 2010 was the warmest March since their climate records began in 1979.

According to the climate center, the combined global land and ocean average surface temperature in March was 56.3 degrees, which is 1.39 degrees above the 20th-century average of 54.9 degrees. Additionally, the worldwide ocean surface temperature was the highest for any March on record -- 1.01 degree above the 20th century average of 60.7 degrees.

This was the 34th consecutive March with global land and ocean temperatures above the 20th century average.

The warmth in northern Canada and the Arctic was also noteworthy. Temperatures there soared to as much as 15 degrees above average for the month, the University of Alabama-Huntsville noted. The UAH dataset uses satellite measurements of temperatures from the surface up to about five miles in altitude.

"We have seen similar large anomalies on a month-to-month basis in the Arctic during the cold months (Dec. - March) in the past," noted climatologist John Christy <http://www.nsstc.uah.edu/atmos/christy.html> of the University of Alabama-Huntsville. "This particular case is interesting because it persisted somewhere in the Arctic for four months."

Contributing to the record month was El Nino <http://www.usatoday.com/weather/resources/graphics/2008-09-25-el-nino-l\a-nina-affect-us-weather_N.htm> , a periodic warming of the tropical Pacific Ocean that, combined with changes in winds and air pressure, can affect weather worldwide.

In addition, climate researchers have been reporting rising global temperatures for several years as a result of the Greenhouse Effect, in which rising levels of carbon dioxide and others gases in the atmosphere trap heat instead of allowing it to escape out into space.

According to the Beijing Climate Center, Tibet experienced its second-warmest March since historical records began in 1951. Delhi, India also had its second-warmest March since records began in 1901, according to the India Meteorological Department.

For the year-to-date, the NCDC reports that the January through March period is the world's 4th-warmest on record.

The USA is enduring a very strange year, weatherwise. While Florida is shivering through its chilliest year ever so far, three states in New England (Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont) are enjoying their warmest year ever, according to the climate center.

Contributing: Associated Press

By Doyle Rice

844. Boy w/disability a ham radio op, village wants to take down his tower

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-22 07:13:53 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 844 Message: 844

Boy w/disability a ham radio operator , village wants to take down his tower

I have no comments on this other then there is Probably more to the Story, I hope they come to some type of agreement Wish I had that Nice tower ,

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.todaystm j4.com/news/ local/91663619. html

http://www.cbs58. com/index. php?aid=12006

845. Photo's of the Iceland volcano

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-25 23:42:15 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 845 Message: 845

Got this info from our Member Len N9JKT , I Found it Interesting and Thought I would also share with the Group .

Now one of our more knowledgeable Members Not Me can explain why all the Lighting at the Volcano

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KA9QJG

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You have to see these pictures!

Photo's of the Iceland volcano ----- sure glad we don't have that in our back yard...

http://tinyurl.com/y3u68ye

846. Re: [CQCQCQ] Photo's of the Iceland volcano

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-26 00:05:59 UTC
From: Leslie Elliott
Topic: 845 Message: 846

Maybe this will help Don. (Google is your friend!)
http://tinyurl.com/282gao2

KCØPTO
Les

--- On Sun, 4/25/10, ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...> wrote:

From: ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...>
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Photo's of the Iceland volcano
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Sunday, April 25, 2010, 6:42 PM

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847. RE: [CQCQCQ] Photo's of the Iceland volcano

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-04-26 01:11:51 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 845 Message: 847

Thanks Les , I will Post that on My Other Group too , Like I always say as we get older it is great to learn something new every day it is just remembering it is the problem

PS Goggle is NOT My friend when I accidently type in things the wrong way and my Wife sees that lol

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Leslie Elliott
Sent: Sunday, April 25, 2010 7:06 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Photo's of the Iceland volcano

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http://tinyurl. <http://tinyurl.com/y3u68ye> com/y3u68ye

848. [Cebiksite] New Issue #157 - May 2010

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-05-01 20:49:17 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 848 Message: 848

FYI
And What I find Interesting People have been making antennas for Years
But They still come out with New Informative info all the Time I guess
a Wire is Not Just a wire
Lots of Great FREE info too
73 De Don KA9QJG

To the cebiksite readers:

Folks:

The new issue of antenneX for May 2010 has been published.

If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue #157 is now ready to read at your pleasure!

Whether you are a paid subscriber or not, there are always several new articles and other downloads made freely available in the antenneX Guest Rooms each month.

For more info about this new issue:

http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html
<http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html>

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Another new feature article by LB Cebik is included in addition to the continuation of his Antenna Modeling Column.

More new authors have joined our team this month. They have kicked off with an excellent article entitled "A Primer on Tower Selection."

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<http://www.antennex.com/help/subscribe.htm>

More than 100 products in the Shopping Shack:

http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm
<http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm>

Hope to see you soon!

All the best,

Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

849. Amateur / Mars Crossband Event

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-05-04 04:19:56 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 849 Message: 849

FYI

Have no Idea what this is all about Thought I would Post in case Someone Might be interested

73 De Don KA9QJG

The annual Amateur - MARS Crossband event is this Saturday. Hams will receive on MARS frequencies (generally not too far outside the ham bands), and transmit on the frequency (within the ham bands) specified by the MARS station.

There are also message broadcasts on various digital modes from various stations across the country, with certificates awarded for successful copy.

Callsigns, frequencies, locations, QSL info, etc.
are available at (among various other places):

http://highway54.net/k9ps/crossbandinfo.txt

850. Advanced Digital Infrastructure Techniques using D-STAR High-Speed Data by NY9D

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-05-04 06:42:33 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 850 Message: 850

FYI

For our Members who are into the Digital D-Star of Ham Radio or wishes to learn more Here is some Great info

73 De Don KA9QJG

Advanced Amateur Radio Digital Infrastructure Techniques using D-STAR High-Speed Data

by NY9D

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available at: www.tapr.org/psr/psr111.pdf
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851. QRP

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-05-06 02:46:36 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 851 Message: 851

Well I know we all have worked QRP 5 watts or less , But I did not know there was Band Plan , Glad I found this before I went to one of the Freqs and ran High Power

QRP Is Fun , You have to actually do everything right Low Loss Coax Good ant and Connections and Plenty of patience

73 De Don KA9QJG

Here are the QRP calling frequencies for US:

160 meters - 1.910
80 meters - 3.985
40 meters - 7.285
20 meters-14.285
15 meters - 21.385
10 meters- 28.385 and 28.885
6 meters- 50.885 or the regular 50.125 calling frequency.
2 meter - 144.285

http://www.njqrp.org/data/qrp_freqs.html

852. 50 MHz Spring Sprint, 2300Z Saturday, May 8, until 0300Z Sunday, May 9, 2010.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-05-07 21:55:53 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 852 Message: 852

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

2010 Spring VHF/UHF Sprints

Hosted by

John Kalenowsky, K9JK

with organizational support from

the Central States VHF Society (csvhfs.org <http://csvhfs.org/>)

It is our pleasure to announce the 2010 Spring VHF/UHF Sprints.

Everyone is encouraged to participate, even if only in a small way. The rules have intentionally remained simple, and the focus of these FIVE events continues to be for single operator, single transmitter entries, both "fixed", "rover" and "Rookie".

A SIGNIFICANT change for 2010 will be the implementation of "Distance Scoring" for all 5 of the Spring Sprint Bands/events. While the details are still being worked out, this seems like a natural idea to try in these events just as the Spring Sprints were a testing ground for the implementation of Grid Square Locators as the Multipliers back in their first year, 1983.

The "Rookie" classification IS continued for 2010, to ENCOURAGE 'first-time' participants, from their own stations OR as "guest-op" at an "experienced" station to introduce newcomers to weak signal vhf/uhf operations which, hopefully, will 'whet' their interest in such and lead to their participation in the future. This is NOT intended to be multi-op, the "Rookie" operator is expected to be the voice behind the mic, hand on the key/keyer, hands on the keyboard, PTT, tuning knobs and rotor controls. When an experienced operator is present for a "Rookie", their role IS to be "Guidance", NOT operating. Clear identification of Rookie entrants is requested by comments in the SOAPBOX: lines for Cabrillo formatted logs or on the Summary Sheet <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/vhfsprintsummary.pdf> for paper logs. The detail should identify who is the "Rookie" and list any "experienced" operator(s) who was(were) present.

Please note that, for 2010, the shortened log submission date windows remain and consider the following change an EVEN STRONGER encouragement for electronic log submissions using the Cabrillo format. While paper

logs will continue to be accepted, the policy that anyMAILED logs MUST be RECEIVED by the log deadline for each band that was started in 2009 continues, so those who submit by Mail MUST allow for the post office transit time (probably a week early to be certain, which still allows participants a full week to process logs from a 4 or 7 hour event). There have not been THAT many "paper" logs and generally, they've had smaller numbers of QSOs but I'd really appreciate if "paper" log submitters at least CONSIDER TRYING the "Web-to-Cabrillo" as described in Rule 7.2.2. If you MUST mail your entry, DO NOTE the log submission MAIL address in 7.3.2.

A summary sheet <http://springsprints.googlegroups.com/web/vhfsprintsummary.pdf> which includes your total contacts, multipliers and calculated score WILL BE required with Paper Logs (see sample at: http://springsprints.googlegroups.com/web/vhfsprintsummary.pdf <http://springsprints.googlegroups.com/web/vhfsprintsummary.pdf>). Such summary info is not required for electronic logs but may be included in the SOAPBOX: area of the Cabrillo formatted log if participants so desire. Be sure to include the grid square you operated from in either your log or summary sheet.

SPONSORS?? This is still the 2009 info...I'm slowly getting going for 2010 sponsors and will be contacting past sponsors shortly. Most of the 2008 Sponsors have renewed their sponsorship for 2009 and I've FINALLY (as of May 4th), created/updated the 2009 Sponsorship page which can be viewed by clicking here <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/sponsors-2009> . If interested in becoming a prize sponsor or sponsoring a plaque for the events in 2009 (or in the future), please email me at:springvhfuhfsprints@... <mailto:springvhfuhfsprints@...>

** Log submissions for 2010 (once the events start) may be viewed here <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/> . **

** Awards for 2007 through 2009 may be viewed here <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/> . The complete scores databases for 2007 through 2009 can be viewedhere <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/> .

Wishing you the very best of VHF! 73,

John Kalenowsky, K9JK

1. Object: To work as many amateur stations in as many 2 degree by 1 degree grid squares as possible, using authorized amateur frequencies on the 50, 144, 222, 432, 902 MHz and above bands.

2. Contest Period:

2.1. - 144 MHz

The 144 MHz Sprint will be from 7 PM until 11 PM local time on Monday, April 12, 2010.

2.2. - 222 MHz

The 222 MHz Sprint will be from 7 PM until 11 PM local time on Tuesday, April 20, 2010.

2.3. - 432 MHz

The 432 MHz Sprint will be from 7 PM until 11 PM local time on Wednesday, April 28, 2010.

2.4. - Microwave (902+)

The Microwave Sprt will be on Saturday, May 1, 2010, from 6 AM until 1 PM local time. This includes all Amateur frequencies above 902 MHz. Please include band data in summaries and logs. NOTE: use of Liaison Frequency is encouraged.

2.5. - 50 MHz

The 50 MHz Sprint will be from 2300Z Saturday, May 8, until 0300Z Sunday, May 9, 2010.

3. Exchange: Grid-square locator - PLEASE EXCHANGE and LOG SIX-Character Grid Locators where possible. Correct exchange of FOUR-Character Grid Locator (and call signs) is the minimum requirement for a valid contact but we'd REALLY like to see SIX-Character locators exchanged and recorded in the submitted logs.

What's that, you say you have no clue what your SIX-Character Grid Locator is?

To assist you with that, AFTER reading the instructions that follow, please click here <http://f6fvy.free.fr/qthLocator/fullScreen.php?locator=EM> .

The click above will take you to a Google Map showing the borders of the 20-degree by 10-degree "MAJOR Grid" of "EM" as well as parts around it. IF you know your FOUR-character Grid Locator (also known as "MINOR Grid"), you can enter it in an entry box at the bottom of the page, which may get you closer to where you want to be looking. In any case, you can then navigate as well as Zoom in and out using the controls at the upper left of the screen.

When you click a point on the map, however, the Latitude and Longitude of that point ALONG WITH THE SIX-Character Grid Locator (also known as "sub-grid") for that point will pop up in a text balloon and the border of the SIX-Character Grid Locator will be shown. If there is good aerial photo coverage in your neighborhood, you might even be able to find your house!

This is provided as a service to the Amateur Radio Community by Laurent/Larry Haas, F6FVY, using the Google Maps API. Thanks to Larry

and Google! Try it, I think you'll like it!

4. Scoring:

STILL WORKING OUT THE DETAILS.

Scoring will be distance based, 1 point per kilometer, for 2010.

It would certainly make things easier if EVERYONE knew, exchanged and logged SIX-Character locators but it is likely more certain that there will be participants that only know their FOUR-character locator. In such a case, RECORD what the other station actually SENDS as their Grid Locator even if JUST the FOUR characters. DO NOT use "look up" systems in logging programs, such as Ham Radio Deluxe has or can be done with Super Check Partial files...RECORD what the other station sends (it IS okay if what your lookup 'matches' what they sent but be sure to CHANGE it if they send something different).

I am not aware of MANY Logging Programs that have this scoring capability but the KEY item needed is that the program CAN record SIX-character Grid Exchanges and produce a proper CABRILLO formatted log file.

Rovers can be worked again as they enter a different "Grid Square" (Grid-4) but it is hoped that Rovers will have capability to know their SIX Character SUB-grid locator and give that as their report. "Dupes" will be allowed with Rovers (from different sub-grids in the same Grid-4 locator) but only the LONGEST single path length will be counted for a given Grid-4.

5. Reporting: Electronic Logs (Cabrillo format ONLY) must be received via e-mail or paper logs WITH summary sheet
<http://springsprints.googlegroups.com/web/vhfsprintsummary.pdf>
RECEIVED via Mail no later than following deadlines (roughly two weeks after the close of each event):
5.1. - 144 MHz - April 27, 2010
5.2. - 222 MHz - May 5, 2010
5.3. - 432 MHz - May 13, 2010
5.4. - Microwave (902+) - May 17, 2010
5.5. - 50 MHz - May 25, 2010

6. Awards:
6.1. Certificates/Plaques (if sponsored) will be awarded as follows:
6.1.1. TOP FIVE individual scores for each of the five Sprint "band" events (Single-Op Fixed, Rover and Rookie will be considered for this ranking).
6.1.2. TOP FIVE cumulative Single-Op Fixed scores (adding scores together by callsign used from each of the events, up to 5, for which valid logs are received).
6.1.3. TOP FIVE cumulative Rover scores (adding scores together by callsign used from each of the events, up to 5, for which valid logs are received).

6.1.4. TOP FIVE cumulative Rookie scores (adding scores together by callsign used from each of the events, up to 5, for which valid logs are received).
6.1.5. If a plaque is not sponsored for a particular finish above, a certificate (similar to what other VHF Contest sponsors provide) will be sent. "Specialty" plaques will also be considered (such as for best finish in a region) if anyone wants to sponsor such (and can provide a clear criteria). Please contact John regarding that. To view what plaques have been sponsored (and criteria) for 2010, click here <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/sponsors-2009>
6.2. Prizes: As they are sponsored, prizes will be awarded based on criteria of the sponsor. As an example, the simplest criteria will be "random drawing from all logs received." To view what prizes have been sponsored (and criteria) for 2010, click here <http://groups.google.com/group/springsprints/web/sponsors-2009>

7. Submission of Logs:
7.1. By submitting a log, participants confirm that they have observed all contest rules, as well as all regulations established for amateur radio in their country and that their log submission is true and accurate to the best of their knowledge. Participants further agree to be bound by the decisions of the Spring Sprint host(s), sponsor(s) and scoring team.

7.2. Electronic Logs:
7.2.1. The "Cabrillo" log format is now the standard for the Spring Sprints.
7.2.1.1. Use the following text for the "CONTEST:" line in the header of the Cabrillo Log file:

For 144 MHz, use CONTEST: VHF-SPRINT-144MHZ-SPRING
For 222 MHz, use CONTEST: VHF-SPRINT-222MHZ-SPRING
For 432 MHz, use CONTEST: VHF-SPRINT-432MHZ-SPRING
For "Microwave" (902 MHz & Up), use CONTEST: VHF-SPRINT-MICROWAVE-SPRING
For 50 MHz, use CONTEST: VHF-SPRINT-50MHZ-SPRING

7.2.1.2. Until logging programs with 'official' support for these events become available, the closest format is probably for the June or September ARRL VHF QSO Parties (as long as the logging program knows how to handle SIX-Character Grid Square exchanges). It may be necessary to manually edit the "CONTEST:" line in the file and Claimed Score is pretty much "guaranteed" to be incorrect since scoring is now based on distances as opposed to the "traditional" QSOs time Multipliers but the QSO data should be correct.
7.2.1.3. E-mail logs to: springsprintlogs@... <mailto:springsprintlogs@...> preferably using a "Plain Text" e-mail format, with ONLY "your call" and the "band" in the subject line (WA2FGK 144 -or- K3TUF MICROWAVE for example) and with the log file as an attachment named "<your call>.LOG" (e.g. W9GKA.LOG)

7.2.2. "Web-to-Cabrillo": Bruce Horn, WA7BNM, has graciously agreed to provide 'web forms' to facilitate generation and AUTOMATIC SUBMISSION of Cabrillo-formatted logs for the Spring VHF & Up Sprints at the http://b4h.net/cabforms <http://b4h.net/cabforms> web site that he maintains. You may have to scroll down the homepage a bit to the "Other Contests" area to find the ones for the Spring VHF Sprints and they may not be there until just before the actual contests. PLEASE consider using these to generate and submit electronically instead of submitting a paper log. MANY THANKS to Bruce!

7.3. Paper logs:
7.3.1. Paper logs must include a Summary sheet <http://springsprints.googlegroups.com/web/vhfsprintsummary.pdf> and the log sheets themselves should include the following information:

Band (in MHz, e.g. 50, 144, 222, 432, 902. For above 902, change to GHz, e.g. 1.2, 2.3, 3.4, etc.)
Mode (e.g. CW, PH, FM, RY)
Date/Time (UTC Date and Time are strongly preferred but "local" are acceptable and it is usually apparent which was used when logs are received)
Callsign SENT (can be listed at the top of a page OR on each line)
Grid Locator SENT (PLEASE give your SIX-character locator when known AND send it as your exchange)
Other Station's Callsign
Other Station's Grid Locator (PLEASE ask for and record SIX-character when the other station provides it BUT, if the other station only reports FOUR-character, record the 4 characters)

7.3.2. "Snail Mail" paper logs to:

2010 Spring Sprints
c/o Chuck Towner, W9KQJ
PO BOX 73
PALATINE, IL 60078-0073

Questions ? Email springvhfuhfsprints@...
<mailto:springvhfuhfsprints@...>

853. Amateur Radio Station at the National Hurricane Center

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-05-10 17:36:56 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 853 Message: 853

FYI
73 De Don
KA9QJG

Amateur Radio Station at the National Hurricane Center

WX4NHC Hurricane Season 2010 On-The-Air Station Test

Saturday, May 29th, 2010 from 9AM-5PM EST (1300z-2100z)

NHC Director Bill Read, KB5FYA is planning to attend and make some on-the-air contacts.

The purpose of this annual Station Test is to test all of our radio equipment, computers and antennas using as many modes and frequencies as possible.

This is not a Contest or simulated Hurricane Exercise.

New equipment and software will be tested and we may be trying multiple frequencies and modes at any give time.

Some operator training will also be conducted.

WX4NHC will be On-The-Air on HF, VHF, UHF and 2 & 30 meter APRS.

We plan on testing on the following voice frequencies +/- QRM

3.950 MHz, 7.268MHz, 14.325MHz, 21.325MHz, 28.425MHz.

We will try to stay on 14.325 MHz most of the time and announce when we QSY.

You may be able to find us on HF by using one of the DX Spotting Networks,

Such as the DX Summit Web Site:

http://www.dxsummit <http://www.dxsummit/> .fi/Search. aspx <http://www.dxsummit.fi/Search.aspx <http://www.dxsummit.fi/Search.aspx> >

We will also be on VoIP Hurricane Net 1pm-3pm EDT (1700z-1900z)

(IRLP node 9219 / EchoLink WX-TALK Conference node 7203).

http://www.voipwx. <http://www.voipwx./> net/ <http://www.voipwx.net/ <http://www.voipwx.net/> >

South Florida area VHF & UHF Repeaters will be contacted.

Please report your Call sign, Signal Report, Location and Name.

A brief Weather Report ("Sunny", or "Rain", etc.) would also be appreciated

Non-Hams are invited to submit their actual weather using the On-Line Hurricane Report Form at

http://www.wx4nhc. <http://www.wx4nhc./> org/WX-form1. html <http://www.wx4nhc.org/WX-form1.html <http://www.wx4nhc.org/WX-form1.html> >

We will also monitor APRS and email.

QSL Cards are available via WD4R.
Please send your card with a S.A.S.E.

Please do NOT send QSLs directly to the Hurricane Center address.

Due to security measures, NO VISITORS will be allowed at NHC during this test.

Only WX4NHC Operators on the pre-approved operating schedule will be allowed entry.

For more information, please visit our website

www.wx4nhc.org <http://www.wx4nhc.org/> <http://www.wx4nhc.org/ <http://www.wx4nhc.org/> >

Thank you for your participation in the WX4NHC Hurricane Annual Season Station Test.

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Julio Ripoll Architect WD4R
WX4NHC Amateur Radio Asst. Coordinator
www.wx4nhc.org <http://www.wx4nhc.org/> <http://www.wx4nhc.org/ <http://www.wx4nhc.org/> >

National Hurricane Center
www.nhc.noaa <http://www.nhc.noaa/> . gov <http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/ <http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/> >

854. Band Plans Reminder

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-05-10 17:38:09 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 854 Message: 854

Hope Everyone is doing Well , We have Some New Members who upgraded and lots of Old Timers , Well Sometimes our Memory what We have lost and have left gets faded sometimes,

I do not talk much on HF But I do tune around and listen and I have heard a lot of out of Band QSO , Also a reminder to try and stay at least 3 khz from the band edge and a QSO

And Some like that nice Wide SSB 3 And Higher Sound , and I have to admit Yes it sounds Great but can sometimes get us in trouble if We have a Good Signal and close to someone else .

73 De Don KA9QJG

160 Meters

General, Advanced, Amateur Extra licensees:

1.800-2.000 MHz: CW, Phone, Image, RTTY/Data

80 Meters

Novice and Technician classes:

3.525-3.600 MHz: CW Only
General class:

3.525-3.600 MHz: CW, RTTY/Data
3.800-4.000 MHz: CW, Phone, Image

Advanced class:

3.525-3.600 MHz: CW, RTTY/Data
3.700-4.000 MHz: CW, Phone, Image

Amateur Extra class:

3.500-3.600 MHz: CW, RTTY/Data
3.600-4.000 MHz: CW, Phone, Image

----------Never Heard Hams talk about having Channels well this is it --

60 Meters: Five Specific Channels

The FCC has granted hams secondary access on USB only to five discrete 2.8-kHz-wide channels. Amateurs can not cause inference to and must accept interference from the Primary Government users. The NTIA says that hams planning to operate on 60 meters "must assure that their signal is transmitted on the channel center frequency." This means that

amateurs should set their carrier frequency 1.5 kHz lower than the channel center frequency.

http://www.arrl.org/60-meter-faq <http://www.arrl.org/60-meter-faq>

General, Advanced and Amateur Extra classes:

Channel Center Amateur Tuning Frequency

5332 kHz 5330.5 kHz
5348 kHz 5346.5 kHz
5368 kHz 5366.5 kHz
5373 kHz 5371.5 kHz
5405 kHz (common US/UK) 5403.5 kHz

Amateurs may use USB *only* with a maximum effective radiated power (ERP) of 50 W. Radiated power must not exceed the equivalent of 50 W PEP transmitter output power into an antenna with a gain of 0 dBd. For details, see the 60 Meter FAQ page.

40 Meters
Novice and Technician classes:

7.025-7.125 MHz : CW only
General class:

7.025-7.125 MHz : CW, RTTY/Data
7.175-7.300 MHz:: CW, Phone, Image

Advanced class:

7.025-7.125 MHz : CW, RTTY/Data
7.125-7.300 MHz:: CW, Phone, Image
Amateur Extra class:

7.025-7.125 MHz : CW, RTTY/Data
7.125-7.300 MHz:: CW, Phone, Image

Note:Phone and Image modes are permitted between 7.075 and 7.100 MHz for FCC licensed stations in ITU Regions 1 and 3 and by FCC licensed stations in ITU Region 2 West of 130 degrees West longitude or South of 20 degrees North latitude. See Sections 97.305(c) and 97.307(f)(11). Novice and Technician licensees outside ITU Region 2 may use CW only between 7.025 and 7.075 MHz and between 7.100 and 7.125 MHz. 7.200 to 7.300 MHz is not available outside ITU Region 2. See Section 97.301(e). These exemptions do not apply to stations in the continental US.

30 Meters

Maximum power, 200 watts PEP. Amateurs must avoid interference to the fixed service outside the US.

General, Advanced, Amateur Extra classes:

10.100-10.150 MHz: CW, RTTY/Data

20 Meters

General class:

14.025 -14.150 MHz CW, RTTY/Data
14.225 -14.350 MHz: CW, Phone, Image

Advanced class:

14.025 -14.150 MHz CW, RTTY/Data
14.175 -14.350 MHz: CW, Phone, Image

Amateur Extra class:

14.000 - 14.150 MHz CW, RTTY/Data
14.150 -14.350 MHz: CW, Phone, Image

17 Meters

General, Advanced, Amateur Extra classes:

18.068-18.110 MHz: CW, RTTY/Data
18.110-18.168 MHz: CW, Phone, Image
15 Meters

Novice and Technician classes:

21.025-21.200 MHz: CW Only

General class:

21.025-21.200 MHz: CW, RTTY/Data
21.275-21.450 MHz: CW, Phone, Image

Advanced class:

21.025-21.200 MHz: CW, RTTY/Data
21.225-21.450 MHz: CW, Phone, Image

Amateur Extra class:

21.000-21.200 MHz: CW, RTTY/Data
21.200-21.450 MHz: CW, Phone, Image
12 Meters

General, Advanced, Amateur Extra classes:

24.890-24.930 MHz: CW, RTTY/Data
24.930-24.990 MHz: CW, Phone, Image

10 Meters

Novice and Technician classes:

28.000-28.300 MHz: CW, RTTY/Data--Maximum power 200 watts PEP
28.300-28.500 MHz: CW, Phone--Maximum power 200 watts PEP

General, Advanced, Amateur Extra classes:

28.000-28.300 MHz: CW, RTTY/Data
28.300-29.700 MHz: CW, Phone, Image

6 Meters

All Amateurs except Novices:
50.0-50.1 MHz: CW Only
50.1-54.0 MHz: CW, Phone, Image, MCW, RTTY/Data
2 Meters

All Amateurs except Novices:

144.0-144.1 MHz: CW Only
144.1-148.0 MHz: CW, Phone, Image, MCW, RTTY/Data

1.25 Meters

The FCC has allocated 219-220 MHz to amateur use on a secondary basis. This allocation is only for fixed digital message forwarding systems operated by all licensees except Novices. Amateur operations must not cause interference to, and must accept interference from, primary services in this and adjacent bands. Amateur stations are limited to 50 W PEP output and 100 kHz bandwidth. Automated Maritime

Telecommunications Systems (AMTS) stations are the primary occupants in this band. Amateur stations within 398 miles of an AMTS station must notify the station in writing at least 30 days prior to beginning operations. Amateur stations within 50 miles of an AMTS station must get permission in writing from the AMTS station before beginning operations. ARRL Headquarters maintains a database of AMTS stations. The FCC requires that amateur operators provide written notification including the station's geographic location to the ARRL for inclusion in a database at least 30 days before beginning operations. See Section 97.303(e) of the FCC Rules.

Novice (Novices are limited to 25 watts PEP output), Technician, General, Advanced, Amateur Extra classes:

222.00-225.00 MHz: CW, Phone, Image, MCW, RTTY/Data

70 Centimeters

All Amateurs except Novices:
420.0-450.0 MHz: CW, Phone, Image, MCW, RTTY/Data
33 Centimeters

All Amateurs except Novices:

902.0-928.0 MHz: CW, Phone, Image, MCW, RTTY/Data
23 Centimeters

Novice class:
1270-1295 MHz: CW, phone, Image, MCW, RTTY/Data (maximum power, 5 watts PEP)

All Amateurs except Novices:

1240-1300 MHz: CW, Phone, Image, MCW, RTTY/Data

Higher Frequencies:

All modes and licensees (except Novices) are authorized on the following bands [FCC Rules, Part 97.301(a)]:

2300-2310 MHz
2390-2450 MHz
3300-3500 MHz
5650-5925 MHz
10.0-10.5 GHz
24.0-24.25 GHz
47.0-47.2 GHz
76.0-81.9 GHz*
119.98-120.02 GHz
142-149 GHz
241-250 GHz
All above 300 GHz

* Amateur operation at 76-77 GHz has been suspended till the FCC can determine that interference will not be caused to vehicle radar systems

855. D-STAR Reflector 1C Internet Feed

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-05-20 05:20:28 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 855 Message: 855

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://forums.qrz.com/showthread.php?t=249029
<http://forums.qrz.com/showthread.php?t=249029>

Listen to DSTAR via the internet

Everyone is welcome to listen to DSTAR without purchasing any equipment. A DSTAR feed is now available via the radioreference.com website. This feed is usually connected to Reflector 1c which is generally the busiest feed.

The direct link is:
http://www.radioreference.com/apps/audio/?feedId=1647
<http://www.radioreference.com/apps/audio/?feedId=1647>

Scroll to the bottom of the page & look for the DSTAR link. Click on the "speaker" icon to start listening.

You can also listen to any of these feeds via your iphone or blackberry as long as you have the unlimited data plan.

856. Holiday Greetings and Thanks

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-05-30 21:27:32 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 856 Message: 856

I want to thank all you VETERANS on the list for whatever service you have given our Country, especially those who stuck your necks out in the armed forces in order that we have a free, open, and viable place to discuss ANYTHING at all (...well... it SHOULD be on topic, but the fact we are free to speak on any matter at all is what is so important to us.) My ancestors fought the Revolutionary War and helped write the Constitution, and I hope it lasts again as long as it has already, supported in large part by those who have stood up to fight for it.

Happy trails and have a save and pleasant Memorial Day.

========== James -K8JHR ==========

857. RE: [CQCQCQ] Holiday Greetings and Thanks

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-05-30 21:35:52 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 856 Message: 857

That was Nice and I agree with all of it

Don KA9QJG USN-63-69 Bay of Pigs Cuba

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Sunday, May 30, 2010 4:28 PM
To: undisclosed-recipients:
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Holiday Greetings and Thanks

I want to thank all you VETERANS on the list for whatever service you have given our Country, especially those who stuck your necks out in the armed forces in order that we have a free, open, and viable place to discuss ANYTHING at all (...well... it SHOULD be on topic, but the fact we are free to speak on any matter at all is what is so important to us.) My ancestors fought the Revolutionary War and helped write the Constitution, and I hope it lasts again as long as it has already, supported in large part by those who have stood up to fight for it.

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========== James -K8JHR ==========

858. RE: [CQCQCQ] Holiday Greetings and Thanks

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-05-31 01:20:43 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 856 Message: 858

James, may thanks for remembering this fact. Freedom truly is not free. This was brought up this afternoon during one of the speeches at my granddaughters high school graduation. Good reminder for the graduates I think.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
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Mountrail Co (ND) ARES EC
<http://mcares.synthasite.com/> http://mcares.synthasite.com/
"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Sunday, May 30, 2010 4:28 PM
To: undisclosed-recipients:
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Holiday Greetings and Thanks

I want to thank all you VETERANS on the list for whatever service you have given our Country, especially those who stuck your necks out in the armed forces in order that we have a free, open, and viable place to discuss ANYTHING at all (...well... it SHOULD be on topic, but the fact we are free to speak on any matter at all is what is so important to us.) My ancestors fought the Revolutionary War and helped write the Constitution, and I hope it lasts again as long as it has already, supported in large part by those who have stood up to fight for it.

Happy trails and have a save and pleasant Memorial Day.

========== James -K8JHR ==========

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859. Re: Holiday Greetings and Thanks

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-05-31 15:09:08 UTC
From: Jeff
Topic: 856 Message: 859

I think that sometimes a lot of people forget what this holiday is truly about so it's good to see someone comment about it.This is always a very solemn holiday for me as a veteran but I do try to enjoy it.I always try to remember the people who gave all so that we can enjoy the freedoms we still have ! 73 Jeff KJ4NOO

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860. The new issue of antenneX for June 2010 has been published.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-06-02 06:12:35 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 860 Message: 860

FYI
Lots of Good Antenna info for Free too
73 De Don KA9QJG

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Hope to see you soon!

All the best,

Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

861. ARRL June VHF QSO Party, June 12 - 14

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-06-04 18:38:10 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 861 Message: 861

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

ARRL June VHF QSO Party, June 12 - 14

http://www.arrl.org/june-vhf-qso-party
<http://www.arrl.org/june-vhf-qso-party>

ARRL June VHF QSO Party Rules

1.Object: To work as many amateur stations in as many different 2 degrees by 1 degree grid squares as possible using authorized frequencies above 50 MHz. Foreign stations work W/VE amateurs only.

2. Date and Contest Period: The second full weekend in June. Begins 1800 UTC Saturday, ends 0300 UTC Monday (June 12-14, 2010).

3. Entry Categories:

3.1 Single Operator.

3.1.1. Low Power

3.1.2. High Power

3.2 Single Operator Portable.

3.3 Rover. A rover is comprised of no more than two operators that moves among two or more grid squares during the course of a contest. An operator may perform any or all rover functions, but a driver's function shall be limited to driving the vehicle. Drivers may be switched out during the event. Any number of observers is also allowed, however observers may not perform any rover function at any time. Rover vehicles with only one occupant are allowed to perform all functions listed above.

3.3.1. A rover vehicle may transport only one station using a single call sign. An exception is provided for in "General Rules for All ARRL Contests" number 3.5 (Family Rule).

3.3.2. A rover may not operate with more than one call sign.

3.3.3. Rover vehicles must transport all the equipment, power supplies, and antennas used at each operating site.

3.3.4. Rovers MUST sign "rover" on Phone and /R on CW and digital modes after their call sign.

3.3.5. All Rovers are encouraged to adopt operating practices that allow as many stations as possible to contact them.

3.3.6. Rover operators may submit separate logs for single operator (fixed station) in addition to their rover entries. Rovers submitting a score for inclusion in a club competition must also include a secondary summary sheet indicating the portion of the score that counts for the club score if any of the QSOs submitted take place outside of their club's territory.

3.3.7. Rovers are permitted to use APRS. Rovers using APRS transmit only their call sign and position. Any multi-op station may access rover APRS data directly or via the Internet.

3.3.8. A rover may not make more than 100 QSOs with any other one rover.

3.4. Limited Rover. Same as the "Rover" class above, but operation is permitted only on the 6 Meter, 2 Meter, 220 MHz and 432 MHz bands. Output power limits shall be the same as those defined for the Single Operator Low Power category.

3.5 Unlimited Rover. Same as "Rover" class above, but Unlimited Rovers may use more than two operators and are exempt from rules 3.3.3 and 3.3.8.

3.5.1. Unlimited Rover scores may NOT be applied to a club score for Club Competition.

3.6. Multioperator:

3.6.1. Multioperator (Unlimited): Stations submit logs with more than four bands used.

3.6.2.Limited Multioperator: Stations submit logs with a maximum of four bands used. (Logs from additional bands used, if any, should be included as checklogs.)

4. Exchange: Grid-square locator (see April 1994 QST, p 86).

4.1. Exchange of signal report is optional.

5. Scoring:

5.1. QSO points:

5.1.1. Count one point for each complete 50- or 144-MHz QSO.

5.1.2. Count two points for each 222- or 432-MHz QSO.

5.1.3. Count three points for each 902- or 1296-MHz QSO.

5.1.4. Count four points for each 2.3 GHz (or higher) QSO.

5.2. Multiplier: The total number of different grid squares worked per band. Each 2 degrees by 1 degree grid square counts as one multiplier on each band it is worked.

5.3. Final score: Multiply the total number of QSO points from all bands operated by the total number of multipliers for final score.

5.4. Rovers only: The final score consists of the total number of QSO points from all bands times the sum of unique multipliers (grid squares) worked per band (regardless of which grid square they were made in) plus one additional multiplier for every grid square from which they successfully completed a contact.

5.4.1. Rovers are listed in the contest score listings under the Division from which the most QSOs were made.

6. Reporting:

6.1. Entries may be submitted as follows:

6.1.1. Electronic submissions in the Cabrillo format may be emailed to JuneVHF@arrl.org <mailto:JuneVHF@...>

6.1.2. Hand written paper logs or diskettes mailed to June VHF, ARRL, 225 Main St, Newington, CT 06111.

6.1.3. Web entries submitted via the web-based applet at:http://www.b4h.net/cabforms/ <http://www.b4h.net/cabforms/>

6.2. Entries that have been electronically generated must submit their log file in the Cabrillo file format. Paper print outs of electronic files are not acceptable substitutes.

6.3. Entries must be emailed or postmarked no later than 0300 UTC Wednesday, July 14, 2010. Late logs may be designated as checklogs only.

7. Miscellaneous:

7.1. Stations may be worked for credit only once per band from any given grid square, regardless of mode. This does not prohibit working a station from more than one grid square with the same call sign (such as a Rover).

7.2. Only one signal per band (6, 2, 11/4, etc) at any given time is permitted, regardless of mode.

7.3. Multi-operator stations may not include QSOs with their own operators except on frequencies higher than 2.3 GHz. Even then, a complete, different station (transmitter, receiver and antenna) must exist for each QSO made under these conditions.

7.4. Forms may be obtained by:

7.4.1. Downloading the form here <http://www.arrl.org/paper-log-entry-forms> .

7.4.2. Sending an SASE with 2 units of postage to June VHF Form Request, ARRL, 225 Main St, Newington, CT 06111.

8. Awards: Certificates will be awarded in the following categories:

8.1. Single Operator.

8.1.1. Top Single Operator Low and High power entry in each ARRL/RAC Section.

8.1.2. Top Single Operator Low and High power on each band (50, 144, 222, 432, 902, 1296 and 2304-and-up categories) in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Note: Since the highest score per band will be the award winner for that band, an entrant may win a certificate with additional single-band endorsements.) For example, if W1INF has the highest Single-Operator all-band score in the CT Section and his 50- and 222-MHz scores are higher than any other CT single operator's, he will earn a certificate for being the single-operator Section leader and endorsements for 50 and 222 MHz.

8.2. Top Single-Operator Portable in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Single-operator Portable entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

8.3. Top Rover, Limited Rover and Unlimited Rover in each ARRL Division and Canada where significant effort or competition is evident. (Rover entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

8.4. Top Multioperator score in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

8.5. Top Limited Multioperator in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Limited multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

8.6. Plaques, if sponsored, will be awarded in the following categories:

8.6.1. Top Overall Single Operator (both High and Low Power) scorers.

8.6.2. Top Overall Single Operator Portable scorer.

8.6.3. Top Overall Rover, Limited Rover and Unlimited Rover scorers.

8.6.4. Top Overall Multi-Operator scorer.

8.6.5. Top Overall Limited Multi-Operator scorer.

8.6.6. The leading scorer in each entry category for each ARRL Division, Canada, Mexico, and DX (non-W/VE/XE) station.

9. Other:

9.1. See "General Rules for All ARRL Contests <http://www.arrl.org/general-rules-for-all-arrl-contests> " and "General Rules for ARRL Contests on bands above 50 MHz (VHF) <http://www.arrl.org/general-rules-for-arrl-contests-on-bands-above-50-m\hz> "

862. To Don/Group Ka9qjg from Norm Kb9ygd 6-14-10

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-06-14 20:33:47 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 862 Message: 862

Yeah Don i worked a small portion of the june vhf contest and we were lucky 6m opened just for the contest.I did all 44 q`s on 6m except for one cw on 2m to K9ea in fort wayne on 144.998 mhz and i did surprizingly well concidering i was using a 4 foot ringo at 20 feet and only 100w.

Here is what i did below.

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ARRL-SECTION: IN
CONTEST: ARRL-VHF-JUN
CALLSIGN: KB9YGD [:))]
CATEGORY: SINGLE-OP ALL LOW
CLAIMED-SCORE: 1320
OPERATORS: KB9YGD
CLUB: n/a
NAME: Norman P.Triantafilos
ADDRESS: 2634 Warren Street
ADDRESS: Lake Station,In.46405
ADDRESS: (e-mail) kb9ygd(at)verizon.net <mailto:kb9ygd@...>
SOAPBOX: tnx fb june qso party agn 2010 de kb9ygd

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EM06
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Norm [B-)]

863. Where Does Lightning Strike Twice

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-06-22 21:07:36 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 863 Message: 863

Hope Everyone is doing well , We have been having a lot of Storms in My area N/W Indiana

Be Safe

73 De Don KA9QJG

Where Does Lightning Strike Twice? Scientists Know

By Emile Lorditch

Published June 22, 2010

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Vaisala Inc.

When lightning strokes, the results can be fatal. This map displays the number of lightning-related deaths by state from 2000-2009.

Lightning is one of Mother Nature's double-edged swords; it is beautiful to watch as it lights up the sky, but it is dangerous when it hits the ground at a scorching 50,000 degrees F and brings with it a jolt of 100 million electric volts.

Lightning comes in various types, but the most hazardous strikes are from cloud-to-ground lightning, according to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. The U.S. National Lightning Detection Network <http://gcmd.nasa.gov/records/GCMD_NLDN.html> , owned and operated by Vaisala Inc. and based in Helsinki, Finland, monitors cloud-to-ground lightning activity across the U.S. Vaisala has just released their latest data on lightning strikes from 1996-2008 and lightning deaths from 1999-2008.

There are states that seem to attract lightning such as Florida, which averages the most flashes per year with 1.4 million and states that seem to repel lightning like Rhode Island, which averages just over 2,000 flashes in a year.

Comparing the lightning strike data to lightning fatality data, it would make sense that states with the highest number of lightning strikes would also be the states with the highest number of lightning deaths.

"No, it doesn't work that way," said Ron Holle, a meteorologist for Vaisala. "For example, Florida had the highest number of lightning fatalities, with 70, and was also ranked number one with the highest number of measured cloud-to-ground flashes, but the state with the second highest number of deaths from lightning strikes is Colorado, with 28, but it ranks much lower on the list of lightning strikes at 31 with just over 500,000 flashes per year."

While none of the 50 states or the District of Columbia have been free from lightning strikes, over the last nine years Alaska, Delaware, Hawaii, New Hampshire, North Dakota, Oregon and the District of Columbia have not had a single death caused by lightning.

So which state has the least lightning and the least deaths?

"Oregon, any town along the Oregon coastline," said Martin A. Uman, an electrical engineer at the University of Florida in Gainesville, and co-director of the Lightning Research Group and the International Center for Lightning Research and Testing.

Even in the states with no lightning deaths, the fact that every state has lightning strikes puts the public at risk. This week, June 20-26, is National Lightning Safety Awareness Week sponsored by NOAA. According to NOAA, five people have died from U.S. lightning strikes so far this year.

"Lightning safety is an individual responsibility and you are the only one who can keep yourself from being injured," said Mary Ann Cooper, a retired professor in the Department of Emergency Medicine and Bioengineering at the University of Illinois at Chicago, who is also an expert in how lightning affects the body. "The vast majority of the people who were killed [by lightning strikes] last year were within fifty feet of a safe location such as their own home, but chose to stay outside a little longer."

Her advice? "Almost all lightning injuries can be avoided by following 'when thunder roars, go indoors,'" said Cooper.

864. Re: [CQCQCQ] Where Does Lightning Strike Twice

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-06-23 03:16:39 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 863 Message: 864

Thanks, Don. Hope you fare well !

We had tornadoes and funnel clouds late into the night - no touch downs, but tornadoes that almost hit ground. As close as you can come without damage.

Happy trails and stay safe !

========== James - K8JHR ==========

On 6/22/2010 5:07 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:
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> area N/W Indiana
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865. 1 Ton 5 MB Hard Disk Drive

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-06-28 07:41:06 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 865 Message: 865

----------Yes I know it is Off Topic But I wanted to Share it
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Hope Everyone is doing Well , I took some Pictures at the Hosp of My New Grandson Number 14 I think , I was using My Cell takes Vids to . So I was going to burn this to a DVD For My Daughter but I did not have a cable from the Cell to the Computer , So for $ 12.00 I picked up a 2 GB Micro Mem card , about the size of My Fingernail , It came with a little plastic adapter to go into the laptop worked Great .

[SanDisk Ultra II Flash memory card - 32 GB SDHC Memory Card - 1 x SDHC Memory Card]

This is just a Example it is 32-GB

Now I got the Below info from our Member Bob KA9AQZ , A 5 MB Ton Hardrive

It is Really Hard to Belive They did not say the Cost But I had a Friend Give Me a Old IBM 286 6 Mhz Computer His Co paid

$ 6000 For

73 De Don KA9QJG

It's a hard disk drive back in 1956... With 5 MB of storage.
In September 1956 IBM launched the 305 RAMAC, the first 'SUPER' computerwith a hard disk drive (HDD). The HDD weighed over a ton and stored a 'whopping' 5 MB of data.
Do you appreciate your 8 GB memory stick a little more now?

http://www.snopes.com/photos/technology/storage.asp
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All the best,
Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

Hope Everyone has a Safe and Happy Holiday Weekend

73 De Don
KA9QJG

867. OT Amateur Radio Operators understand Russian spy techniques

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-07-04 20:45:38 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 867 Message: 867

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Some people have wondered how they could get away with sending radio messages, but not the millions of amateur radio operators who are in constant communication around the world. Jeff Wandling of Fall City is on of them.

"You know, a thousand bucks could get you what you need to set up a clandestine station," explained Wandling from his small radio shack near his home.

Wandling says it would be easy for spies on the West Coast of the U.S. to use low power shortwave radio equipment to send messages through the airwaves over the North Pole to Russia.

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868. Geocaching

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-07-05 02:19:33 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 868 Message: 868

I was Fishing one Night last Week around 11 pm from the bank of the Oxbow lake

http://www.hammondindiana.com/carlson-oxbow.htm <http://www.hammondindiana.com/carlson-oxbow.htm>

All of a sudden I got startled by a 50 yr old lady behind Me , I ask Her what She was doing and She said Geocaching

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Geocaching <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Geocaching>

http://www.geocaching.com/ <http://www.geocaching.com/> Put Your Zip in the Search You will be surprised

http://www.groundspeak.com/ <http://www.groundspeak.com/>

And back to the Story I ask if I could watch and Have her show Me , She said yes according to Her GPS It was located directly behind Me bay the base of the little bridge , She then looked in the corner and pulled out a little plastic container with a Notepad and a few Misl Items ,

She took out a key chain and put a Coin in and wrote something on the Notepad, She said she was visiting from Canada and had been doing this for 2 Yrs.

I have not tried it Yet Just thought I would post in case someone else might be interested in doing it .

73 Happy Hunting

Don KA9QJG

PS I have a Garman Nuvi 760 But I have not put in a Lat and Lon to see how accurate it is maybe 20-50 Ft ??

869. Re: [CQCQCQ] OT Amateur Radio Operators understand Russian spy techniques

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-07-05 03:27:37 UTC
From: Mark Zelesky
Topic: 867 Message: 869

I said that 10 years ago when they did away with code.nobody knows it any more so it is secret so to speak

Sent from my Commodore vic20

On Jul 4, 2010, at 3:45 PM, "ka9qjg1" <KA9QJG@...> wrote:

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870. Re: [CQCQCQ] Geocaching

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-07-05 03:30:58 UTC
From: Mark Zelesky
Topic: 868 Message: 870

I have been geocaching since 2004. It is a great hobby for the whole family.

Sent from my Commodore vic20

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http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Geocaching

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http://www.groundspeak.com/

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73 Happy Hunting

Don KA9QJG

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871. RE: [CQCQCQ] Geocaching

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-07-05 06:42:59 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 868 Message: 871

Sorry I forgot to add a Little Informative Link when I posted this and of course on that site You will find many more

Enjoy http://tinyurl.com/2ccuprg

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872. Central States VHF Society Conference, July 22 - 25, St. Louis, MO

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-07-11 18:37:16 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 872 Message: 872

FYI
73 De Don
KA9QJG

Hello to all Radio Amateurs;
I just want to extend an invitation to you to come to St Louis, MO for the 44rd annual Central States VHF society's annual conference. If you have any interest in the VHF and UHF weak signal activities, this gathering is for you. This year the conference is being held at the Doubletree Hotel St Louis at Westport, near I-270 and MO 364, on the dates of July 22 through the 25th.
The conference starts with registration on Thursday (7/22) evening, with a social gathering, and registration extends through Friday, July 23, with antenna measuring, preamp measuring and talks/seminars also scheduled throughout the day. On Saturday, the seminars continue, and a banquet and prize drawing are featured that night. Other features include a dealer display, of VHF/UHF goodies, flea market, family program with tours of many attractions in and around St Louis, rover and antenna displays, and lots of socializing with familiar voices, which allows you to meet many of those with whom you have been QSOing with.
Much more detailed information on the 44th conference can be found at the website; http://www.csvhfs.org, including links to the hotel for those who plan to stay the duration, and a link to an online registration page for conference registration. Many in the St Louis area may opt just to attend for the day on Saturday, but come and join us for the entire weekend if you can.
For more information, you can contact me here, at the address in the header, or please send an email to Ron Ochu, KO0Z, the conference host. He can be reached at ko0Z{at}arrl.net
Thanks for considering, hope to see you in St Louis!
Ken Boston W9GAPromotions; Central States VHF society

The 44th Annual Central States VHF Society Conference will be in St. Louis, MO this year July 22nd thru 24th. You can get all the details of the Conference and Register at the following Link.
http://www.csvhfs.org/conference/index.html 73 John WB9PNU Vice President CSVHF Society

873. ARRL August UHF Contest, August 7 - 8

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-07-30 19:28:37 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 873 Message: 873

FYI
For all You big Contesters out Here Good Luck
73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.arrl.org/august-uhf <http://www.arrl.org/august-uhf>

ARRL August UHF Contest, August 7 - 8

· Contest Objective- <http://www.arrl.org/august-uhf>

To work as many amateur stations in as many 2 degrees by 1 degrees grid squares as possible using authorized amateur frequencies above 222 MHz and all authorized modes of emission.

· Dates+ <http://www.arrl.org/august-uhf>

· Bands+ <http://www.arrl.org/august-uhf>

· Log Submission Deadline+ <http://www.arrl.org/august-uhf>

· Contact Information+ <http://www.arrl.org/august-uhf>

· Awards+ <http://www.arrl.org/august-uhf>

· Paper Entry Forms+ <http://www.arrl.org/august-uhf>

· Log Sheet+ <http://www.arrl.org/august-uhf>

· Power Limits by Category+ <http://www.arrl.org/august-uhf>
Full Contest Details
1. Object: To work as many amateur stations in as many 2 degrees by 1 degrees grid squares as possible using authorized amateur frequencies above 222 MHz and all authorized modes of emission.

2. Date and Contest Period: First full weekend of August. Begins 1800 UTC Saturday, ends 1800 UTC Sunday (August 7-8, 2010). Entrants may use as much of this time as they wish.

3. Entry Categories:

3.1 Single Operator ☐ Low Power

3.2 Single Operator ☐ High Power

3.3. Rover: A rover is comprised of no more than two operators that moves among two or more grid squares during the course of a contest. An operator may perform any or all rover functions, but a driver's function shall be limited to driving the vehicle. Drivers may be switched out during the event. Any number of observers is also allowed, however

observers may not perform any rover function at any time. Rover vehicles with only one occupant are allowed to perform all functions listed above.

3.3.1.A rover vehicle may transport only one station using a single call sign. An exception is provided for in "General Rules for All ARRL Contests" number 3.5 (Family Rule).

3.3.2. A rover may not operate with more than one call sign.

3.3.3. Rover vehicles must transport all the equipment, power supplies, and antennas used at each operating site.

3.3.4. Rovers MUST sign "rover" on Phone and /R on CW and digital modes after their call sign.

3.3.5. All Rovers are encouraged to adopt operating practices that allow as many stations as possible to contact them.

3.3.6. Rover operators may submit separate logs for single operator (fixed station) in addition to their rover entries. Rovers submitting a score for inclusion in a club competition must also include a secondary summary sheet indicating the portion of the score that counts for the club score if any of the QSOs submitted take place outside of their club's territory.

3.3.7. Rovers are permitted to use APRS. Rovers using APRS transmit only their call sign and position. Any multi-op station may access rover APRS data directly or via the Internet.

3.3.8. A rover may not make more than 100 QSOs with any other one rover.

3.4. Limited Rover. Limited Rover. Same as the "Rover" class above, but operation is permitted only on the 222 MHz, 432 MHz, 903 MHz and 1296 MHz bands. Output power limits shall be the same as those defined for the Single Operator Low Power category.

3.5. Unlimited Rover. Same as "Rover" class above, but Unlimited Rovers may use more than two operators and are exempt from rules 3.3.3 and 3.3.8.

3.6. Multioperator.

4. Exchange: Grid-square locator <http://www.arrl.org/about-grid-squares> (or see April 1994 QST, page 86).

4.1 Exchange of signal report is optional.

5. Scoring:

5.1 QSO points:

5.1.1 Count three points for each complete 222- or 432-MHz QSO.

5.1.2 Count six points for each complete 902- or 1296-MHz QSO.

5.1.3 Count 12 points for each 2.3-GHz (or higher) QSO.

5.2 Multiplier: The total number of different grid squares worked per band. Each 2 degree by 1 degree grid square counts as one multiplier on each band it is worked.

5.3 Final score: Multiply the total number of QSO points from all bands operated by the total number of multipliers for final score. Example: W1AW works W3CCX in FN20 on 222, 432 and 1296 MHz. This gives W1AW 12 QSO points (3 + 3 + 6) and also three grid-square multipliers. Final score is 12 QSO points X 3 multipliers, or 36.

5.4 Rovers only: The final score consists of the total number of QSO points from all bands times the sum of unique multipliers (grid squares) worked per band (regardless of which grid square they were made in) plus one additional multiplier for every grid square activated (made a contact from).

5.4.1 Rovers are listed in the contest score listings under the Division from which the most QSOs were made.

6. Miscellaneous:

6.1 Partial QSOs do not count. Both callsigns, full exchanges and acknowledgment must be sent and received.

6.2 A transmitter, receiver or antenna used to contact one or more stations under one call sign may not be used subsequently during the contest period under any other call sign (with the exception of family stations). The intent of this rule is to accommodate family members who must share a rig, not to manufacture artificial contacts.

6.3 All equipment and antennas used by entrants must be owned and operated by amateurs. Use of non-amateur owned gear is not prohibited, but use of such equipment places the entrant in a separate category, ineligible for awards.

6.4 Contacts made by re-transmitting either or both stations, whether by satellite or terrestrial means, are prohibited. Frequencies regularly occupied by a repeater in a locality may not be used for contest work, even if the repeater is turned off.

7. Awards: Certificates will be awarded in the following categories:

7.1 Top single-operator High and Low power score in each ARRL Division.

7.2 Top single operator High and Low power score on each band (222, 432, 902, 1296 and 2304-and-up categories) in each ARRL Division

where significant effort or competition is evidenced. (Note: Since the highest score per band will be the award winner for that band, an entrant may win a certificate with additional single-band achievement stickers.) For example, if W1AW has the highest single-operator multi-band score in the Atlantic Division and his 432-MHz score is higher than any other Atlantic Division single-operator's, he will earn both a certificate for being the single-operator Division leader and an endorsement sticker for 432 MHz.

7.3 Top multi-operator score in each ARRL Division where significant effort or competition is evidenced. (Multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

7.4 Top Rover, Limited Rover and Unlimited Rover score in each ARRL Division.

7.5 Additional certificates may be awarded where significant effort or competition is evidenced.

8. Submission: Deadline for submission of entries for this contest is 1800z Tuesday, September 7, 2010.

8.1 Paper logs and properly completed summary sheets should be mailed to: August UHF Contest, ARRL. 225 Main Street, Newington, CT 06111.

8.2 Cabrillo formatter logs should be emailed to AugustUHF@... <mailto:AugustUHF@...>

8.3 Participants may submit using the Web Applet at www.b4h.net/cabforms <http://www.b4h.net/cabforms> .

8.4 Entries postmarked or email dated after the deadline may only be considered checklogs.

9. Other: See "General Rules for All ARRL Contests <http://www.arrl.org/general-rules-for-all-arrl-contests> " and "General Rules for ARRL Contests on bands above 50 MHz (VHF)" November 2001 QST.Questions regarding this contest should be emailed to contests@... <mailto:contests@...> . Only use the contest-name email for submission of entries. All contest forms and rules may be downloaded here <http://www.arrl.org/paper-log-entry-forms> .

874. The new issue of antenneX for August 2010 has been published.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-08-01 23:51:23 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 874 Message: 874

FYI
Lots of Good Ant Info
73 De Don KA9QJG

To the cebiksite readers:

Folks:

The new issue of antenneX for August 2010 has been published.

If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue #160 is now ready to read at your pleasure!

Whether you are a paid subscriber or not, there are always several new articles and other downloads made freely available in the antenneX Guest Rooms each month.

For more info about this new issue:

http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html
<http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html>

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Another new feature article by LB Cebik is included. He's still with us!

Also, introducing Grant Bingeman's new article as he joins the team.

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All the best,

Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

875. Complex Eruption on the Sun Sends CME toward Earth

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-08-02 04:38:29 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 875 Message: 875

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

Space Weather News for August 1, 2010
http://spaceweather.com <http://spaceweather.com/>

GLOBAL ERUPTION: During the early hours of August 1st, NASA's Solar Dynamics Observatory recorded a complex global disturbance on the Earth-facing side of the sun. Most of the sun's northern hemisphere was involved in the event, which included a long-duration C3-class solar flare,
a "solar tsunami," and a massive filament eruption. As a result of these blasts, a coronal mass ejection (CME) is heading toward Earth. High-latitude geomagnetic storms and auroras are possible when the cloud arrives a few days hence. Check http://spaceweather.com <http://spaceweather.com/> for movies and updates.

876. Lightning Chasers

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-08-02 04:53:17 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 876 Message: 876

If You have The Nat Geo TV Channel I saw a preview of the Lighting Show Scheduled for

Thursday Aug 5 , 9:00 PM Check Time for Your area

http://tinyurl.com/22kbal8 <http://tinyurl.com/22kbal8>

Have you ever seen lightning strike from the ground to the sky or float in midair? Spectacular and exotic forms of this natural phenomenon are slowed down on film to reveal minute detail. Luminous spheres that linger in airplanes are recreated. We will show you how rockets launched into storm clouds coax lightning down to earth. Naked Science: Lightning Chasers illuminates secrets of nature's most striking power

What I did not know was that the Lighting from Towers did not come down from the Sky, it shows the strike originating from the top of the Tower and hitting the cloud.

73 De Don KA9QJG

877. Fwd: Complex Eruption on the Sun Sends CME toward Earth

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-08-02 23:50:07 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 877 Message: 877

From: swlist@...
To: swlist@...
Sent: 8/1/2010 6:23:45 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time
Subj: Complex Eruption on the Sun Sends CME toward Earth

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MAGNETIC STORM ALERT SERVICE: Would you like a phone call when the next geomagnetic storm erupts? Sign up for Space Weather PHONE: _http://spaceweatherphone.com_ (http://spaceweatherphone.com)

878. Nice Ant Etc. Site

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-08-04 05:06:59 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 878 Message: 878

I got this From our Member George, Who's Wife Deloris KC9SQC And Son Ken KC9HCY are Hams , No not that way Lic Amateur Radio Operators Sounds better ,

Lots of Good info on The site so I thought I would also share it Of course I could of kept the Good info to Myself and read it then try and tell everyone how smart I am, but Heck everyone knows better lol

http://www.packetradio.com/ant.htm <http://www.packetradio.com/ant.htm>

PS I was looking at their Loop I had never heard of a 2 to 1 Balun

73 De Don KA9QJG

879. Re: Fwd: Complex Eruption on the Sun Sends CME toward Earth

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-08-04 05:09:32 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 877 Message: 879

FYI Make sure we check VHF/UHF For band-openings

73 De Don KA9QJG

Space Weather News for August 3, 2010
http://spaceweather.com

CME IMPACT: As expected, a coronal mass ejection (CME) hit Earth's magnetic field on August 3rd. The impact, which occurred around 1730 UT, sparked a polar geomagnetic storm. At the time that this alert is being written, sky watchers in Europe as far south as Germany are reporting red and green Northern Lights. If the storm sustains itself for a few more hours, people in North America might see a similar display. Sky watchers in Alaska, Canada, and northern-tier US states such as Wisconsin, Minnesota and Maine should be alert for auroras.

880. Space Jam 4, Saturday; balloons, ATV, APRS, Cross Band Repeater, 20 M special ev

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-08-05 06:24:07 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 880 Message: 880

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

SPACE JAMBOREE Saturday Aug. 7th 2010 is the big day!!!

www.spacejamboree.com <http://www.spacejamboree.com> WB9SA Event...
Rantoul IL Hope to have a ton of traffic at the Scout event.

Work the balloons, Cross Band repeater, ATV, 20 Meters, ISS contact (we hope to put it up on the balloon if it happens.)

Balloon BASE 48 will launch at flags (7:30ish am local CST (-5UTC): It will APRS on 144.39 MHz with the call sign- N9QGS-11. The ATV will be on this balloon on 434 MHz NTSC format. Additionally, there will be Domino -22 RTTY 300 baud on 146.565 MHz. The balloon will climb at about 1000 ft/min till burst. I hope to reach 95,000 feet with this balloon.

BASE 49 will launch about 8:30 am local (1330 UTC). It will have APRS on

144.39 MHz with the call sign - W9YJ-11. The cross band repeater will use 144.360 MHz up and 446.025 MHz down. The balloon will also carry DominoEx but I don't know the frequency (Bill, do you have an idea??). It will climb a little slower, perhaps 800-900 feet/minute. I also plan to float this balloon between 70,000 and 80,000 feet for about one hour. This will mean that the cross band will be above 60,000 feet for at least 90 minutes. The descent will be on the balloon at a rate of about 500 ft/min. If I made my best guess. The cross band will be above 60 kft from 1430 UTC till 1600 UTC and above 45 kft from 1415 UTC till 1630 UTC.

Considering the wind patterns, we may relay the ISS Space Jam contact through the cross band repeater! WB9SA will run as Net Control

Scouts will also be on 20 meters (around 14.290 +- 5K). Scouts are planning a Search and Rescue event with APRS tracking and ATV Helmet Cam. Fox hunting and more

Hope you get to work a Scout or some 2m/440 DX!!!

Special Thanks to everyone helping out this year, Howard KC9QBN, DePauw University and his team; Charlie AJ9N and the ARISS team; Dave KB9ZMF and the VCARA crew.

73, Brian K9BKW and the BSA Crew 272 WB9SA team! Space UP!!!

881. Space Weather News for August 20, 2010

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-08-21 03:38:07 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 881 Message: 881

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

Space Weather News for August 20, 2010
http://spaceweather.com <http://spaceweather.com/>

SPACE STATION AURORAS: With solar activity on the rise, August 2010 has
been
a good month for auroras. There have been sightings of Northern Lights
as
far south as Wisconsin and Iowa in the United States, and some fine
displays
of Southern Lights over Antarctica. Some of the best pictures so far
have
come from Earth orbit, where astronauts have a front-row seat for
geomagnetic storms. Visit http://Spaceweather.com
<http://spaceweather.com/> for latest images from
the International Space Station.

882. HAMSPOTS

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-08-21 08:00:12 UTC
From: Don
Topic: 882 Message: 882

HAMSPOTS

http://hamspots.net

A place for spots for the Digital Ham Operator, IOTA, LOTW, WFF, ARLH & ILLW chasers and more!

Features:
☐ Easy Log In and FREE to anyone to use ☐ log in and enjoy

☐ If you want to know who is logged on and where they are at on the HamSpots site go to the Digital Clubs section and click on a Club. Stations logged on will appear at the middle top area and if have mouse over station call or click on call information the Op name, DXCC Country, all Club numbers, and QSL route will appear

☐ All LOTW users are high-lighted in yellow

☐ All LOTW chasers for WAS or Awards go to LOTW `Search Page' and find out what ops are on now with States needed (i.e. LOTW US State page then bottom middle search for State)

☐ Looking to work IOTA Islands, WFF Flora Fauna or ARLHS & ILLW Lighthouses then this the place just go to the `Special Activations' page

☐ All stations spotted have DXCC tag if mouse over

☐ All stations spotted if clicked will show `History'

☐ All spot information listed by UTC time, time AGED, DX, ST, Country, Freq, Mode, Comment, Spotter

☐ All HF bands spots listed including WARC, 60m and 6m (160m,80m,60m,40m,30m,20m,17m,15m,12m,10m,6m)

☐ Spot site for Digital Mode Ham Operators(CW,PSK,MFSK,HELL,OLIVIA,CONTESTIA,ETC), IOTA-Islands, LOTW chasers, WFF-Flora Fauna & ARLHS & ILLW-Lighthouses but geared more towards the Digital Ham Operator so if you are into Digital Modes give this a look over and use it while in the shack

☐ Home page with HamSpots News and RSS Feeds.

☐ Once logged in shows your SFI Propagation numbers (bottom right), IP Address(bottom left),time you have been `Online' (top left),UTC time (top right)

☐ Top section of HamSpots homepage lists individual categories or pages within HamSpots to choose from (i.e. Settings, Search, Digital Clubs, Digital Modes, Special Activations, Single Band Spots, Dual Band Spots)

☐ Settings page ☐ user can change display colors to the users liking. Band Display Filters can also filter out what spots the user wishes to see, filter by location (i.e. AS, EU, NA, OC, SA, AF) or by mode, i.e. all modes, CW, PSK, RTTY, HELL, MFSK, or combination of CW and PSK, etc)

☐ Search page ☐ user can search by Callsign history for a particular call to see the number of spots of this call and or the summary of spot data. LotW Search can be displayed also for those looking for LOTW US STATE and at a glance

see all stations spotted for a particular State a user may need. Also included is LOTW DX search for spots of DX LOTW users spotted on the band

☐ Digital Clubs ☐ those that are members of Digital Clubs of 30MDG (30 Meter Digital Group) or FH (Feld-Hell Club) can use these pages for Club members , Club Events, or Club activities (I'm sure VK3AMA would be willing to add your Digital Club if requested and if will be used). These pages show Club members spotted and spots for the particular band or mode used by the club. There is also a `local spots & chat' area to these Digital Club pages. Stations logged on will appear at the middle top area and if have mouse over station call or click on call information the Op name, DXCC Country, all Club numbers, and QSL route will appear

☐ Related links to related sites on each page i.e. 30 Meter Digital Group Page upper right links to 30MDG Home Page, 30MDG Yahoo Group, 30 Meter Live PSK Online Receivers etc

☐ Digital Modes ☐ Most all popular digital modes are listed here and have a separate page so if you are looking for PSK, RTTY, SSTV, HELL, OLIVIA, CONTESTIA, MFSK, WSJT, ARQ or ALL MODES the user can find spots by mode and local spots & chats included on each page

☐ Special Activations ☐ IOTA-Islands, WFF-Flora Fauna, ARLHS-Lighthouses spots also includes same features with mouse over call and statistics on the right side of page

☐ Single Band Spots ☐ Spots by single individual band only (160m, 80m, 40m, 30m, 20m, 17m, 12m, 10m, 6m). These pages are spots only and no local spots or chat here

☐ Multi Band Spots ☐ Dual Band spots (160m-80m, 40m-30m, 20m-17m, 15m-12m, 10m-6m).). These pages are spots only and no local spots or chat here

☐ Spot Filters can be toggled on and off at any time!

☐ Auto cross-posting between the Club and Mode pages

☐ User can also manually post spots to DX Cluster Network right from the HamSpots pages!! (but no tolerance for any abuse on this feature)

☐ Where do the Spots come from? HamSpots maintains a private dedicated Cluster Node and processes all incoming spots to that node to determine the mode being used (CW, PSK, RTTY, SSTV, HELL, etc.) to display correctly on the individual Mode Pages. HamSpots also takes direct feeds from the PSKReporter Network (thanks to N1DQ) and the JT65 Reverse Beacon Network (thanks to W6CQZ)

☐ HamSpots continue to add more and more neat features and more are coming soon

If you are a Digital Mode operator (or even if not) give HamSpots a try and look over because VK3AMA has added lots of features to this site and it is FREE for all to use.

http://hamspots.net

GL on the Bands

De KB9UMT Don
http://www.30mdg.net

883. 2m Fall Sprint, Monday, 9/20, 7 - 11 pm Local Time

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-09-17 00:03:04 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 883 Message: 883

FYI

I am not into this But I always if listening will give a Fellow ham a Point

PS Just a reminder if Some are like Me Going Fishing with the Grandkids Etc . and Not putting up any Ant for the Long Winters Lets get going , But they do say if Put up in the Snow . Ice and Wind they will work better

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.svhfs.org/sprints.html <http://www.svhfs.org/sprints.html>

SVHFS Sprints

The Southeastern VHF Society sponsors Fall VHF/UHF Sprints. All amateurs are encouraged to participate, even if only in a small way. They are meant to get everyone on the air. The rules encourage rover, microwave operation and the casual operator new to VHF/UHF.

The contest is intended for single operator, single transmitter entries. However, if one wishes to introduce a newcomer to weak signal vhf/uhf operations, the sponsors of the contest reserve the right to allow such entries, if identified as such. In no case will there be more than 1 radio operator at one time. A second person can not serve as a "spotter" while the first operates. Operating categories are still Single Op and Rover.

Sprints are held on different days for each band except for the Microwaves (902 and up) that are held together. The operating time for each Sprint is short (like a sprint :-) and meant to compress the activity into a shorter time span.

While the rules for Sprints vary by year, we are always open to suggestions on how to improve them for the future. If you have an idea on how to make the Fall Sprints better for next year (different dates, times, rule change, etc.) please drop the Fall Sprints Chairman a note and help out. This year, as a result of several requests, we will be using 6 character grid squares for 432 and microwave.

Please notice that, except for rovers, the scoring is more like the ARRL June VHF contest now. This will allow computer programs to both generate the logs and check the logs. Rover scoring is intended to encourage activation of many grids!

For details and up-to-date information about the Fall Sprints and the annual technical conference the Southeastern VHF Society sponsors,

please watch this website

2010 Sprints Schedule Summary

* 144 MHz - Monday, September 20, 7 pm to 11 pm local time
* 222 MHz - Tuesday, September 28, 7 pm to 11 pm local time
* 432 MHz - Wednesday, October 6, 7 pm top 11 pm local time
* Microwave - Saturday, October 16, 6 am to 12 pm local time
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Bruce Randall WD4JQV

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QSO points for each 2.3 GHz (or higher) QSO. Add up the QSO points for all bands and then

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really an @ sign.

5.1 144 MHz Sprint logs to:

Ott Fiebel W4WSR, PO Box 957, Hayesville, NC 28904 ottf(at)wbia.net <http://wbia.net/>

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Bruce Randall WD4JQV, 928 Falls Rd, Rock Hill, SC 29730 wd4jqv(at)arrl.net <http://arrl.net/>

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Jim Worsham W4KXY, 1915 Oak Wind Lane, Buford, GA 30519-6766 w4kxy(at)arrl.net

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wd4jqv(at)arrl.net

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wa4njp(at)bellsouth.net <http://bellsouth.net/>

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884. High Altitude Balloon Launch, Ottumwa, IA, 10/2 @ 9 am CDT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-09-29 02:36:53 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 884 Message: 884

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

QRP ARCI is pleased to announce their sponsorship of the Iowa High Altitude
Balloon (iHAB) project. This sponsorship is for the second launch by iHAB.
This launch will provide improvements over their first launch to include
better APRS tracking, an improved 20 meter beacon and better camera clarity.

The launch is scheduled for October 2, 2010 at 14:00Z (9AM CDT) from the
Ottumwa Industrial Airport (OTM) IHCC North Campus Aviation Building.
Preflight will begin at 13:00Z (8AM CDT). Should weather prevent the launch,
the fall back date will be Saturday, October 9, 2010 at the same times.

The QRP Beacon (1.6 watts) will be on 14.059.0 MHz signing (the QRP ARCI
Club call sign) "K6JSS iHAB 2"

Please go to http://www.qrparci.org/ <http://www.qrparci.org/> for more
information on the flight and
special recognition for reception reports.

885. Hi Don

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-09-29 07:10:47 UTC
From: albrenner6430
Topic: 885 Message: 885

whats going on?

886. RE: [CQCQCQ] Hi Don

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-09-29 15:58:37 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 885 Message: 886

AL KR4XF , Great to see You as a Member of the CQ CQ CQ CQ Group Great bunch of Hams on here A and all will make You feel Welcome so if You are up late , Put up a New Ant and looking for a QSO To check things out or just someone to QSO With this is a Place to try .

Please be aware that when You or others Post a Personal Message it will go out to the whole group . You can just hit reply to Sender

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of albrenner6430
Sent: Wednesday, September 29, 2010 2:11 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Hi Don

whats going on?

887. Cebiksite] New Issue #162 Oct. 2010

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-01 20:45:03 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 887 Message: 887

OK Winter is coming Lets get out and Fix or put up some Antennas this is a Great Site with lots of Free info too

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS What is the BEST Antenna Well it is the one that resonates on the Freq You are using with No SWR LOL

Folks:

The new issue of antenneX October 2010 has been published.

If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue #162 is now ready to read at your pleasure!

Whether you are a paid subscriber or not, there are always several new articles and other downloads made freely available in the Guest Rooms each month.

For more info about this new issue:

http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html
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Also, introducing a new audio version of Stone's Throw! column!

Here are links to the new audio presentation of the main topic portion of my column this month about metamaterials:

Streaming (RealPlayer - Google for free download):

http://www.antennex.com/stones1010.ram
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MS Media Player or the like:

http://www.antennex.com/sound/stones1010.mp3
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All the best,

Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-02 03:50:09 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 887 Message: 888

The BEST antenna is the one you have. The worst antenna is
the one you don't have. My motto :

"I can hear everyone I can work."

I started out with nothing, ... and have most of it left.

========== Richards - K8JHR ==========

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Date: 2010-10-04 05:19:05 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
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890. 750 Meteors Per Hour Expected in Stunning Shower

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-08 20:01:25 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 890 Message: 890

From Our Member Bob KA9AQZ And Thank You

73 De Don KA9QJG

[A Geminid meteor streaks across the sky.]

The Earth will pass through the cast-off remnants of an ancient comet Friday, and the resulting meteor shower <http://www.foxnews.com/scitech/2010/10/08/meteors-hour-expected-stunnin\g-shower/> will be lackluster at best, experts say. Yet the event sets the stage for a truly remarkable shooting star display in 2011.

The source of this annual October meteor display, called the Draconid meteor shower, is dust and debris leftover from Comet Giacobini-Zinner.

The Draconid meteor shower <http://www.space.com/missionlaunches/draconid-meteors-2011-spacecraft-r\isk-100616.html> has a reputation for disappointing skywatchers with lackluster displays, unlike the spectacular sky shows that sometimes accompany the annual Perseid meteor shower <http://www.space.com/spacewatch/perseid-meteor-shower-2010-observations\-100813.html> in August and the Leonid shower <http://www.foxnews.com/scitech/2010/10/08/meteors-hour-expected-stunnin\g-shower/> in November. [Best Leonid Meteor Shower Photos <http://www.space.com/php/multimedia/imagegallery/igviewer.php?imgid=118\8&gid=93>]

This year, according to skwatching experts, will be no different. But by all accounts, 2011 will be a year to remember for the Draconids.

"This year, forecasters expect Earth to narrowly miss several of the debris streams, resulting in no appreciable display for 2010," reported Spaceweather.com, a website dedicated to monitoring space weather <http://www.foxnews.com/scitech/2010/10/08/meteors-hour-expected-stunnin\g-shower/> and sky events. "Next year, however, could be different. On Oct. 8, 2011, Earth will have a near head-on collision with a tendril of dust, setting off a strong outburst of as many as 750 meteors per hour."

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In fact, the 2011 Draconid meteor shower is expected to be so astounding that NASA <http://www.foxnews.com/topics/scitech/space/nasa.htm> has already begun preparing for the risk to satellites orbiting Earth <http://www.space.com/missionlaunches/draconid-meteors-2011-spacecraft-r\isk-100616.html> such as the International Space Station <http://www.foxnews.com/topics/space-missions/international-space-statio\n.htm> or Hubble Space Telescope.

"We're already working with NASA programs to deal with spacecraft risk," said William Cooke, a scientist with the Meteoroid Environment Office at NASA's <http://www.foxnews.com/scitech/2010/10/08/meteors-hour-expected-stunnin\g-shower/> Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville, Ala., during an interview with SPACE.com in June. "I imagine when the word gets out there will be a Draconid outburst, I'll get the usual calls from Comsat companies as well as government space programs."

In addition to the chance of dings, there is the possibility of electrostatic discharges associated with the collision between a meteoroid and a satellite, Cooke said. Such discharges canaccount <http://www.foxnews.com/scitech/2010/10/08/meteors-hour-expected-stunnin\g-shower/> for a significant fraction of spacecraft anomalies during meteor showers, he added.

While this year's Draconid meteor shower will likely be a bust, the 2011 Draconids should be a sight to behold, forecasters said.

The best vantage points will be Europe, Africa and the Middle East <http://www.foxnews.com/topics/politics/middle-east.htm> , Spaceweather.com reported.

The 2011 Draconids could possibly be the most powerful meteor shower since the dazzling Leonids display 10 years ago, the website added.

* Images - The Best of Leonid Meteor Shower <http://www.space.com/php/multimedia/imagegallery/igviewer.php?imgid=118\8&gid=93>

* Perseid Meteor Shower Lives Up to Its Promise <http://www.space.com/spacewatch/perseid-meteor-shower-2010-observations\-100813.html>

* NASA Prepares for Potentially Damaging 2011 Meteor Shower <http://www.space.com/missionlaunches/draconid-meteors-2011-spacecraft-r\isk-100616.html>

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891. SOUTH FLORIDA HAM FEST

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-08 20:50:43 UTC
From: Walter
Topic: 891 Message: 891

Please join the BOCA RATON AMATEUR RADIO ASSOCIATION at the

SOUTH FLORIDA HAM FEST
NOVEMBER 6th, 2010
7am - 1pm

Delray Beach Florida
Visit www.southfloridahamfest.org for details.

73,

WALT DREYFUS
W4WCD

892. Improved Cell Phone

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-15 05:44:54 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 892 Message: 892

I Just got so tired of trying to fig out the New cell phones , I do not do Texting or the I Net , I just want to make and receive a call so being the Ham of course we improvise So I made My own some of You older Members on here can appreciate this Ha Ha

73 De Don KA9QJG

893. Re: [CQCQCQ] Improved Cell Phone

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-15 05:49:46 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 892 Message: 893

I KNOW just how you feel... I still use an old Bakelite rotary dial
phone on my desk upstairs. I got an extra white one if you want it...

;-)

========== JHR ==========

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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-15 06:41:34 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 892 Message: 894

Laying all jokes aside Everyone should hold on to or pick up a Old Phone ,
Most of us have Cordless phones well We had a power failure and I kept
trying to call My Wife to check on her She never answered the phone ,
when I got home I checked No dial tone Etc.

So the next Hamfest I picked up a Old regular phone like new for $ 5.00
And I keep that by the cordless It works great .

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
Richards
Sent: Friday, October 15, 2010 12:50 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Improved Cell Phone

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895. Illinois QSO Party, Sunday, 10/18

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-15 07:19:21 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 895 Message: 895

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73 De Don KA9QJG

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Illinois QSO Party, Sunday, 10/18

http://www.w9awe.org/ILQP2010.html <http://www.w9awe.org/ILQP2010.html>

ILQP <http://xa.yimg.com/kq/groups/16464891/1898113460/name/ILQP>

ILQP <http://xa.yimg.com/kq/groups/16464891/1245980858/name/ILQP>

2010map.pdf
<http://xa.yimg.com/kq/groups/16464891/668816671/name/2010map%2Epdf>

896. Re: Improved Cell Phone

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-15 12:42:10 UTC
From: Hank
Topic: 892 Message: 896

That is such good advice Don. Here in Florida, when a hurricane comes through you could be without power for weeks. If all of your phones are cordless, then you have no phone.

In 2004, when we had 3 hurricanes come through in a very short period of time, we lost power during every one. Our landlines never died, so we were able to plug in a $9.00 phone into the jack and make and receive calls.

Hank / KB4MTO

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "ka9qjg" <KA9QJG@...> wrote:
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> Laying all jokes aside Everyone should hold on to or pick up a Old Phone ,
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> trying to call My Wife to check on her She never answered the phone ,
> when I got home I checked No dial tone Etc.
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> So the next Hamfest I picked up a Old regular phone like new for $ 5.00
> And I keep that by the cordless It works great .
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> 73 De Don KA9QJG
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> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
> Richards
> Sent: Friday, October 15, 2010 12:50 AM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Improved Cell Phone
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> I KNOW just how you feel... I still use an old Bakelite rotary dial
> phone on my desk upstairs. I got an extra white one if you want it...
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> > Members on here can appreciate this Ha Ha
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> > 73 De Don KA9QJG
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897. Jamboree On The Air

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-16 18:28:02 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 897 Message: 897

FYI
Get on the Air and QSO With the Scouts
73 De Don KA9QJG
The 53rd Annual Jamboree on the Air (JOTA) will once again provide an opportunity for Scouts to get on the air and get a taste of the fun and magic of radio. JOTA is an international scouting event organized by the World Scouting Bureau. While JOTA officially starts at 12 midnight local time Friday night/Saturday morning and goes until midnight Sunday local time, there will be plenty of stations on the air Friday evening. The official Scouting frequencies will be the center of operations. A listing of those frequencies, information about third party traffic restrictions and other details can be found on the ARRL Web site or on the World Scouting site. Each JOTA event provides an opportunity for a local club or Scout troop to get something started that can result in the beginning of a tradition of fun-filled activities. JOTA takes place starting Saturday at midnight local time, Saturday, October 16 and goes to 11.59 PM local time on Sunday, October 17. Some activity continues over from Friday to Monday to take advantage of long distance (DX) time differences.

http://scout.org/en/information_events/events/jota
<http://scout.org/en/information_events/events/jota>

898. [Cebiksite] Special antenna paper book sale - 1/2 price

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-20 17:33:50 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 898 Message: 898

FYI
And Lots of Good FREE Ant Info too
PS I know some of You right now have been thinking about Winter comming and That we should be putting up some Ants to get on the Air on the cold winter nights . But We still have NOT did it I use We because that is what I do every year Lets Get Er done
73 De Don KA9QJG

For the upcoming holiday special promotion, antenneX is offering the following special ½-price sale on the remainder of our softcover paper books. If you are one who prefers to hold a book in your hands, this special is for you. Time and quantities in stock are limited. Reprints are not planned, so these are the last.

The special offer:

The books available to choose from:

Cubical Quad Notes - Vol. 1: A Review of Existing Designs by LB Cebik For more info: http://tinyurl.com/2az572d <http://tinyurl.com/2az572d>

LPDA Notes Vol. 1: Pure LPDAs by LB Cebik For more info: http://tinyurl.com/27jmaja <http://tinyurl.com/27jmaja>

LPDA Notes Vol. 2: Hybrid LPDAs by LB Cebik For more info: http://tinyurl.com/27jmaja <http://tinyurl.com/27jmaja>

Urban Antennas Vol. 1: by Igor Grigorov (Belgrade Russia) For more info: http://tinyurl.com/2cygnq9 <http://tinyurl.com/2cygnq9>

Do NOT use the normal order form found on the above ad pages. Use the special offer link further below only to order the special prices.

Each book is priced at just $15 or 1/2 of usual $30 price.

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The Cubical Quad Notes, Vol 2 in paper are sold out and only Vol 1 is now available in paper. The CD version of Vol 2 is still available but not in this special.

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The Urban Antennas paper version has a limited supply, but plenty for this special.

This special offer ends at October 31, 2010 midnight CDT

More than 100 products in the Shopping Shack:

http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm
<http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm>

Hope to see you soon!

All the best,

Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

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899. [Cebiksite]

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-20 21:08:13 UTC
From: Lee Rice
Topic: 899 Message: 899

I'm having trouble ordering from this site.
Lee ad3aa

900. RE: [CQCQCQ] [Cebiksite]

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-20 21:47:21 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 899 Message: 900

Lee Thanks for bringing that to info to the Members , I have Never Contacted them or ordered anything Lots of Free info I Just post Info that I thing others might also be interested in , Here is a Contact Link I would give them a Call or E-Mail

Lets us know how it works out

Thanks Don KA9QJG

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Lee Rice
Sent: Wednesday, October 20, 2010 4:08 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] [Cebiksite]

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901. RE: [CQCQCQ] [Cebiksite]

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-21 18:10:20 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 899 Message: 901

Lee and the Group I just got up and Checked My E-Mail in Ref to this

73 De Don KA9QJG

Folks:

An error was discovered in the special 1/2-price book sale offer order form preventing one to complete the order.

That has now been corrected.

We are very sorry for the inconvenience!

All the best,

Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

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902. Re: [CQCQCQ] Improved Cell Phone

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-23 16:10:47 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 892 Message: 902

I do have an old (nonwireless) phone for just such a purpose.

Angela KD8HMS

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From: ka9qjg <KA9QJG@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Fri, October 15, 2010 2:41:34 AM
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] Improved Cell Phone

Laying all jokes aside Everyone should hold on to or pick up a Old Phone , Most of us have Cordless phones well We had a power failure and I kept trying to call My Wife to check on her She never answered the phone , when I got home I checked No dial tone Etc.

So the next Hamfest I picked up a Old regular phone like new for $ 5.00 And I keep that by the cordless It works great .

73 De Don KA9QJG

From:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Friday, October 15, 2010 12:50 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Improved Cell Phone

I KNOW just how you feel... I still use an old Bakelite rotary dial phone on my desk upstairs. I got an extra white one if you want it...

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========== JHR ==========

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> 73 De Don KA9QJG
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903. WEATHER ALERT Midwest USA

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-26 01:54:21 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 903 Message: 903

I do Not normally Post Weather Waring's because of this being a World Wide Group , BUT I thought I would post this for our Midwest USA Members Especially after watching the 4 Local News Stations and Veteran Weather people stating They have Never seen anything this Bad except a Few Yrs back 40 Ft waves sunk a Ship in Lake Michigan , this will be worse almost like a Cat 3 Hurricane Winds for 2 Days
Be Safe
73 De Don KA9QJG

Your CURRENT SEVERE Weather RADAR MAP Link...

http://www.emergencyemail.org/weathergetWANG1.asp?src=DS.p19r0/si.kLOT
<http://www.emergencyemail.org/weathergetWANG1.asp?src=DS.p19r0/si.kLOT>

SEVERE WEATHER ALERT LINK

http://www.EmergencyEmail.org/wxl/IN/wxl18089-59828.84.asp
<http://www.EmergencyEmail.org/wxl/IN/wxl18089-59828.84.asp>

YOUR LOCAL FORECAST

http://www.Emergencyemail.org/wx/us/IN/18089.asp
<http://www.Emergencyemail.org/wx/us/IN/18089.asp>

DAMAGING WINDS POSSIBLE TUES INTO WEDNESDAY.

AN AREA OF LOW PRESSURE DEVELOPING OVER THE CNTL PLAINS WILL RAPIDLY INTENSIFY AS IT LIFTS NE TO EASTERN MN BY EARLY TUES MORNING. THE STORM IS CURRENTLY FORECAST TO REACH A MIN PRESSURE OF AROUND 28.35 INCHES BY TUES EVENING WHILE CENTERED OVER NE MN. THE CIRCULATION ASSOCIATED WITH THIS SYSTEM WILL BE EXPANSIVE.& WILL STRENGTHEN ENOUGH TO CAUSE WIND GUSTS IN EXCESS OF 55 MPH OR GREATER BY TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

CURRENT GUIDANCE SUGGESTS THERE MAY BE A DECREASE IN WIND GUSTS TUESDAY NIGHT.BUT WINDS WILL AGAIN INCREASE SHORTLY AFTER DAYBREAK WEDNESDAY.& CONTINUE STRONG THROUGH THE AFTERNOON.

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336 PM CDT MON OCT 25 2010

HIGH WIND WARNING REMAINS IN EFFECT FROM 7 AM TUES TO 7 PM CDT
WEDNESDAY.

A HIGH WIND WARNING REMAINS IN EFFECT FROM 7 AM TUES TO 7 PM CDT
WEDNESDAY.

* TIMING.TUESDAY MORNING THROUGH WED AFTERNOON.

* WINDS.SUSTAINED AT 30 TO 40 MPH.WITH GUSTS TO 60 MPH.

* IMPACTS.NON SECURE OBJECTS MAY BECOME AIRBORNE. FALLING TREE LIMBS &
POWER OUTAGES CAN BE EXPECTED. TRAVEL MAY BECOME DIFFICULT.WITH HIGH
PROFILE VEHICLES BECOMING DIFFICULT TO CONTROL.

PRECAUTIONARY/PREPAREDNESS ACTIONS.

A HIGH WIND WARNING MEANS A HAZARDOUS HIGH WIND EVENT IS EXPECTED OR
OCCURRING. SUSTAINED WIND SPEEDS OF AT LEAST 40 MPH OR GUSTS OF 58 MPH
OR MORE CAN LEAD TO PROPERTY DAMAGE.

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336 PM CDT MON OCT 25 2010 /436 PM EDT MON OCT 25 2010/

WIND ADVISORY IN EFFECT FROM 7 AM CDT /8 AM EDT/ TUES TO

7 PM CDT /8 PM EDT/ WEDNESDAY.

THE NATL WEATHER SVC IN CHICAGO HAS ISSUED A WIND ADVISORY.WHICH IS IN
EFFECT FROM 7 AM CDT /8 AM EDT/ TUES TO

7 PM CDT /8 PM EDT/ WEDNESDAY. THE HIGH WIND WATCH IS NO LONGER IN
EFFECT.

* TIMING.TUESDAY MORNING THROUGH WED AFTERNOON.

* WINDS.SUSTAINED AT 30 TO 40 MPH.WITH GUSTS AROUND 50 MPH.

* IMPACTS.FALLING TREE BRANCHES & SPORADIC POWER OUTAGES CAN BE EXPECTED. TRAVEL MAY BECOME DIFFICULT.ESPECIALLY WITH HIGH PROFILE VEHICLES.

PRECAUTIONARY/PREPAREDNESS ACTIONS.

A WIND ADVISORY MEANS THAT WINDS OF 35 MPH ARE EXPECTED. WINDS THIS STRONG CAN MAKE DRIVING DIFFICULT.ESPECIALLY FOR HIGH PROFILE VEHICLES. USE EXTRA CAUTION.

904. RE: [CQCQCQ] WEATHER ALERT Midwest USA

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-10-26 02:11:07 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 903 Message: 904

Correction on the Lake the Ship sunk in it was Lake Superior

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Quote : A storm stronger than the one that sank the freighter Edmund Fitzgerald in 1975 is expected to slash across the Midwest tomorrow, snarling Chicago travel and whipping waves as high as 30 feet across Lake Michigan.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/SS_Edmund_Fitzgerald

Be Safe

Don KA9QJG

Your CURRENT SEVERE Weather RADAR MAP Link...

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SEVERE WEATHER ALERT LINK

http://www.EmergencyEmail.org/wxl/IN/wxl18089-59828.84.asp

YOUR LOCAL FORECAST

http://www.Emergencyemail.org/wx/us/IN/18089.asp

LES. USE EXTRA CAUTION

905. Cebiksite] New Issue #163 - Nov 2010

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-01 19:48:00 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 905 Message: 905

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS Who was on the List that tried to contact Them to place an Order Did You ever get that Problem resolved . I post this Because I see a lot of Good Free info too

To Cebik site members:

The new issue of antenneX November 2010 has been published.

If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue #163 is now ready to read at your pleasure!

Whether you are a paid subscriber or not, there are always several new articles and other downloads made freely available in the Guest Rooms each month.

For more info about this new issue:

http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html
<http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html>

For all of the articles, be sure you have a premium subscription and don't miss this new issue with more fresh articles by authors around the globe!

Also, a new audio version of Stone's Throw! column available.

Here are links to the new audio presentation of the main topic portion of my column this month:

Streaming (RealPlayer):

http://www.antennex.com/stones1110.ram
<http://www.antennex.com/stones1110.ram>

MS Media Player or the like:

http://www.antennex.com/sound/stones1110.mp3
<http://www.antennex.com/sound/stones1110.mp3>

The text version of the above column is here:

http://www.antennex.com/Stones/st1110/gain.htm
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Hope to see you soon!

All the best,

Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

906. From the WorldRadio Online Newsroom

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-05 01:29:30 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 906 Message: 906

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

From the WorldRadio Online Newsroom...

The following is relayed at the request of WX4NHC, the amateur radio station at the National Hurricane Center:

In anticipation of "Tomas" developing into a hurricane early Friday, WX4NHC, the Amateur Radio station at the National Hurricane Center in Miami,will be activating its HF and EchoLink/IRLP station on November 5, 2010 at 9am.

We request all land based stations as well as ships at sea in the areas affected to send us weather data (measured or estimated) and damage reports.

If you are in the affected area and normally monitor on a local Net on VHF, 40 or 80 meters, we would appreciate your checking into the HWN NET or EchoLink/IRLP Net once per hour to receive the latest Hurricane Advisories and to report your local conditions.

Please do not venture outside during the hurricane to gather weather data.

Your safety is the first priority.

There are many constantly changing atmospheric variables that affect the storm's track and strength.

Please refer to the National Hurricane Center Advisories for official information at <http://www.nhc.noaa.gov <http://www.nhc.noaa.gov> >www.nhc.noaa.gov <http://www.nhc.noaa.gov>

WX4NHC will be monitoring the Hurricane Watch Net, <http://www.hwn.org <http://www.hwn.org> >www.hwn.org <http://www.hwn.org> , on 14.325 MHz. Secondary HF frequencies will be 7.268 MHz and 3.950 MHz +/- QRM, should we lose propagation on 20 meters. EchoLink "WX-Talk" Conference Room and IRLP node 9219 will also be monitored. <http://www.voipwx.net <http://www.voipwx.net> >www.voipwx.net <http://www.voipwx.net>

WX4NHC will also monitor CWOP, APRS and MADIS/MESONET Automated weather stations in the affected area.

Surface Reports using our On-line Hurricane Report form will be monitored. Amateur Weather Enthusiasts and ON-NHC Volunteers may report directly to WX4NHC on-line.
<http://www.wx4nhc.org/WX-form1.html
<http://www.wx4nhc.org/WX-form1.html>
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ON-NHC Volunteers are both Ham Radio Operators and Non-Ham weather observers that use their own weather instruments to submit "Surface Reports" directly to NHC over the Internet via the WX4NHC on-line report form. These "Surface Reports" are very important as they give Hurricane Specialists at NHC a better idea of what is actually happening on the ground level during the storm.

The WX4NHC Group continues to expand its efforts to increase the quantity and quality of surface reports to include many different modes of reception and groups of people; including HF, VHF/UHF IRLP & EchoLink, VHF & HF APRS, CWOP NOAA Program and ON-NHC Weather Observers Network. (see our web site for more information on these programs): <http://www.wx4nhc.org <http://www.wx4nhc.org>
>www.wx4nhc.org <http://www.wx4nhc.org>

WX4NHC is very proud to have maintained an active Amateur Radio Station at the National Hurricane Center for the past 30 years.

We appreciate all of the volunteers who help with our efforts.

OUR MISSION: TO HELP SAVE LIVES.

Thank you,

John Mc Hugh, K4AG
Coordinator for Amateur Radio
National Hurricane Center, WX4NHC
Home page:- <http://www.wx4nhc.org <http://www.wx4nhc.org>
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907. NASA probe beams in close encounter with comet

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-05 02:23:53 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 907 Message: 907

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

A NASA probe returned close-up views of a comet Thursday, in a flawless 435-mile-high flyby.
Jets of melting ice streamed from both ends of the comet Hartley 2, as the $333 millionDeep Impact <http://content.usatoday.com/topics/topic/Deep+Impact> probe passed overhead at 27,000 mph. The flyby was humanity's fifth close look at a comet.

"It's just amazing," said mission scientist Jessica Sunshine of the University of Maryland, at a NASA briefing. "For the first time, we are seeing the jets going off all over the surface of a comet."

Comets are essentially frozen leftovers from the dawn of the solar system about 4.6 billion years ago. They may have delivered water and life's early ingredients ☐ organic chemicals ☐ to Earth's oceans in a period of frequent impacts more than 3.9 billion years ago. Planetary scientists hope to learn more about the chemistry of those eras from these long-tailed snowballs.

Hartley 2's jets sprouted as the comet approached within 98 million miles of the sun late last month, the warmest leg of its orbit. The famous tails of comets such as Halley's arise from them melting as they reach the warmer inner solar system, shedding a cloud of ice in their wake.

The real surprise of the flyby was the discovery that melting dry ice, carbon dioxide, powered the jets emerging from the comet rather than water ice, said project chief investigator Michael A'Hearn <http://content.usatoday.com/topics/topic/Michael+A'Hearn> , also of the University of Maryland. About 1.25-miles long, the peanut-shaped Hartley 2 circles the sun once every 6.5 years. Earlier this week it delivered a small meteor shower to Earth as its icy wake splashed across the nighttime sky.

"The atmospheres of Venus, the early Earth and Mars all contain a lot of carbon dioxide. We may very well be looking at where the atmosphere of early planets came from," said mission scientist Jay Melosh of Purdue University in West Lafayette, Ind.

As comets go, Hartley 2 is quite small and its jets are quite active, with nearly 5 feet of its surface depth melting away each time its orbit takes it into the warmer inner solar system, A'Hearn says. "It won't be around for long."

"We could not have asked for a better performance from our spacecraft," said mission manager Tim Larson of NASA's Jet Propulsion Laboratory <http://content.usatoday.com/topics/topic/Natural+and+Physical+Sciences/\Space+and+Astronomy/NASA+Jet+Propulsion+Laboratory> in Pasadena, Calif. The encounter some 11 million miles away from Earth passed within 2 miles of its target altitude and was the second such comet visit for Deep Impact. The same spacecraft released a crater-blasting probe into the comet Tempel-1 in 2005, flying overhead to film the impact.

[This close-up view of comet Hartley 2 was taken by NASA's EPOXI mission during its flyby of the comet on November 4, 2010. It was captured by the spacecraft's Medium-Resolution Instrument.]

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908. Reminder Ft. Wayne Indiana Hamfest

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-05 02:53:32 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 907 Message: 908

FYI

This Has always been a Good Hamfest Saturday the better day Like other Hamfest it got Smaller and More Flea market Junk

73 De Don KA9QJG

Fort Wayne Hamfest
& Computer Expo
November 13 - 14, 2010

Sponsored by the Allen County Amateur Radio Technical Society

The 2010 Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo and the 2010 Indiana State A.R.R.L. Convention will be held on November 13th and 14th at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum and Exposition Center, located at 4000 Parnell Avenue in Fort Wayne (at the corner of Parnell and Coliseum Blvd). Click <http://www.acarts.com/hf_managers.htm> here to see a contact list of this years hamfest general chairman and various managers.

A little history about our 2009 event ....

This past year we enjoyed many fine forums and exhibits, along with a flea market of almost 800 tables, which included the following manufacturers: Ameritron, MFJ, HyGain, Mirage, Vectronics, and Yaesu. We had both new and used dealers for radio equipment, computers, electronics and general computer and electronic supplies.

And our plans for 2010 ....

The 2010 Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo will be open to the public from 9 AM to 4 PM on Saturday November 13th, and from 9 AM to 3 PM on Sunday, November 14th. Admission is only $6.00 per person (good for both days), or $4.00 for just Sunday, and there is plenty of parking in a large, paved parking lot, but please note that the Coliseum charges a $4.00 parking fee. Children 11 and under are free with an adult.

We will once again be offering VE testing. See the Forums/VE test page for details.

We have several forums each day, on many subjects relating to amateur radio and electronics.

We will also be welcoming several representatives from the American Radio Relay League.

Click here to download the <http://www.acarts.com/images/2010%20one%20page%20flyer.pdf> one-page flyer.

And in the future ....

Mark your calendars for these future Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo's:

2011: Nov 19-20 2012: Nov 17-18 2013: Nov 16-17

If you still haven't found the answers you're looking for, you can email your question to our <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/KA9QJGREPEATERS/post?postID=MqaotapyNYsFdcFDgUoxgzJekzOpc6X4TaeDo78tSROFPZkSUNzDSDMu4y4GXbzyrHALLA52eWJ4MpO8s8n35wDZmqoo> Hamfest Chairman, or call our Hamfest line at 260-579-2196, where you can leave a message and we'll return your call as soon as possible. If your questions relate specifically to tables or table sales, you can email our <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/KA9QJGREPEATERS/post?postID=Kln0_vQRWEl39ekbtxqdSoDVwPQHvKealMdbfdNnNQ8mb13vPLtdCh2G3qGkD4P_L6B5GaIm00xBAl3M0hngwivYh4HN> Table Chairman, or leave a message on the Hamfest Information line.

909. Veterans Day

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-11 18:48:40 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 909 Message: 909

Just like to take up a little Bandwidth and Wish all or Military
Veterans a Happy and Healthy Veterans Day and Say a Big THANK YOU

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Veterans_Day

Don KA9QJG

USN□63-69

910. Veterans Day

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-11 19:25:49 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 909 Message: 910

THANKS - to everyone on the list who is a Veteran or still in active military service - for protecting our freedoms, generally, and free speech, in particular - the right to communicate in a free, open, and civilized manner; without which, groups like this would not be possible.

Happy Trails.

========== James / K8JHR ==========

911. Available for contacts

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-14 21:14:04 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 911 Message: 911

I am on 20 meters 14.338.00 available for contacts if anyone would like.
Sounds like the band is in good condition right now (2113 UTC, 1513 CT
Sunday 14 Nov 2010)

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
<mailto:kc0jpo@arrl.net> kc0jpo@...

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

912. OT Sat Show

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-17 23:21:25 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 912 Message: 912

FYI

We have one of our Members Who watched this and Found it Interesting I had a 8 Ft Dish with KU/ C Band a Tree came down and crushed it
But I really enjoyed all the Yrs of Watching Live News Feeds before they were Edited for the Local News , Saw some pretty Gruesome Stuff Have You ever notice the look on some news people face and they reach up and remove the Ear piece from their Ear

Well sometimes it is A friend or Someone from the Tech Department Maybe a ham will say Oh My god a Bugger is hanging from Their Nose or something Stupid like that , They especially mess with the Females about their Make up, Etc I have heard and Seen it Live

Still lots of FTA Free to air I have Been told

http://www.sattalk.us/

73 De Don KA9QJG

Please join Mike Kohl and me for another Sat Talk Live radio show tonight at
9 pm ET. As I announced last week, we have a new call-in number.

Phone Number: 760-569-7676
Access Number: 558556# (a little longer than the old one)

Should you get a recording that the line is temporarily not available, the
line is not in service, or a busy signal, call the back-up number
805-360-1075.

When asked, enter the phone number and access code from above
and you are routed to the right conference room. You will hear music-on-hold
if you are the first caller. As soon a second caller joins the music goes
away.

This should work with POTS, Skype, Jack or any other VoIP service.

The preceding program, This Week in Radio Technology, is only 1 hour and 15
minutes long this week. That means I will on the call bridge at about 8:15
pm ET and we can have a pre-show!

I hope ya'll have the time to listen and participate.

Ralf

913. [Cebiksite] New Volume 3 of Wire Antennas Book

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-18 19:05:38 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 913 Message: 913

FYI
And Lots of FREE info on Antennas Too
73 De Don KA9QJG

To the readers of the Cebik site list:
This is to announce new book release of Volume 3, "Antennas Made from Wires" from the works of a master LB Cebik, W4RNL (SK).
This book series has turned out to be one of the most popular of our book releases. This new Volume 3 contains 789 pages of more advanced complex wire antenna designs picking up where volumes 2 and 3 left off of basic to intermmediate complexity.
The 3-volume series contains almost 2000 pages covering a multitude of designs of wire for quick, easy and inexpensive construction. Simple but very effective antennas.
Volume 1 - 535 pagesVolume 2 - 616 pagesVolume 3 - 789 pages
Newbies and Advanced antenna buffs will find this series as an indispensable and favorite part of their reference library.
The designs presented are thought provoking which can lead the reader into experimenting with bending the wires in even more ways to improve performance. Also, the possibilities of consolidating designs in some ways are almost endless.
To see the list of contents contained in Volume 3, that information has now been added to the ad page in the Table of Contents - Vol 3 found at this URL:
http://www.antennex.com/Sshack/wire/wire.html
Many thanks again to those who have expressed their joy with Volumes 1 and 2. For the Holidays, we offer a special below.
BONUS!If all 3 volumes are purchased before midnight, November 30, a free package with 103 wire modeling files shown at the bottom of the above ad page will be included along with a free subscription to the antenneX premium articles -- some 2000 articles worth $48.
Together the bonus value is equal to $130 for only $65 or 50% savings!
Don't miss out!
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For lots of other good things like more books, software, etc. -- more than 100 products:http://www.antennex.com/shopping.htm
Thanks for your time & hope to see you soon!
All the best,Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

914. Great Lakes Marine Mobile Net

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-19 06:13:11 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 914 Message: 914

FYI73 De Don KA9QJG

Great Lakes Marine Mobile Net

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Hi All

If you are a boater anywhere, please join us often on our brand new
Great Lakes Marine Mobile Net.

We are a boater-friendly net specifically catering the Great Lakes and
connecting rivers region.

Great Lakes Marine/Maritime Mobile Net.Frequencies: 08:30 ET and 19:30
ET (13:30 UTC and 00:30 UTC) 3.932/3.927 Mhz +/- QRM first, and then
7.261/7.268 Mhz LSB

+/- QRM 15 minutes past the hour.

On weekends, we also have extra sessions of the net on 7.261/7.268 LSB
+/- QRM at 1100 ET (1600 UTC).

We monitor WA9ORC 2M Chicagoland repeater on 146.760 (PL 107.2) during
the net.

One of the antennas is on top of the AON Building.

We also have Skype for worldwide HF phone patches and Echolink (KC9SGV,
node#

516288) for full coverage 2M communication. In addition we are fully
conversant

and proficient with WINMOR HF email, and can enter position reports into
the

Winlink 2000 system.

For more information, see our website at Great Lakes Marine Mobile Net,

http://www.glmmnet.org/ <http://www.glmmnet.org/>

See you on the water, hear you on the air.

Best 73,

Bernard Dekok

KC9SGV

915. OT Happy Thanksgiving

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-24 08:27:39 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 915 Message: 915

I would just like to take a little Time and Wish Everyone and Their Family a Very Happy Thanksgiving

Have a piece of Pie on Me but you cook it http://tinyurl.com/y2fg33\ <http://tinyurl.com/y2fg33/>

And a Turkey too I know We do not have any Turkeys on here http://tinyurl.com/3gkerl <http://tinyurl.com/3gkerl>

Happy Thanksgiving

916. Re: [CQCQCQ] OT Happy Thanksgiving

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-24 16:05:30 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 915 Message: 916

I second what ka9qjq said.

Happy Thanksgiving and many more...

73s kd8hms (Angie)

From: ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@WOWWAY.COM>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wed, November 24, 2010 3:27:39 AM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] OT Happy Thanksgiving

I would just like to take a little Time and Wish Everyone and Their Family a
Very Happy Thanksgiving

Have a piece of Pie on Me but you cook it http://tinyurl.com/y2fg33/

And a Turkey too I know We do not have any Turkeys on here
http://tinyurl.com/3gkerl

Happy Thanksgiving

917. RE: [CQCQCQ] OT Happy Thanksgiving

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-24 21:05:47 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 915 Message: 917

And the same to you Don, as well as everyone on the list.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
<mailto:kc0jpo@...> kc0jpo@...

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg1
Sent: Wednesday, November 24, 2010 2:28 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] OT Happy Thanksgiving

I would just like to take a little Time and Wish Everyone and Their Family a Very Happy Thanksgiving

Have a piece of Pie on Me but you cook it http://tinyurl.com/y2fg33\
<http://tinyurl.com/y2fg33/>

And a Turkey too I know We do not have any Turkeys on here
<http://tinyurl.com/3gkerl> http://tinyurl.com/3gkerl

Happy Thanksgiving

No virus found in this message.
Checked by AVG - www.avg.com
Version: 10.0.1153 / Virus Database: 426/3275 - Release Date: 11/23/10

918. Museum of Radio and Technology

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-11-27 01:54:31 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 659 Message: 918

This might be Old News to some but everyone who enjoys this Wonderful Communications Hobby Should check it out the Museum of Radio and Technology, and Click on take tour Heck some of Old Folks Have used or still using some of this Equipment Tubes Glow in the dark and help keep the Ham shack warm in the Winter

Enjoy http://oak.cats.ohiou.edu/~postr/MRT/
<http://oak.cats.ohiou.edu/~postr/MRT/>

73 De Don KA9QJG

919. [Cebiksite] Now ready - New Dec 2010 Issue

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-03 20:38:40 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 919 Message: 919

FYI
Lots of Free info to and Also a Audio Link I listened too Good Info
73 De Don KA9QJG

To Cebik site members:

The new issue of antenneX December 2010 has been published.

If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue #164 is now ready to read at your pleasure!

Whether you are a paid subscriber or not, there are always several new articles and other downloads made freely available in the Guest Rooms each month.

For more info about this new issue:

http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html
<http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html>

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Also, a new audio version of Stone's Throw! column available.

Here are links to the new audio presentation of the main topic portion of my column this month:

Streaming (RealPlayer):

http://www.antennex.com/stones1210.ram
<http://www.antennex.com/stones1210.ram>

MS Media Player or the like:

http://www.antennex.com/sound/stones1210.mp3
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Hope to see you soon!

All the best,

Rosetta (Rosie) Stone

920. OT A Ham's Night Before Christmas

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-09 00:44:40 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 920 Message: 920

I know this is off topic but I will take My chances for that Especially this time of Year , I saw this and Santa told Me to share it And We must give credit to Gary KN4AQ For doing this Great Job

Happy Holidays

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://tinyurl.com/32dj32y

A little holiday cheer from ARVN's KN4AQ. I wrote the poem back in 1996, and recorded an audio version a few years later. In 2009, my friend Don Mercz WA3AYR recorded a Christmas medley on guitar, and I thought it would make a good background for the poem, so I mixed them.

Then I thought "video" (that's my business, you know). But what could I use to illustrate the poem? Live action? Too complicated. Animation? Too extensive.

How about December QST covers? Most years they have a holiday theme. I asked the publisher, and he said "sure!" But the covers didn't have quite enough material, so I turned to the ads to fill things out (and contacted all the advertisers that were still in business - most were from before 1960).

921. Re: [CQCQCQ] OT A Ham's Night Before Christmas

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-10 21:02:31 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 920 Message: 921

I really enjoyed it. Thanks for sharing.
Got me interested into seeing what other holiday ham stuff is out there and I ran across a youtube from 2007 with kids talking to santa. :) To the person who did that one, thanks for a good chuckle.
Signals to Santa
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J_c8OL2kuwA

73

Angie KD8HMS

From: ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wed, December 8, 2010 7:44:40 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] OT A Ham's Night Before Christmas

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922. Happy Holiday

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-11 22:42:02 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 922 Message: 922

Just like to take Time and Wish the Members , Your Family and all Your Friends the Very Best of the Holiday Season

Don KA9QJG

HAPPY HOLIDAYS http://tinyurl.com/y857e4b

923. Weather Service warns of 8-state Midwest blizzard Sun Dec 12, 2010 1:58 am

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-12 08:13:32 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 923 Message: 923

I Live in N/W In Sure hope We do not get this Everyone be safe

73 De Don KA9QJG

Weather Service warns of 8-state Midwest blizzard

[University of Minnesota junior and pep band member Sara Tetrick makes her way to Williams Arena through the snow prior to an NCAA college basketball game between Minnesota and Eastern Kentucky in Minneapolis, Saturday, Dec. 11, 2010. (AP Photo/Ann Heisenfelt)]
<http://www.usatoday.com/news/topstories/2010-12-11-2049960955_x.htm>

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by Ann Heisenfelt, AP

University of Minnesota junior and pep band member Sara Tetrick makes her way to Williams Arena through the snow prior to an NCAA college basketball game between Minnesota and Eastern Kentucky in Minneapolis, Saturday, Dec. 11, 2010. (AP Photo/Ann Heisenfelt)

By Patrick Condon, Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS ☐ Much of the upper Midwest braced for frigid temperatures and heavy snowfall Sunday as the National Weather Service warned of blizzard conditions spanning parts of eight states.

The heavy storm was moving eastward a day after it dumped 20 inches of snow in parts of the region, forcing numerous road closures and even postponing for a day an NFL football game when the New York Giants were unable to get to Minneapolis to play the Minnesota Vikings.

A blizzard warning was in effect Sunday for Chicago and much of northern Illinois, all of Iowa, large sections of southern Minnesota and Wisconsin, and smaller areas in North Dakota, South Dakota, Missouri and Michigan, according to the National Weather Service. Most of the rest of the region was under a winter storm warning or a hard freeze watch. Wisconsin authorities issued a statewide no-travel advisory Saturday, citing blizzard and winter storm warnings in nearly every county.

The weather was an unexpected burden for one Minnesota man who had pledged to camp out on the roof of a coffee shop to help his daughter's

school raise money.

Hospital executive Robert Stevens donned four layers of long underwear, heavy boots and a down coat before embarking on his quest Friday night. He vowed not to come down until he had raised $100,000, but after reaching the halfway mark Saturday morning, he said he hoped the rest of the money would come fast. He didn't look forward to spending another night out in the blizzard.

"I think I've crossed the line into insanity," he said.

Stevens slept inside a tent surrounded by hay bales, swaddled in a double-insulated sleeping bag as he listened to the winds whip off Lake Minnetonka a block away.

There was a bustling lunch crowd Saturday in the Birchwood Cafe in Minneapolis. Collette Dennis, a baker there, was back inside after she and co-workers spent 20 futile minutes trying to free her parked car from a snowdrift. Dennis still hoped to figure out a way to get home to the suburb of Roseville, about 12 miles away -- but she also was prepared to stay put.

The cafe had no cots, Dennis said, "but we have multiple bags of flour I could sleep on. And I guess at least I won't go hungry."

The sinking temperatures were considered even more treacherous than the snow in some places. North Dakota experienced wind chills of 20 degrees below zero Saturday, and the arctic air was expected to drop temperatures below zero by Sunday night throughout the Dakotas and in parts of Iowa, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

Eastern Minnesota's Oakdale area got 20 inches of snow Saturday, according to the National Weather Service. The storm was moving eastward, where it dumped about a foot of snow in Chippewa County in northwestern Wisconsin and was expected to drop 20 to 24 inches by Sunday morning in the Eau Claire area.

Lisa McGrath was shoveling her front walk in southeast Minneapolis, but knew she'd likely have to do it again in a few hours.

"It's good exercise -- the only exercise I'm going to get today," McGrath said as she hoisted the shovel. The State Patrol said 76 crashes were reported statewide, but none with fatalities or serious injuries, and there were 319 reports of vehicles sliding off roads.

"The areas that were hardest hit are virtually impassable," said Minnesota State Patrol Lt. Eric Roeske. "So we don't expect those numbers to go up a whole lot."

The weather also postponed until Monday an NFL football game that had been set for Sunday between the New York Giants and Minnesota Vikings. The Giants were stuck Saturday night in Kansas City, Mo., after their flight was diverted there with the Twin Cities airport closed because

of the snowstorm.

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924. NASA Science News for Dec. 13, 2010

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-14 00:24:21 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 924 Message: 924

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

A global eruption on the sun has shattered old ideas about solar activity. Researchers presented their surprising findings at a press conference today at the American Geophysical Union meeting in San Francisco.

FULL STORY at

http://science.nasa.gov/science-news/science-at-nasa/2010/13dec_globaler\
uption/
<http://science.nasa.gov/science-news/science-at-nasa/2010/13dec_globale\
ruption/>

925. OT International Morse Code, Hand Sending

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-17 21:14:45 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 925 Message: 925

I saw this Old Video and really enjoyed it and thought I would share with the group , Please do not start a CW/VS No CW Debate just set back and enjoy it , nice seeing the Old Equipment I do not recall seeing a Spark Gap on My Old CW Key , In Boot Camp 63 USN They taught CW And How to use a Typewriter at the same Time I Never did either one

Old US Army Morse code Video http://tinyurl.com/264lf7g

National Archives and Records Administration

INTERNATIONAL MORSE CODE, HAND SENDING

Department of Defense. Department of the Army. Office of the Chief Signal Officer. (09/18/1947 - 02/28/1964)

ARC Identifier 36813 / Local Identifier 111-TF-3697. PRINCIPLES AND BASIC TECHNIQUE FOR GOOD, RHYTHMIC SENDING 0F MORSE CODE BY OPERATING THE HAND KEY.

Happy Holidays

Don KA9QJG

926. WCRA Mid-Winter Hamfest Wheaton Il

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-19 03:38:09 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 926 Message: 926

Well if You were bad and Santa did not bring You the Ham Radio
Equipment for Christmas Wee here is a chance to get some Used or Left
over gear .

73 De De Don KA9QJG

The 2011 WCRA Mid-Winter Hamfest will be held at the Kane County
Fairgrounds
Exposition Center in St. Charles, Illinois on Sunday, January 23, 2011.
This is the same location as last year! We're planning a great
hamfest that
will include the usual flea market and commercial vendors but also
several
interesting and informative breakout sessions, on-site VE Testing,
hourly
prizes and more! Hamfest hours are 8am to 1pm and there will be plenty
of
FREE parking.

We're proud to announce that Mr. Joel Hallas, W1ZR, Technical Editor
of QST
and author of "The Doctor Is In" column in QST will be presenting two
forums
at the hamfest. The first will be a Question & Answer session similar to
his
QST column. The "Doctor is In" column in each issue of QST is
very popular
with readers. It accepts Amateur Radio questions from readers and
provides
short and, hopefully, helpful answers. A live "Doctor is In"
session works
the same way. Bring your questions ☐ technical ones are best ☐
and the
"Doctor" will do his best to answer them on the spot. Got a
question for
the 'Doc'? You can submit questions for Mr. Hallas by sending e-mail to:
mailto:askthedoc@... <mailto:askthedoc%40w9ccu.org>

In addition, Mr. Hallas will also present a program on A Comparative
Look at
Multiband Antennas. For some years following WW2, US amateurs had four
HF
bands ☐ 80/75, 40, 20 and 10 meters. A common antenna configuration
in those
days was a separate half wave dipole for each band. Today we have nine

HF
bands, plus a more usable MF band, with the departure of LORAN A from
160
meters. While having a dipole for each band can work as well as it ever
did, most amateurs don't have enough trees, nor enough extra cash
for all
the coax required for nine runs back to the station. There have been
many
multi-band antenna designs proposed over the years as a solution to this
problem. Each offers benefits and limitations that may be important to
users. This presentation will focus on the most popular multi-band wire
antenna designs and discuss the performance tradeoffs of each in
comparison
to a half wave dipole.

Mr. Hallas' presentations will start at 9:30am and run until 11:15.

Flea market tables may be reserved in advance and are $25, $35 with
electricity. Day-Of tables, if available, will be $30, $40 with
electricity. Everyone at your table must have a hamfest admission
ticket.
Advance admission tickets are a bargain at $7 each and include four
prize
stubs! Day-Of tickets will be $9 and have only one prize stub. Children
under 12-years of age are admitted free. Advance tickets can be
purchased
by mail.

Send a self-addressed, stamped envelope along with your name, address,
call
and phone number...plus your check or money order made out to WCRA
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Wheaton, IL 60187-1055

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delivery.

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pl
OR 146.52 simplex.

Questions? Call us at (630) 604-0157 or via e-mail at
mailto:info@... <mailto:info%40w9ccu.org>
or check our website at www.wheatonhamfest.org
<http://www.wheatonhamfest.org/>

Thanks and we hope to see you at the hamfest!

`73

Richard Bauer, N9DKO
Wheaton Community Radio Amateurs

927. Lunar eclipse to coincide with winter solstice for first time in 372 years

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-20 19:22:48 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 927 Message: 927

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

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[lunar.eclipse.jpg]

Tuesday morning's lunar eclipse comes with a twist ☐ for the first time in 372 years, it will coincide with the winter solstice.

The moon is normally illuminated by the sun. During a total lunar eclipse, the full moon passes through the shadow created by the Earth blocking the sun's light. Some indirect sunlight will still manage to pierce through and give the moon a ghostly color

Since the eclipse coincides with winter solstice, the moon will appear high in the sky ☐ a boon for skywatchers. While there have been recent volcanic eruptions, scientists today said there's not enough dust in the atmosphere to dim the eclipse.

The moon will appear red-orange in color during totality (the earth's shadow).

There are two total lunar eclipses in 2011 ☐ in June and December. North America will miss the June show and witness only a part of next December's eclipse.

There won't be nearly as long a wait for the next lunar eclipse during a winter solstice ☐ it's in 2094.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

928. Happy Holidays

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-24 19:21:55 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 928 Message: 928

I wish everyone on the Group Their Family and Friends a Very Happy, Healthy and Safe Holiday Season and Peace around the World And Thank You to our Serviceman and Woman

Enjoy http://tinyurl.com/ylp3bba <http://tinyurl.com/ylp3bba>

73 De Don KA9QJG

Pets too http://tinyurl.com/yjxnhqc <http://tinyurl.com/yjxnhqc>

929. ET shadow experiment International Space Statio

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-27 20:56:50 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 929 Message: 929

FYI

Got this from a Fellow Ham and thought I would also Share the Very Informative info With the Group

73 De Don KA9QJG

I was just informed by a fellow HAM about the ongoing ET shadow experiment on
the ISS. Though the experiment is already on it's way you can still participate.
Have a look at: http://www.astrosurf.com/luxorion/qsl-iss-shadow.htm
<http://www.astrosurf.com/luxorion/qsl-iss-shadow.htm>

See also VK3UKF's report at: http://www.issfanclub.com/node/30116
<http://www.issfanclub.com/node/30116>

quote www.astrosurf.com <http://www.astrosurf.com> :
"History of the project

If the history of the electric engine goes back to several decade, the discover
of the "dead" zone around the plasma engine is quite new.

Fligh-designed alkaline plasma injectors EPICURE.

In 1987 specialists of Central Research Institute of Machine Building (TsNIIMash) conducted a series of space plasma experiments in order to evaluate
the shape of mentioned above "dead" zone using KOSMOS satellites with onboard
arcjet plasma source EPICURE.

The well known method of radio sounding was used for plasma monitoring. The
telemetric and command signals emitted by onboard antennas played a role of
sounding signals. Passed through plasma these signals were simultaneously
received by a number of on-ground measuring sites. The shadow effect was clearly
observed however the precise data on the shadow boundary shape and its dynamics
could not be obtained in the experiments of 1987 since the receiving network was
too rarefied. Deployment of properly dense special receiving network is
extremely expensive and consequently unrealistic.

Therefore the project director thought using the world network of hams.

The role of radio amateurs

Possible solution is to use available worldwide spread network of amateur
working with VHF receivers. This idea was put in the base of an proposal to
perform a new plasma space experiment on the International Space Station (ISS)
almost in the same layout as in 1987.

Onboard beacon operators should be the ones from the ISS crew transmitting a
sounding signal (the onboard beacon), while the on-ground receiving network
operators should be represented by a network constituted of amateur radio like
YOU !

Except the scientific data, realization of the space experiment "Shadow" will
give an unique experience in involving intellectual and technical potential of
the international radio amateur community as well as Internet technology and
resources for monitoring of the near-Earth space and to evaluate capability to
use this potential in perspective scientific projects.

Methodologically SpEx "Shadow" is oriented to using of amateur packet radio and
Internet technology and resources."

Marc, PD4U

930. Wed. Long-Range 2m SSB Nets ☐ WB9LYH on 144.240 and KA0KYZ on 144.230 Tonight

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-30 01:11:46 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 930 Message: 930

FYI
I Will be checking this out and If You like listen too , I just wish
My Beam was Horz by choice lol But 99 Percent is FM Vert
Also like to wish Everyone Their Family and Friends a Healthy , Safe and
Happy New Year

73 De Don KA9QJG
http://kc9bqa.com/ <http://kc9bqa.com/>

Wed. Long-Range 2m SSB Nets ☐ WB9LYH on 144.240 and KA0KYZ on
144.230 Tonight <http://kc9bqa.com/?p=3954>
WB9LYH in EN54 (middle of WI) plans to be ON 144.240 tonight, starting
at 0100Z by looking NE into the U.P. of MI, and then going clockwise, a
full 360 over the next 60-90 minutes.
KA0KYZ in EN33 (far SE MN) plans to be ON 144.230 tonight. Terry
actually starts a little bit earlier, so guys in MI, OH and IN can
concentrate on him from 0045-0100Z, without missing WB9LYH on 144.240.
KA0KYZ also goes clockwise a full 360, and will be happy to take a 2nd
swing, if you ask him to on the on4kst.com real-time VHF chat. (Choose
the IARU Region 2 Chat for 144/432 MHz.) Full instructions for signing
up are at: http://kc9bqa.com/?p=3765 <http://kc9bqa.com/?p=3765>
Let's hope that K8TQK can get some warmer weather in EM89, so he
can get back on 144.250. His antennas have been unable to rotate for
several weeks now. As soon as I hear good news from K8TQK, I'll
share it here.

I know many of you have been helping to spread the word about these
weekly 2m nets. Want to thank you for all the help. Let's keep
attracting new guys to 2m SSB/CW all thru 2011. And yes, re-energize
the veterans to turn their rigs on more often and help keep the bands
active.

ALWAYS remember that even if nets don't interest you, there are
many guys on every Wed. night, across dozens of grids and multiple
states. We encourage our net check-ins to spread out down the band and
call around on their own. So whatever you enjoy doing on 2m, put Wed.
night on the schedule.

931. Happy New Year

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2010-12-31 18:49:29 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 931 Message: 931

Like to Wish Everyone on the Group Their Family and Friends A Safe ,
Healthy and Great Fishing New Year

http://llerrah.com/newyearwishes.htm
<http://llerrah.com/newyearwishes.htm>

http://www.icq.com/img/friendship/static/card_16961_rs.swf
<http://www.icq.com/img/friendship/static/card_16961_rs.swf>

Don KA9QJG

932. ARRL VHF Sweepstakes, Saturday, 1/22, 1900 UTC - Monday, 1/24, 0359 UTC

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-01-15 05:55:02 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 932 Message: 932

FYI

For all You Big Contesters You know who You are

Good luck in the Contest

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.arrl.org/january-vhf-sweepstakes
<http://www.arrl.org/january-vhf-sweepstakes>

Full Contest Details

1. Object:To work as many amateur stations in as many different 2
degrees

x 1 degree grid squares as possible using authorized frequencies above
50 MHz.

Foreign stations work W/VE amateurs only.

2. Date and Contest Period:The date will be announced annually by
the ARRL

but will generally be the third or fourth weekend in January. Begins
1900 UTC Saturday, ends 0359 UTC Monday (January 22-24, 2011).

3. Entry Categories:

1. 3.1. Single Operator.

1. 3.1.1. Low Power

2. 3.1.2. High Power

2. 3.2. Single Operator Portable

3. 3.3. Rover.

1. 3.3.1. Rover

2. 3.3.2. Limited Rover

3. 3.3.3. Unlimited Rover

4. 3.4. Multioperator.

5. 3.5. Limited Multioperator.

4. Exchange:Grid-square locator (see April 1994 QST, p 86).

1. 4.1. Exchange of signal report is optional.

5. Scoring:

1. 5.1. QSO points:

1. 5.1.1. Count one point for each complete 50- or 144-MHz QSO.

2. 5.1.2. Count two points for each 222- or 432-MHz QSO.

3. 5.1.3. Count four points for each 902- or 1296-MHz QSO.

4. 5.1.4. Count eight points for each 2.3 GHz (or higher) QSO.

2. 5.2. Multiplier: The total number of different grid squares worked per

band. Each

3. 2 degrees x 1 degree grid square counts as one multiplier on each band

it is worked.

4. 5.3. Final score: Multiply the total number of QSO points from all

bands operated by the total number of multipliers for final score.

5. 5.4. Rovers only: The final score consists of the total number of QSO

points from all bands times the sum of unique multipliers (grid squares) worked per band (regardless of which grid square they were made in) plus one additional multiplier for every grid square from which they successfully completed a contact.

1. 5.4.1. Rovers are listed in the contest score listings under the

Division from which the most QSOs were made.

6. Reporting:

1. 6.1. Electronic submissions may be emailed to JanuaryVHF@... <mailto:JanuaryVHF@...> and

hand-written paper logs or diskettes mailed to January VHF, ARRL, 225 Main St, Newington, CT06111.

2. 6.2. Entries that have been electronically generated must submit their

log file in the Cabrillo file format. Paper printouts of electronic files are not acceptable substitutes.

3. 6.3. Entries must be emailed or postmarked no later than 0400 UTC

Wednesday, February 23, 2011.

4. 6.4. Entries may be submitted using the web applet at

www.b4h.net/cabforms <http://www.b4h.net/cabforms>

5. 6.5. Rovers who submit scores for the club competition must submit a

second summary sheet indicating QSOs and scoreif they make any contacts from outside of the club territory. Indicate clearly on the summary sheet and in log if the log is the total entry or that portion to be counted for the club score.

7. Miscellaneous:

1. 7.1. Stations may be worked for credit only once per band from any

given grid square, regardless of mode. This does not prohibit working a station

from more than one grid square with the same call sign (such as a Rover).

2. 7.2. Only one signal per band (6, 2, 11/4, etc) at any given time is

permitted, regardless of mode.

3. 7.3. Multi-operator stations may not include QSOs with their own

operators except on frequencies higher than 2.3 GHz. Even then, a complete,

different station (transmitter, receiver and antenna) must exist for each QSO

made under these conditions.

8. Awards:Certificates will be awarded in the following categories:

1. 8.1. Single operator.

1. 8.1.1. Top single operator in each ARRL/RAC Section for high and low

power.

2. 8.1.2. Top single operator on each band (50, 144, 222, 432, 902, 1296

and 2304-and-up categories) in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort

or competition is evident. (Note: Since the highest score per band will be the

award winner for that band, an entrant may win a certificate with additional

single-band endorsements.) For example, if KA1RWY has the highest

single-operator all-band score in the CT Section and her 50- and 222-MHz scores

are higher than any other CT single operator s, she will earn a certificate for

being the single-operator Section leader and endorsements for 50 and 222 MHz.

2. 8.2. Top single-operator portable in each ARRL/RAC Section where

significant effort or competition is evident. (Single operator portable entries

are not eligible for single-band awards.)

3. 8.3. Top rover in each ARRL Division and Canada where significant

effort or competition is evident. (Rover entries are not eligible for

single-band awards.)

4. 8.4. Top multi-operator score in each ARRL/RAC Section where

significant effort or competition is evident. (Multioperator entries are not

eligible for single-band awards.)

5. 8.5. Top limited multioperator in each ARRL/RAC Section where

significant effort or competition is evident. (Limited multioperator entries

are not eligible for single-band awards.)

6. 8.6. Top DX stations where significant effort or competition is evident.

9. Other:

1. 9.1. See General Rules for All ARRL Contests and General Rules for

ARRL Contests on bands above 50 MHz (VHF) in November 2001 QST

2. 9.2. For more information contact contests@...
<mailto:contests@...> or (860) 594-0232.

933. OT Good Buy Alert

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-01-16 23:33:08 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 933 Message: 933

Sorry if this Post twice

I normally have just buy a Few cheap rolls of tape at a Hamfest until I started using Great Quality Tape like Scotch 33 Plus , So this is a Great Buy Alert at Menards

Listed in Sundays Paper as 3M super 33 Plus ¾ x450'

Price

$1.99 each no Rebate crap

73De Don KA9QJG `

Scotch®Super 33+□ Vinyl Electrical Tape, 3/4" x 20'

Stickier, stretchier and highly conformable, a premium grade, 7-mil tape. Flame retardant, hot and cold weather resistant, Super 33+ resists UV rays, abrasion, moisture, alkalies, acids and corrosion. Use as a primary insulation for wire cables splices up to 600V, and for fixture and wire splices up to 1kV.

[3M 054007-06133 Super 33+ Electrical Tape - 3/4'' x 52']

934. OT Good Buy Alert

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-01-16 21:58:05 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 934 Message: 934

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Listed in Sundays Paper as 3M super 33 Plus ¾ x450' Now if that is 450 Long this is a Great Deal

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Stickier, stretchier and highly conformable, a premium grade, 7-mil tape. Flame retardant, hot and cold weather resistant, Super 33+ resists UV rays, abrasion, moisture, alkalies, acids and corrosion. Use as a primary insulation for wire cables splices up to 600V, and for fixture and wire splices up to 1kV.

[3M 054007-06133 Super 33+ Electrical Tape - 3/4'' x 52']

935. OT it is a Hobby Lighten Up

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-01-24 19:46:24 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 935 Message: 935

Yes I know it is Off topic But I just had to share this I can tell You this after 43 Yrs this would of been My X Wife

Enjoy http://tinyurl.com/46fr6yl

73 De Don KA9QJG

936. Re: [CQCQCQ] OT it is a Hobby Lighten Up

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-01-24 20:43:14 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 935 Message: 936

Don,

Thanks for sharing. I'm trying SO hard not to laugh while listening.

73 Angie KD8HMS

From: ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Mon, January 24, 2011 2:46:24 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] OT it is a Hobby Lighten Up

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after 43 Yrs this would of been My X Wife

Enjoy http://tinyurl.com/46fr6yl

73 De Don KA9QJG

937. RE: [CQCQCQ] OT it is a Hobby Lighten Up

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-01-24 20:53:58 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 935 Message: 937

That is why it Might Be a Great Idea to also have a Wife or Husband also a Ham

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Angelica
Sent: Monday, January 24, 2011 2:43 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] OT it is a Hobby Lighten Up

Don,

Thanks for sharing. I'm trying SO hard not to laugh while listening.

73 Angie KD8HMS

From: ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Mon, January 24, 2011 2:46:24 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] OT it is a Hobby Lighten Up

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Enjoy http://tinyurl.com/46fr6yl

73 De Don KA9QJG

938. Re: [CQCQCQ] OT it is a Hobby Lighten Up

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-01-26 20:57:24 UTC
From: Donna Magee
Topic: 935 Message: 938

Hi all, this is reversed for us, I am the net, ares,traffic, skywarn geeky women but I have to beg my husband for equipment. He is also licensed but not into it like I am.
I am going to have fun with this when I show it to my husband!!! :^) 73

Donna KB1RPP

"Space and time are not conditions in which we live; they are simply modes in which we think." - Albert Einstein

On Jan 24, 2011, at 3:53 PM, ka9qjg wrote:

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> That is why it Might Be a Great Idea to also have a Wife or Husband also a Ham
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> 73 De Don KA9QJG
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> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Angelica
> Sent: Monday, January 24, 2011 2:43 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] OT it is a Hobby Lighten Up
>

939. OT FS: Vintage Electronic, Radio & Test Eq. Catalogs Sun Jan 30, 2011 4:26 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-01-30 22:37:14 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 939 Message: 939

FYI

In Case someone on here may need something I do not normally post OT
Unless I think it is something that others could also use .

73 De Don KA9QJG

AND MORE Also Check His Site lots of good stuff
http://qsl.net/wc6w/wc6wfsw/index.html
<http://qsl.net/wc6w/wc6wfsw/index.html>

*** Diodes ***

*** New in Factory Packaging Diodes ***

1N270 GI package of 25 -- $25
IN540 TI Rectifier -- $2 ea
1N658 TI (5) -- $2 ea
1N963B Hughes Aircraft (Newport Beach!) -- 9 parts remaining in a 10
pack -- $10
1N1200 Mot Rectifier -- $2 ea
1N1202A GE Rectifier -- $2 ea
1N1223 Westinghouse Rectifier -- $2 ea
1N1627 IR (2) -- $5 for the pair; attached
1N3289 GE 100A, 200PIV, DO-8, rectifier -- $10
2N4103 RCA SCR -- $10
3N81 GE Tiny SCR -- $3

ECG135A -- $1

C103Y GE SCR (10) -- $2 ea

MR1120 Mot Rectifier -- $2

MCR2604-2 Mot SCR -- $2

Motorola 942-2 Bridge rectifier -- $2

*** NOS Diodes ***

U09 Texas Instruments $5 ea
1N93 -- $ 1ea
1N248A -- $ 3

1N253 -- $ 1ea
1N341 -- $ 1ea
1N537 -- $ 1ea
1N538 -- $ 1ea
1N539 -- $ 1ea
1N540 -- $ 1ea
1N561 -- $ 2ea
1N598 -- $ 1ea
1N608A -- $ 2ea
1N640 -- $ 1ea

1N1095 -- $ 1ea
1N1117 300V 600mA rectifier -- $1
1N1189A (Westinghouse) Lambda House numbered FBL 00 087 -- 40A, 500V, DO-5 package. $4ea.
1N1217 -- $ 1ea
1N1692 -- $ 1ea
1N1695 400V 250mA rectifier -- two for $1
1N1733M 3KV 350mA rectifiers -- two for $4
1N1763A -- $ 1ea

1N2519R -- $ 1ea
1N2847 -- $ 1ea
1N2859 -- $ 1ea
1N3209 stud mount rectifier, GE-- $4 ea
1N3210 stud mount rectifier, Motorola -- $4 ea
1N3659 press fit rectifier, Motorola -- $2ea

1N4385 -- $ 1ea
1N4942 -- $ 1ea
1N4998 -- $ 1ea

2N1183 RCA SCR -- $5 ea

2N3228 RCA SCR -- $5 ea

2N4101 RCA SCR -- $10 ea

CG125 -- $1ea

MK1V135 Motorola SIDAC's -- $ 1ea

MR1120, 12A, 50V stud mount rectifier -- $1ea

S3714S RCA SCR -- $10 ea

Unknown Mfgr. hermetically sealed rectifier assemblies: V-122 & BU1017
$2 ea

General Electric
4JA411DB3AD1 Bridge Rectifer Assembly (600V PIV 3.6A?) $10

HV diodes -- House numbered parts (about 1/4" square by 2" long)
probably rated at least 30 KV PIV (and perhaps 50mA) as they exhibit a
28V forward drop @ 10 mA. NOS -- $5 ea.

International Rectifier
D-1047 467106-1 Glass cartridge rectifiers. 3 pieces for $15
1N2156 200V 20A stud mount. NOS, three for $3

Motorola rectifiers
2ea MR1201FL & MR1201FLR (a bridge worth) 50A, 100PIV, plate mounted.
NOS -- $10 all four
4ea SR1981H-2 750A, 100PIV large 3/4" stud mount rectifiers, likely NOS.
-- $100 all four

Sarkes-Tarzian
M150 cartridge rectifiers -- 6 for $10
Cartridge rectifiers, $2 ea:
20LA
10LF/1N1089
30L
30LF
40LF
10M/1N1081
20M/1N1082

*** 50 Watt Zener Diodes, TO-3 case ***
All checked on a TEK curve tracer -- $10 each

OEM number 5V (measured @ 2A) (one)
1N2804A 6.8V 10% NOS
1N3336B 68V 5% NOS (4 left)
1N2840B 110V 5% Pulls (2 left)

*** Microwave Diodes -- NOS ***

IMPATT Diodes -- individually packaged with test data
NEC ND8P15-5H-C 1W @ 14.8 GHz -- $15 ea
NEC ND8V12TU 2.5W @ 12.6 GHz -- $30 (one only)
Loral GC-5831E 300mw @ 12.5 Ghz -- $10 ea

Sylvania D5163. Microwave Mixer Diodes (I think!) -- NOS in original
capsule packaging 4 pcs -- $10 all

*** Used Diodes ***

1N250A -- $1
C156D, 110A, 400V Inverter SCR's. $10ea.
1N2155 rectifiers, 25A, 100PIV. Four for $5.

International Rectifier
KSAP17DBF Selenium rectifier -- $3

Motorola
1N3212R stud mount rectifier -- $2
SCR368 SCR -- $3ea

Sarkes-Tarzian
1N2389 1600V 600ma Octal plug-in replacement for 5U4, 5AU4, 5AW4, 5AZ4, 5T4, 5Y3 rectifiers etc. Used, checked at 1600V PIV. $10

Westcode -- NL-S350CR120
350A, 1200V, SCR large stud (1-3/4" Hex / 3/4" threads) package, weigh over a pound each. RFE & tested $35ea. or 6 for $150

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http://qsl.net/wc6w/wc6wfsw/index.html
<http://qsl.net/wc6w/wc6wfsw/index.html>

Alert!! Microsoft IE8 or IE9 may not properly display my webpage. It may help if you click on the "Tools" menu and select "Compatibility Settings". Then check the "Display all websites in compatibility view" box. Firefox & Chrome displays it fine, as does IE6 & IE7.

73 & Good morning,
Marv WC6W

From: KA9QJGREPEATERS@yahoogroups.com
[mailto:KA9QJGREPEATERS@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg1
Sent: Sunday, January 30, 2011 4:28 PM
To: KA9QJGREPEATERS@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [KA9QJGREPEATERS] FS: Vintage Electronic, Radio & Test Eq. Catalogs Sun Jan 30, 2011 4:26 pm

*** Vintage Electronic Catalogs ***
These are all originals -- Priced as shown

Allied Electronics

#660 Industrial 1965 -- $10
#250B 1966 -- $10

Aluma Towers Brochure AT-16 & order blank/price list, 1986 -- $7

Amphenol Bulletin No. 59-J -- September 1939. Good condition, 6 pages, $7

Andrew Rigid Coaxial Transmission Lines -- Catalog R & price list, 1960. $3

Bud Radio Parts -- General Catalog #140 (1940?). Cover worn around the edges, insides good. 36 pages. $15

Collins Mechanical Filters General Catalog -- Bulletin 1007. 1960?. Very good condition, 15 pages. $15

Cornell-Dubilier Capacitors -- Catalog #161, 1938-39. Very good condition, 39 pages. $15

Cushcraft
Ringo Antennas AR-2, AR-25, AR-220, AR-450 -- $3
Ringo Rangers ARX-2, ARX-220, ARX-450 -- $3
HF-VHF-UHF Amateur Antennas Catalog no. A12 -- $7
Drake
FET Converters flyer (early 1970's?) -- $2
Filter flyer (early 1970's?) -- $2
W-4 & WV-4 Wattmeters flyer(early 1970's?) -- $2
Eimac -- Tube catalog. Two binder set circa 1985 in two large yellow Eimac 3 ring binders. Includes data sheets from 1976 edition and it appears to have been updated with a few later data sheets plus there are some very early ones. Sections include: Diodes, Planar Triodes, Triodes, Tetrodes, Pentodes, Pulse Tubes, Other products: cavities, vacuum relays & sockets. Very good condition. -- $200

Hadley Transformers -- Catalog No. T6, no date but, looks pre-WW2. Good condition, 15 pages. $15

Heights Manufacturing
Radiotowers flyer -- $1
Telescoping Radiotowers flyer -- $1
Henry Radio -- 4K-2 Commercial Linear Amp. flyer (late 1960's?) -- $3

Hewlett Packard
Test Equipment 1965 -- $30
Test Equipment 1970 -- $20
Test Equipment 1973 -- $20
Test Equipment 1983 -- $15
Test Equipment 1985 -- $15
Test Equipment 1994 -- $10
Test Equipment 1997 -- $7
Test Equipment 1998 -- $7
Test Equipment 1999 -- $7
Test Equipment 2000 (Agilent) -- $7
420A/420B Crystal Detectors Technical Data 6/64 -- $2
423A Crystal Detector Technical Data 2/65 -- $2
608E Specifications (typed/copy) -- $1
608F Specifications (typed/copy) -- $1
8405A Technical Data 6/66 -- $5
8406A Technical Data 11/65 -- $2
8410A, 8411A, 8413A, 8414A, 8740A, 8741A, 8742A Technical Data 12/67 (copy) -- $2
8491A Technical Data 1/66 -- $2
8708A Specifications (handwritten/copy) -- $1
8743A Reflection/Transmission Test Unit Advance Information 3/68 -- $1
11720A Pulse Modulator Technical Data 9/80 -- $2

Hughes Aircraft
Components Catalog #3. August 1965 -- $7
Components Catalog #5. September 1969 -- $7
Electronic Purchased Parts Catalog. January 1976 -- $7
Hustler
1979 Amateur & Commercial Antennas Catalog -- $1
1980 Amateur & Professional Antennas Catalog -- $1
Hycon -- Crystal Filter Catalog, 1957 -- $5

Hy-Gain -- 1977 Amateur Antenna Price List -- $1

International Crystal Catalog. Includes a description of their MC-24 microwave oven! Very good condition. 1970. $7

J.J. Glass -- Catalog no. 135. This was a Surplus outlet in downtown LA in the 1960's. Excellent condition. 32 pages. $10

EF Johnson
Electronic products catalog #978. No date but, looks like late 1950's. Good condition, previous owners name written on front, 20 pages. $15
Radio Transmitting Equipment catalog #967. No date but, text suggests wartime publication. Fair condition, 8 pages. $15
Magnecord
Parts/Price list (1966) -- $3
Parts/Price list (1971) -- $3
J.W. Miller -- Catalog #60, front & back cover loose, otherwise in good condtion. 43 pages, 1960. $10

Mini-Products, Inc. -- Minature Transmitting Antenna catalog -- $5

Mosley
A-203-C Flyer -- $1
A-310, A-315, A-320 Flyer -- $1
TA-20-40 Flyer -- $1
Cubical Quads Flyer -- $2
1963 Antennas & Accessories Price List -- $2
1967 Amateur Price Sheet -- $2
Amateur Antennas catalog no. H-174 -- $7
Newark Electronics
Catalog #75 1964 -- corner damaged covers & the first few pages -- $10
Catalog #110 1988 -- $10
Catalog #113 1994 -- $10
Phelps Dodge Communications
Antenna Systems catalog 176 & price list. 1976 -- $3
Antenna Systems short form catalog 877, 1977 -- $1
Radio Mfg. Engineers -- RME-99 Receiver flyer -- $2

Roberts -- Two sided flyer listing all? their tape recorders & accessories including prices, 1966 -- $5

Taylor Tubes -- T-55 data sheet, a bit rough -- $1

Tektronix Test Equipment Catalogs
1997/1998 -- $7
1998/1999 -- $7
2000 -- $7
Telrex Catalog PL-77 plus catalog CT-3, bulletin BA-3 & Big Bertha bulletin. All copyright 1962 -- $10 all

TET Antenna Systems Short Form Catalog -- $3

Thordarson Transformer -- catalog #400-C Fall-Winter/1938-39. Fair condition. 24 pages. Plus poor condition catalog #400 A (cover separated/back page or two missing) -- $15 both

Tri-Ex Towers Guyed Crank-Up & Self Supporting Crank-Up Towers. Two Catalogs. Guessing 1960's era from the prices -- $3

Universal Electronic Supply -- Catalog no. 132. December 1964. This was a New/Surplus outlet in downtown LA in the 1960's. Excellent condition. 32 pages. $7

More stuff for sale may be seen at:

http://qsl.net/wc6w/wc6wfsw/index.html
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73 & Good morning,
Marv WC6W

940. North Dakota on

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-02-14 22:25:58 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 940 Message: 940

I am 14.280 & looking for contacts

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy
Mountrail County (ND) ARES/RACES

<mailto:kc0jpo@...> kc0jpo@...

"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

941. RE: [CQCQCQ] North Dakota on

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-02-14 23:00:03 UTC
From: James M. (Jim) Geidl
Topic: 940 Message: 941

All I get is some stations speaking in Spanish.

James "Jim" M. Geidl, K6JMG
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Sent: Monday, February 14, 2011 2:26 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] North Dakota on

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942. RE: [CQCQCQ] North Dakota on

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-02-14 23:06:36 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 940 Message: 942

I tried from N/W Indiana 100 Watts from my Ol Kenwood TS-850S Into a
Full Size 75 Meter Loop 30 Ft off the ground Herard a lot of Noise

Good Luck

Don KA9QJG

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943. RE: [CQCQCQ] North Dakota on

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-02-14 23:07:50 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 940 Message: 943

Well James that is coming close as the number 1 lang

73 de Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
James M. (Jim) Geidl
Sent: Monday, February 14, 2011 5:00 PM
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Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] North Dakota on

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944. RE: [CQCQCQ] North Dakota on

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-02-14 23:41:39 UTC
From: James M. (Jim) Geidl
Topic: 940 Message: 944

Don,

It is becoming very prevalent but I don't speak Spanish therefore there was no point in trying to enter into a QSO.

Jim

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946. Contact Cleaner

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-02-16 19:22:27 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 946 Message: 946

Recently when I buy contact cleaner at Hamfest , and other places When I go to use it the Compression is out and I do not get any spray , I recently met a repair tech and Have read the listed Contact cleaner below r is really great and safe on plastic , I had to order a mic plug from Mouser and thought I Would also order this , But they do not list it in doing a Search and reading the reviews I actually saw it listed a Radio Shack so I called and they actually have it in stock So I will be picking some up today
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http://www.caig.com/ <http://www.caig.com/>
[DeoxIT☐/ProGold☐ Twin Pack]
<http://www.radioshack.com/product/index.jsp?productId=2104746#>
DeoxIT☐/ProGold☐ Twin PackModel: No model information available
| Catalog #: 64-4338

947. ARRL Inter. DX Contest, SSB: 0000Z, Mar 5 to 2400Z, Mar 6

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-02 20:09:10 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 947 Message: 947

Here is a contest for you to pick up a few countries that you may need for your log,dxcc,etc.Remember that many of these stations working the contest are contest stations with big antenna`s with big ears...ARRL Inter. DX Contest, SSB: 0000Z, Mar 5 to 2400Z, Mar 6
Norm/Kb9ygd [:))]

948. This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-07 18:53:47 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 523 Message: 948

Kb9ygd ARRL Inter. DX Contest, SSB: 0000Z, Mar 5 to 2400Z, Mar 6
contest log
<http://www.facebook.com/notes/norman-p-triantafilos/kb9ygd-arrl-inter-d\
x-contest-ssb-0000z-mar-5-to-2400z-mar-6-contest-log/196155717071538>
START-OF-LOG: 2.0 CREATED-BY:KB9YGD ARRL International DX Log 2.7
ARRL-SECTION: IN CONTEST: ARRL-DX-SSB... The above link is on my
facebook page and may require you to login...

949. Ten Meters WIDE Open!!!!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-07 19:00:16 UTC
From: rickzolla
Topic: 949 Message: 949

I just copied 20 beacons in the last 10 minutes.

Great propagation. Have Fun!!

Rick N6NKN

950. Reply to Rick/N6nkn from Norm/Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-07 22:40:51 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 950 Message: 950

Yeah Rick i worked the arrl Idx ssb contest the 5/6th and worked stations all over the world on 10m and just got through working Xe1yfs on 28.120.150 psk31 so its open good and we all have been waitin` fer this.

73

Norm/Kb9ygd

[Just Cause You Have A Ticket Doesnt Make You An Amateur Radio Operator!]

951. Re: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Rick/N6nkn from Norm/Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-08 00:26:30 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 950 Message: 951

Shoot... I built a 10 meter antenna and am READY to deploy it... but waiting for the snow to melt... Now I wish I had braved the winter snows... Just hoping it will melt soon. I do not like using ladders on ice covered surfaces.

Nice going for you guys !!

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 3/7/2011 5:40 PM, Norm wrote:
>
>
> *Yeah Rick i worked the arrl Idx ssb contest the 5/6th and worked
> stations all over the world on 10m

952. RE: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Rick/N6nkn from Norm/Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-08 00:51:32 UTC
From: James M. (Jim) Geidl
Topic: 950 Message: 952

Richards,

You are guaranteed that the antenna will work directly proportional to the nastiness of the weather and the danger involved in installing it.

James "Jim" M. Geidl, K6JMG

No trees were harmed in the sending of this message; however, a large number of electrons were terribly inconvenienced.

> -----Original Message-----
> From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
> On Behalf Of Richards
> Sent: Monday, March 07, 2011 4:27 PM
> To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Rick/N6nkn from Norm/Kb9ygd
>
> Shoot... I built a 10 meter antenna and am READY to deploy it... but
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953. Re: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Rick/N6nkn from Norm/Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-08 00:57:43 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 950 Message: 953

Well.... that's true. I guess I should just buck up and take
the chance.

Or get a kid in the neighborhood to do it...

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 3/7/2011 7:51 PM, James M. (Jim) Geidl wrote:
> Richards,
>
> You are guaranteed that the antenna will work directly proportional to the
> nastiness of the weather and the danger involved in installing it.
>
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954. Re: [CQCQCQ] Contact Cleaner

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-11 20:57:23 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 946 Message: 954

Don
How did it work? I used to use Deoxit, but not the gold. I heard the gold messes up the ham radios.

73 Angela KD8HMS

From: ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...>
To: CQCQCQ@...m
Sent: Wed, February 16, 2011 2:22:27 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Contact Cleaner

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DeoxIT™/ProGold™ Twin Pack
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955. RE: [CQCQCQ] Contact Cleaner

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-11 22:22:15 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 946 Message: 955
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Hello Angelica , I forgot to Repot the Info This Is a Bad Deal at Radio Shack I have seen bigger tubes of Lipstick the what they offer The Gold id Bad for the Things We use it for in Ham radio , A ham friend told Me to check out http://www.guitarcenter.com/

You can check on Locations to see if one is Near You , It was a Great Experience just looking around in the Store lots of Things We could use in Ham Radio Microphones , EQ Etc The can was large and a In store Special of only $ 9.99 , I bought 3 Cans gave one to a Disabled Ham Friend and I had some old Radios with scratchy sounding Vol Etc Pots I sprayed them and they are like new now Great stuff , I found My Old Kenwood MC-60 Mic that had quit working looked on the Bottom and saw a Slide switch Preamp in and Preamp out Well I sprayed it and Now it works like new The Switch was dirty in the Middle so the Mic would not work at all.

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.guitarcenter.com/CAIG-DeoxIT-D5S-6-Spray--Contact-Cleaner---Rejuvenator--5-oz--101175859-i1134929.gc

http://images.guitarcenter.com/products/optionSmall/CAIG/412833.jpg

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Angelica
Sent: Friday, March 11, 2011 2:57 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
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956. Re: [CQCQCQ] Contact Cleaner

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-12 23:39:17 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 946 Message: 956
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Don,

I bought Precision Electronics cleaner. Is like the nongold DeOxit.
It's pretty good too.

73 Angie KD8HMS

From: ka9qjg <KA9QJG@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Fri, March 11, 2011 5:22:15 PM
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957. JT65 digital HF Mode

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-17 19:03:00 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 957 Message: 957

JT65 HF JT65A HF Frequencies Frequency Information - Digital Mode Software Download <http://hflink.com/jt65/> hflink.com JT65A is a weak signal digital mode for ham radio QSO. This site describes the use of HF frequencies for JT65A. HFLINK is the international resource for High Frequency Communications, HF Digital Messaging, Emergency / Disaster Relief, Interoperative HF Communications, HF Networking, Ham Radio.
For my amateur radio friends in CQ CQ looking for a qso who work digital and have their tranceiver and computer interfaced with a suitable interface such as a rigblaster,signal link,etc here is a free program that you will like its JT65 HF and decodes JT65 signals on hf that are below the noise and many times not audioable or able to be seen on the waterfall.
The exchange is structured with this program and it will listen for about 2 minuts and then decode all that it hears then display the lines it decodes as CQ in yellow and other`s in green or gray and all you have to do is doubleclick on the line and it will move your xmit/recve cusor to the proper section of the waterfall and start the xmission.
I have worked this mode on many hf bands and it is amazing how well it works as i have worked england and germany with only 10 watts of rf power.

Also i am availabe for skeds on most all modes if you need IN or a certain mode for an award,etc.

73,Norm/Kb9ygd [:))]

[cwgif2.gif]

958. Kb9ygd VAQP Contest Log 2011

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-21 18:32:04 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 958 Message: 958

Kb9ygd VAQP Contest Log 3-19/20-11
<http://www.facebook.com/notes/norman-p-triantafilos/kb9ygd-vaqp-contest\
-log-3-1920-11/199496303404146> START-OF-LOG: 2.0 CREATED-BY: KB9YGD
VA State QSO Party Program 1.2 CALLSIGN: KB9YGD ARRL-SECTION: IN C...
START-OF-LOG: CREATED-BY: KB9YGD VA State QSO Party Program 1.3
CALLSIGN: KB9YGD
ARRL-SECTION: IN
CONTEST: State QSO Party - VA
CATEGORY: SINGLE-OP LOW
CLUB-NAME: n/a
CLAIMED-SCORE: 4634
LICENSE CLASS:
TOTAL COUNTIES AND CITIES: 39
TOTAL PHONE CONTACTS: 50
TOTAL CW AND DIGITAL CONTACTS: 28
TOTAL VA MOBILE CONTACTS: 0
BONUS POINTS FOR K4NVA CONTACT: 500
OPERATORS:
NAME: Norman P.Triantafilos
ADDRESS: 2634 Warren Street
ADDRESS: Lake Station,In.46405
ADDRESS: (e-mail) kb9ygd(at)gmail(dot)com
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/NoonTimeFourm/post?postID=BjgD_DgbgW9-G_c\
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SOAPBOX: tu all fer all the fun in the 2011 VAQP es 73 de kb9ygd
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PAG
QSO: 7000 CW 2011-03-19 1813 KB9YGD 002 IN K4OSO 11
HAN
QSO: 7000 CW 2011-03-19 1825 KB9YGD 003 IN W4YE 23
FRX
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BED
QSO: 7000 CW 2011-03-19 1846 KB9YGD 005 IN K4C 9
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LEE
QSO: 7000 CW 2011-03-19 1925 KB9YGD 007 IN N4DJ 32
HAX
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LDN
QSO: 7000 CW 2011-03-19 1939 KB9YGD 009 IN K0ZR 124
LDN
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LDN

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HAN
QSO: 7000 CW 2011-03-19 2001 KB9YGD 012 IN K4MSG 44
LDN
QSO: 7000 CW 2011-03-19 2023 KB9YGD 013 IN W4VA 173
FAU
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2030 KB9YGD 014 IN W4BUE 32
DIN
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2033 KB9YGD 015 IN W4RKC 171
WIX
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2039 KB9YGD 016 IN W4KGC 170
KGE
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2043 KB9YGD 017 IN K2LEK/4 79
LDN
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2047 KB9YGD 018 IN W4VA 211
FAU
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2050 KB9YGD 019 IN KI4JQB 80
FFX
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2053 KB9YGD 020 IN K4XDX 68
HAN
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2056 KB9YGD 021 IN KI4TXP 99
LDN
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2100 KB9YGD 022 IN KK4R 44
YOR
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2104 KB9YGD 023 IN W4HZ 226
GOO
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2109 KB9YGD 024 IN AF4MO 32
FFX
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2121 KB9YGD 025 IN W2SKI 022
CHE
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2123 KB9YGD 026 IN WA3UEA 46
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SHA
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ALB
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2226 KB9YGD 030 IN W4HFH 194
BHM
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2229 KB9YGD 031 IN W4KKN 377
PRW
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2246 KB9YGD 032 IN KJ4AUW 88
PIT
QSO: 7000 PH 2011-03-19 2300 KB9YGD 033 IN K4KDJ 99
MON
QSO: 7000 CW 2011-03-19 2331 KB9YGD 034 IN K4XY 152
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GOO
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ROX
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PRW
QSO: 3500 PH 2011-03-20 2331 KB9YGD 070 IN W4COV 57
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QSO: 3500 PH 2011-03-20 2337 KB9YGD 071 IN K4NVA 478
LDN
QSO: 3500 CW 2011-03-20 2350 KB9YGD 072 IN N4VA 258
FFX
QSO: 3500 CW 2011-03-20 2355 KB9YGD 073 IN K4ORD 276
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QSO: 3500 CW 2011-03-20 2357 KB9YGD 074 IN W4PM 462
HAN
QSO: 3500 CW 2011-03-20 2359 KB9YGD 075 IN N4PD 579
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QSO: 3500 CW 2011-03-21 0002 KB9YGD 076 IN K4MSG 339
LDN
QSO: 3500 CW 2011-03-21 0005 KB9YGD 077 IN K4OSO 273
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END-OF-LOG: I also worked 9 stations cw/ssb in the OKQP but the bands
were so bad this year that i didnt make as many qso`s as i would have
liked in either of the qso parties.
Norm/Kb9ygd
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959. Ham Radio Deluxe Digital Suite

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-22 16:30:39 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 959 Message: 959

by Norman P. Triantafilos
<http://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=1046633402> on Monday, March 21, 2011 at 5:26pm
To my friends in Cq Cq looking for a qso,I dont know if you are equipped to do the digital modes but if you are here is a link to Ham Radio Deluxe and the many programs it incliudes such as DM-780 which has no equals in working the digital modes except for just a few modes which it doest work such as packet,JT65,etc.

Included in the HRD suite are many other programs such as its logbook which you can connect to DM-780 which will allow you to log ur qso`s within your HRD logbook on your computer and if you set it up correctly it will automaticaly upload them to your web based logbook at hrdlog.net which you will have to signup for to use and all this is free but you must spend the time required to set this all up...

HRD will also upload you contacts to arrl LOTW and Eqsl if you configure it to do so

It will also read your radios data via CAT and display this in DM-780 which is useful because it will put in the frequency,band,etc you are on making it easy to use and log in ur hrd log but you do have to connect your tranceiver to your computer and select the baud rate(4800.9600,157,600) in the program and your radio`s menue and also select a com port for PTT radio control.Most radios use a serial (db-9) data (rs232) cable but i use the yaesu ft-847 which uses a serial db-9 crossover cable aka a null modem cable where pins 2 and 3 are crossed.

This program is complex and will require you to spend a lot of time configuring it but if you have patient`s you will be rewarded..If you dont i would sugest you use something else.

Ham Radio Deluxe (HRD) is a suite of free Windows programs providing computer control for commonly used transceivers and receivers. HRD also includes mapping, satellite tracking and the digital mode programDigital Master 780 (DM780).

Norm/Kb9ygd [O:)]

http://www.ham-radio-deluxe.com <http://www.ham-radio-deluxe.com/>

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960. [TVRO] Sat Talk Live @ 9 PM EDT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-23 20:53:34 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 960 Message: 960

FYI
I use to have a BUD Bug Ugly Dish 8 Ft C/KU Band Sat System But a Tornado and an a Tree took it down . I never did replace it But I really enjoyed searching the Sky and finding Live Un edited News Feeds the Stuff that could not show on TV . I still understand there is a lot of FREE FTA Free To Air Signals Here is Some info of a Show that if You like you can check out

Check Your Time Zone [TVRO] Sat Talk Live @ 9 PM EDT
73 De Don KA9QJG

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All About Radio & TV
Please Note Our New Program Line-up on Wednesday Evening Starting at 6:45 PM Eastern Time.
· 6:45 PM ET: This Week in Radio Tech
Each week, you get a new show with current news, commentary, ideas, fun, and tips help broadcast engineers.It's mostly about radio engineering, but TV and other audio engineers will find the podcasts useful, too.
· 8 PM ET: Home Theater Geeks
Scott Wilkinson, online editor of UltimateAVmag.com and HomeTheaterMag.com, interviews the leaders and pioneers behind today's home theater technology.
· 9 PM ET: Sat Talk Live
All about satellite TV. A Weekly Live Braodcast with Mike Kohl and Ralf Black. We talk about the latest in satellite technologies, programming on satellite, and take your calls. If you like to know more about your Free-to-Air, C- or Ku-band, DirecTV or Dishnetwork system, join our conversation by calling
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· 11 PM ET: HDTV and Home Theater Podcast
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Transponder: 23
Polarity: Vertical (V)
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Symbol Rate: 22.425
FEC: 3/4
Audio PID 1794 E

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Low Quality 24Kbps Dial-up

961. OT Motorola HF Base and More

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-23 23:57:56 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 961 Message: 961

FYI

For the People who Know Me I like anything Motorola I have a 224.740 and 444.750 Modified Commercial Ham Repeaters on the Air

I did Not Know Motorola was still Making HF radios But mostly for the Military I bet they are pretty High , On The Link take a look at some of the ants made for the Military I like the NVIS Broadband one http://www.mobat-usa.com/ <http://www.mobat-usa.com/>

73 De Don KA9QJG

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Updated: 01 May 2009

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962. it's open!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-24 19:57:22 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 962 Message: 962

As of this writing 10 is open into Aruba/South America and California!

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

963. RE: [CQCQCQ] it's open!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-24 20:48:01 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 962 Message: 963

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of worksntv@...

As of this writing 10 is open into Aruba/South America and California!

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

Thanks for Posting Bob , Also Here is a 10 Meter Beacon List

73 De Don KA9QJG

10 METER BEACON LIST

TEN METER PROPAGATION BEACONS
20 March 2011 17:00 Z

C=CONTINUOUS I=INTERMITTENT #=CONFIRMED AS ACTIVE OR HEARD
(*)=NCDXF/IARU BCN [SEE END OF LIST]
Beacons un-reported past year w/no Email contact will be determined QRT

FREQ. CALL OPERATION LOCATION OPER NOTES
28.1154 PY4YYF ? BELO HORIZONTE, MG BR # 15W VERTICAL
28.165 FY1FV ? CACAO, FRENCH GUIANA # ?, ? NEW
28.166 XE2NS C ALLENDE, NL, MEXICO # 4W, VERTICAL NEW 30 Aug
2010
28.1674 LU3DBJ ? QUILMES,BUENOS AIRES,AR # 5W, VERTICAL
28.170 VA3XCD C CAMDEN EAST, ONTARIO # 1.5W, OCF DIPOLE
Reactivated 10 August 2010
28.171 XE1FAS C PUEBLA, MEXICO # 5W, VERTICAL NEW 30 Sept
10
28.172 VA3KAH KAH-SHE ISLAND, ONTARIO 10W, VERTICAL planned 12
January 2011
28.173 VA5LF C SASKATOON, SASKATCHEWAN # 5W, VERTICAL Testing 4
July 2010
28.174 9H1IA MALTA 7.5W,VERTICAL QRT
28.175 VE3TEN C OTTAWA,ONTARIO CANADA # 10W, GP
28.176 VE7LAD BURNBY, BC CANADA 4W, VERTICAL testing 17
Aug 08
28.177 HP1RCP C PANAMA CITY, PANAMA # 4W, VERTICAL relocated
17 Jan 2011
28.177 VE2CRH C QUEBEC CITY, CANADA # 1W, VERTICAL
28.178 VE8RT YELLOWKNIFE, NT, CAN 5W, VERTICAL proposed ETA
late August 09
28.179 XE2AT C AGUASCALIENTES,AGS CP # 5W, VERTICAL new 22 Aug

08
28.180 XE3N I PLAYA DEL CARMEN, Mexico# 5W, VERTICAL new freq 26
April 2010
28.180 OD5TEN C TRIPOLI, LEBANON # ? QRT?
28.180 I1M C BORDIGHERA, ITALY # 2/20W, VERTICAL
28.181 VA6CK I BASSANO ALBERTA CANADA # 5W,VERTICAL 10 Jan 07
28.182 VYØSNO C IQALUIT, NUNAVUT CANADA # 15W, VERTICAL New Testing
16 June 2010
28.1825 SV3AQR C AMALIADA, GREECE # 4W, GP VERTICAL
28.183 XE1RCS C MEXICO CITY, MEXICO # 5W, VERTICAL New 8 Aug
08, Club call 27 June 2010
28.185 I8EMG C COSENZA, ITALY # 40W, VERTICAL QRT
28.185 VA3SRC I BURLINGTON ,ONTARIO # 5W, DIPOLE re-activated
19 Oct 08 New QTH Dec 09
28.1852 LU1AYZ C CAPITAL FEDERAL CF, ARG # 5W, ? NEW
28.1855 PU5ATX ? IMBITUBA SC BRAZIL # 10W,? un-coordinated
beacon reported 9 March 10
28.186 VK5KV C WOOMERA SOUTH AUSTRALIA # 25W, VERTICAL NEW 28 Feb
08 new call 27 Oct 09
28.1865 VE6PG HANOVER,ONTARIO CANADA 2W, GP VERTICAL tentative
coordination 25 Aug 10
28.1875 VE7KC C PENTICTON BC CANADA # 2W, VERTICAL on the air
13 July 09
28.188 JE7YNQ C FUKUSHIMA, JAPAN # 50W, DIPOLE
28.188 OE3XAC C AUSTRIA # 10W, VERTICAL reported 24
June 08
28.1885 LU9FE I RAFAELA, SF, ARGENTINA # 5W, VERTICAL New 1st
reported 5 April 09
28.189 VA3YOO I CAMDEN EAST ONTARIO # 5W VERTICAL Experimental
Temporary 16 Oct 10
28.189 XE1SRF C MEXICO CITY, MEXICO # 20 W, VERTICAL
Reactivated 15 Aug 09 temp QRT Oct 10
28.189 SV5TEN C RHODES ISLAND # 5W, VERTICAL reported 24
June 08
28.190 LU3HFA ? CORDOVA, ARGENTINA # Uncoordinated beacon
reported 21 March 09
28.190 LU1DZ I BUENOS AIRES,ARG # 10W,VERTICAL(temp?)
28.1901 LU1XZ ? CORDOBA, CB ARGENTINA # ?, ? Uncoordinated beacon
reported 15 June 2010
28.1902 PY2SBA I SAO PAULO, BRAZIL # ?, ? NEW
28.1905 VA3ROR C ORILLIA, ON # 5W, VERTICAL WHIP
28.1909 LU7VCH I PATAGONIA,ARGENTINA # 5W, VERTICAL
28.191 VA6RE C BASSANO, AB CANADA # 3W, VERTICAL
28.1915 LU1JMC I GUALEGUAYCHU E.R. ARG # 5W, VERTICAL
28.1921 LU2EOR I BUENOS AIRES,ARG # ?,?
28.1925 LU2FFV I SAN JORGE, ARG # 5W GP
28.193 LU8EML ? ENSENADA,BUENOS AIRES,AR# 15W, DIPOLE
Un-coordinated beacon reported 2 Jan 10
28.193 VE4ARM C AUSTIN,MB # 5W, GP
28.193 LU2ERC C ENSENADA,BUENOS AIRES,AR# 5W,VERTICAL New 27 May 09

28.1937 LU2DT I MAR DEL PLATA ARGENTINA # 2 W, GP VERTICAL
28.194 A47RB C OMAN # 10W, VERTICAL reported
active 18 March 10
28.1947 PY2JA C SÃO PAULO,BRAZIL # 10W, VERTICAL
28.1948 CX4DX ? MONTEVIDEO URUGUAY # 10W, ? NEW
28.195 LU4EG C BERNAL , ARGENTINA # 10W, QUAD
28.195 IY4M C BOLOGNA , ITALY (ROBOT) # 20W, 5/8 VERTICAL
28.195 LU6DTS C LA PLATA CITY, ARG # 5W, VERTICAL
28.195 VE6YF C EDMONTON, ALBERTA # 10W GP
28.1955 VA3ITA C BRAMTON, ONTARIO # 10W, VERTICAL New 13 Nov
09
28.196 VE2FGE QUEBEC CITY, QUEBEC 5W, VERTICAL Operator SK
Nov 2010
28.196 EA5AHN C VALENCIA, SPAIN # ? QRT
28.196 LU4JJ C CONCORDIA ER, ARG # 4W, 1/4 VERTICAL
28.196 LU7WW I CHUBUT, ARG # 5W
28.196 VO1MDS I ST.JOHNS, NL 10W, VERTICAL
re-activated 7 Sept 09
28.1968 IØKNQ (*)I ROME, ITALY *18hrsDaily # 2W, TURNSTILE New 12
September 08
28.197 EP4HR I SHIRAZ, IRAN # 5W, GP TESTING
28.197 LU5FB C ROSARIO, ARGENTINA # 10W, HORIZONTAL DIPOLE
NEW 5 May 08
28.197 VE7MTY C PITT MEADOWS, BC # 25W, VERTICAL
28.198 IZ0AIS I ROME, ITALY # 5W, ?
28.198 CX1BP C MONTEVIDEO, URUGUAY # 20W, RINGO New 16 Oct 08
28.198 HB9TC I CANTON TICINO,SWISS ALPS# 3W, BEAM
28.1985 LU5FSY I RAFAEL, ARG # 5W, ?
28.199 LU4EJS ? LA PLATA, ARGENTINA # 2W, ? new 8 July 2008
28.199 LU1FHH C EL TREBOL SF,ARG # 5W, VERTICAL
28.1995 CX2DDP I ELPINARCANELONE URUGUAY # 30W, VERTICAL NEW

28.200 NCDXF/IARU International Beacon Network-
(*)SEE END OF LIST

28.201 N3PFF C MUNCY PENNSYLVANIA # 100MW,VERTICAL
28.2015 KA9FLX I PALOS HILLS, ILLINOIS # 2W, VERTICAL NEW 24 April
08
28.2015 SK3GK C GAVLE, SWEDEN # 5 W,5/8 VERTICAL GP temp
QRT
28.2018 NØAMY I COLORADO SPRINGS, CO # 5W, 5/8 VERTICAL NEW 31
JAN 10
28.202 K1KWH C KLAMATH FALLS, OREGON # 2W, DISCONE On the air 26
Jan 2011
28.202 ZS1J C PLETTENBERG BAY # 5W, 1/2 VERTICAL
28.2025 KA3BWP C STAFFORD, VIRGINIA # 5W, VERTICAL new 13 Sept
09
28.2025 N9BPE TUSCOLA, IL 900mW, VERTICAL QRT 4
Sept 09
28.2025 N2RIT NEWARK, NJ 20W, VERTICAL QRT June 09
28.203 SR4TEN C SUCHACZ-ZAMEK, POLAND # 3W, VERTICAL New 1 July

2010
28.203 N6DXX C SACRAMENTO, CA # 4W, 80 M OCF DIPOLE
Antenna change 21 June 10
28.2032 PY2WFG ? IPIRANGA, SP, BRAZIL # ?,? un-coordinated beacon
reported 21 August 09
28.2035 K6LLL LAGUNA BEACH, CA # 3W, VERTICAL Re-activated
10 April 2010
28.2036 K3WJR C WATTSBURG, PENNSYLVANIA # 850mW, VERTICAL
28.2039 KA1KNW C WINDSOR, CONNECTICUT # 10W, VERTICAL
28.204 WA2NTK C BIG FLATS, NEW YORK # 5W, DIPOLE Reactivated
new location 15 September 08
28.204 LU9LC I CORRIENTES, ARGENTINA # 3W, VERTICAL
28.2045 W6CF C BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA # 5W, VERTICAL On the air
21 Nov 08
28.205 W9EFJ I MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN # 5W, VERTICAL Old call
KA9QMD
28.205 DLØIGI C HOHENPEISSENBERG # 48W, VERTICAL
28.2052 N3NIA C RIDGEWAY, PENNSYLVANIA # 5W, DIPOLE
28.2055 K5ISS C ABILENE, TEXAS 3W, VERTICAL Testing 6
September 10
28.2055 VA3GRR BRAMPTON, ONTARIO 2W, VERTICAL QRT July
2010
28.2058 KM7N C KITCHIKAN, ALASKA 5W, VERTICAL New 11
December 2010
28.206 WB4JHS I ORLANDO, FLORIDA 15W, VERTICAL Temp QRT
April 10 re-activated 19 March 11
28.206 KBØLHB PRINCETON, MN 5W, VERTICAL determined
QRT July 09
28.2065 HP1RIS C PANAMA CITY, PANAMA # 3W, VERTICAL DIPOLE Test
16 April 08
28.207 W8NGA I GROVE CITY, OHIO # 5W, VERTICAL
28.2075 W9HZC * OMAHA, NE *(DAYLIGHT) # 5W, VERTICAL Temp QRT
July 2010
28.208 KA5C I ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO 4W,VERTICAL Testing 9 May
2010
28.208 JRØYAN I NAGANO, JAPAN # 50W, LOOP
28.2082 IZ3LCJ ? TREVISO, ITALY # ?. ? Reported 29 July 09
28.2082 WN2A/AK2F C BUDD LAKE/RANDOLPH, NJ # 4W, VERTICAL (alternate
operation)
28.2085 NB7A C RENO, NEVADA # 5W,VERTICAL New 1 June
2010
28.2085 KE6TE ELK GROVE, CALIFORNIA new 26 July 08 QRT May
2010
28.2088 N8PVL I LIVONIA, MICHIGAN 5W, VERTICAL coordinated
12 Feb 2011
28.209 KH6AP I MAUI, HAWAII # 20W, VERTICAL
28.209 EIØTEN CORK HARBOR,IRELAND 25W, VERTICAL QRT
28.209 W5SXD I MINERAL WELLS, TEXAS # 5W, VERTICAL
28.209 NX2O C STATEN IS, NEW YORK # 10W, GP
28.2095 K9CW C THOMASBORO ILLINOIS # 2W, VERTICAL NEW

28.210 WA4SZE C MANCHESTER, TENNESSEE # 50W, VERTICAL GP
reactivated 7 Oct 09
28.210 KD4WDG I WESLEY CHAPEL, FLORDIA 25W?, NEW
28.210 IT9CCQ C FURCI SICULO,SICILY # 10W, VERTICAL new 19 June
08
28.210 VE4TEN I WINNIPEG, MB # 3W, GP VERTICAL
28.210 K4DPC WILMINGTON, NC 5 W, VERTICAL QRT prior
July 2010
28.210 W4JE C ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA # 25W day/5 W
night,VERTICAL
28.2105 KB9WGA I EGG HARBOR, WISCONSIN # 5W, VERTICAL New 26 May
09
28.211 3B8MS C MAURITIUS # ?, reported (IT9PQJ)3 Oct
09
28.211 K5ARC C GALVEZ LOUISIANA # 20W, Mag-Mount VERTICAL
28.211 LA4TEN C EGERSUND , NORWAY # 250W, VERTICAL
reactivated May 08
28.2115 KC8VJD I SPRINGBORO, OHIO # 5W, VERTICAL New heard 25
January 09
28.212 KØKP C FREDENBERG, MN # 500mW, VERTICAL
28.2122 WN2WNC C NEW BERLIN NEW YORK # 3w ,1/2 VERTICAL
28.2124 LU7DQP I LANUS BUENOS, ARGENTINA # ?, ?
28.2125 KJ4QYB C RAINBOW CITY, ALABAMA # 5W,VERTICAL Testing 31
May 2010
28.2126 WP3S ? MAYGUEZ, PUERTO RICO # ?,? Un-coordinated
reported 9 July 09
28.2127 KD7AUQ FORT BRIDGER, WY Determined QRT July 09
28.213 W1IT C INMAN, SOUTH CAROLINA # 15 W, DELTA LOOP new freq
5 Jun 08, Temp QRT July 10
28.213 PT7BCN C FORTALEZA BRAZIL # 5W, GP
28.2132 DMØING C INGELHEIM GERMANY # 10W, GP NEW
28.2135 KE4KAA BIG STONE GAP, VA 5W, GP On the air 29 Nov
08 QRT July 2010
28.2135 W3IK C GRAY, TENNESSEE # 100W, VERTICAL Temp
QRT 5 March 2011
28.214 KB4SB SUGAR LOAF SHORES FL .5W DIPOLE Determined QRT
July 2010
28.214 LU1DQP I BAHIA BLANCA BA ARG # ? ?
28.214 N4PAL C LONGWOOD, FLORIDA # 5W, VERTICAL NEW 15 Dec
07
28.2144 KB4JIK ? FT WORTH, TEXAS # ?,? uncoordinated beacon
reported 6 July 08
28.2145 KA7TBU C PE ELL,WASHINGTON # 5 W, VERTICAL new 19 May
09
28.215 GB3RAL C HARWELL ,OXFORDSHIRE UK # 10W, GP VERTICAL
relocated prior to 2010
28.215 KA9SZX C MACOMB, ILLINOIS # 3W, VERTICAL relocated
28 Jan 08
28.2153 XE3D I MERIDA,YUCATAN, MEXICO # 12W, VERTICAL NEW
28.2155 KD5CKP C OLIVE BRANCH, MS # 3W, VERTICAL On the air 5

Oct 08
28.216 K3FX C NEPTUNE CITY,NEW JERSEY # 5W, 1/2 VERTICAL
28.2165 N7MA C ROSE LAKE, IDAHO # 5W, VERTICAL New testing
23 December 09
28.2169 WBØFTL C ALDEN, MINNESOTA # 5W, VERTICAL Temp QRT
moving to Iowa July 2010
28.2175 W5GHZ BETHANY, OK # ?,? Un-coordinated beacon
reported 17 May 09
28.2175 WA1LAD C WEST WARWICK, RI # 5W, DIPOLE NEW 23 April
08 ant change 7 May 10
28.2179 W6GY C STAR, IDAHO # 1 W, 5/8 VERTICAL
28.218 IQ1SP C LA SPEZIA, ITALY # 3W, VERTICAL new 1 June
09
28.218 W8MI C MACKINAW CITY, MI # 500 MW, GP
28.2185 ACØKC I FT. LUPTON, COLORADO 1W, VERTICAL Coordinated
18 April 2010
28.2185 KC2VLC/6Y5 I NEGRIL JAMIACA W.I. # 10W, VERTICAL New 26
November 09 Temp QRT March 10
28.2185 W5RDW MURPHY, TEXAS QRT 31 Oct 09
28.219 KA4RRU I CATLETT, VIRGINIA # 2W, VERTICAL
28.219 PT8AA I RIO BRANCO, BRAZIL # 5W, GP
28.2191 5B4CY C LIMASSOL CYPRUS # 25W, GP VERTICAL
28.2195 NØMF C MISSOURI VALLEY, IOWA # 4.3W, INVERTED VEE New 17
October 2008
28.2198 KC2OVW PHILADELPHIA, PA tentative pending
activation
28.220 K6BA I VISTA, CALIFORINA # 10W, VERTICAL wire Power
increase July 2010
28.220 PY2XW I CANPINAS SAO PAULO, BR # 5W, ?
28.2205 W8VO C STERLING HEIGHTS MI # 5W, VERTICAL DIPOLE
28.221 WE4S C ROCK SPRING, GEORGIA # 2.5W, N/S DIPOLE
28.221 WK4DS C TRENTON, GEORGIA # 2W, DIPOLE
28.2215 KCØTKS C SEDALIA, MISSOURI # 5W, J pole VERTICAL
28.222 7Z1SJ C THADIQ, SAUDI ARABIA # 10W, VERTICAL NEW 11 May
08
28.222 N6RZR ANDERSON, CALIFORNIA 20 W, VERTICAL NEW QRT
March 09
28.222 KP3FT C PONCE, PUERTO RICO # 4W, VERTICAL
28.2222 W6QBS I MOUNT PROSPECT, IL 1W, VERTICAL testing 12
June 08 new Call Mar 10
28.2225 N4QDK I LEXINGTON, NC # 3W, VERTICAL New 3 June
09
28.2225 CX5BW I LAGOMAR, URUGUAY # 10W, GP
28.2227 VE3EEL I OTTAWA, ONTARIO # 2.5W,1/4 VERTICAL Temp
QRT
28.2228 TP2CE C STRASBOURG, FRANCE 450 mW, GP VERTICAL New
17 May 2010
28.223 WY5B I BILOXI, MISSISSIPPI # 5W, VERTICAL New Dec 07
28.2235 WDØAKX C ALBERT LEA, MN # 500mW, VERTICAL on the
air 22 June 08

28.224 YB9BWN C DENPASAR,BALI,INDONESIA # 2W, DIPOLE NEW
28.224 W9EKQ C ARGENTA, NEVADA 5W, VERTICAL new 9
September 2010
28.224 KF4DDJ NEWNAN, GEORGIA determined QRT 14 August
2010
28.2245 K5GJR C CORPUS CHRISTI, TX # 5W, VERTICAL
28.2245 9H1LO C MALTA # 5W, VERTICAL New
28.2247 HA5BHA C BUDAPEST, HUNGARY # 5W, OMNI VERTICAL
28.2247 WØIL I MULBERRY, KANSAS # 10W, BEAM
28.225 N7JE ? CYPRESS, CA # ?,? Un-coordinated
reported 23 June 09
28.225 CS5BTEN I CEACEM,SINTRA,PORTUGAL # 10W, VERTICAL NEW 20 Feb
08
28.225 K6FRC/B4 C ANGEL'S CAMP, CA # 1W, VERTICAL New 26 Dec
08
28.2251 WA6HXW ? WEST CORVINA, CALIFORNIA# ?W, ? Un-coordinated
beacon reported 12 Jan 11
28.2254 LW5EJU C PILAR, ARGENTINA # 10W, GP VERTICAL
28.2255 W2DLL C BUFFALO, NEW YORK # 5W, VERTICAL
28.226 WB0LYV ? BEATRICE, NEBRASKA # ?W, ? Uncoordinated
beacon reported 10 May 2010
28.226 W4VKW TULLAHOMA, TENNESSEE 1W, 5/8 VERTICAL QRT
July 2010
28.226 PY2AMI C LABRE CAMPINAS-SP,BRAZIL# 5W, OMNI
28.2261 NB9E ? ELKO, NV # ?,? Un-coordinated
reported 9 March 08
28.2263 W3FIS I FENWICK ISLAND,DELAWARE 5W, VERTICAL New 20 Oct
2010
28.2263 AF4O BOLIVAR, TENNESSEE 1W, VERTICAL QRT June 09
28.2265 N7MSH C NORTH POWDER, OREGON # 5W, VERTICAL New 19 Aug
09
28.2265 PY2RFF C SÃO PEDRO, BRAZIL # 4W,VERTICAL
28.227 KJ4HYV ? ZELLWOOD, FLORIDA # ?,? Un-coordinated
beacon reported 18 July 2010
28.227 VE9AT C WHITE HEAD ISLAND, CAN # 100mW, DIPOLE Temp QRT
July 09
28.227 KC6WGN I LAS VEGAS, NEVADA # 10W, VERTICAL
28.2273 KJ4ECD I FUQUAY-VARINA, NC # 6W, VERTICAL NEW 12
November 2010
28.2273 IW3FZQ C ROVIGO, ITALY # 5 W, INVERTED V NEW
28.2278 N2NXZ I ROCHESTER, NEW YORK # 3W, DIPOLE? re-located 2
September 08 Temp QRT 12 Aug 10
28.228 N8LGL C CHILLICOTHE,OHIO # 4W, GP VERTICAL NEW 4
Mar 08 Reactivated 8 Aug 10
28.228 ZL3TEN C CHRIST CHURCH, NZ # 10W, VERTICAL
28.2283 TG9TEN C GUATEMALA CITY,GUATEMALA# 1W, VERTICAL new
coordinated frequency 28 Oct 2010
28.2285 OH5RAC C RUUSANKOSKI, FINLAND # 5W, DIPOLE NEW frequency
13 June 08
28.2285 N3CJM I ASHLEY, PA # 1W, VERTICAL 11 Jan 08

28.229 XE3EOL ? PROGRESI YUCATAN,MEXICO # Un-Coordinated beacon
reported 14 April 10
28.229 NR5A C BOX ELDER, SOUTH DATOKA # 4 W, VERTICAL activated 7
June 08
28.229 ZL2MHF C WELLINGTON CITY, NZ # 10W, 1/2 VERTICAL
28.2293 KA2LIM C PINE VALLEY, NEW YORK # 10W, VERTICAL New 29
December 2010
28.2295 NV7LV (*)I LAS VEGAS, NV (daylite) # 5W, Ringo VERTICAL NEW
28 Jan 08
28.230 WA4ZKO C DRY RIDGE, KENTUCKY # 4W, VERTICAL New 24 April
09 Reactivated frm Temp QRT 28 Feb 11
28.230 IQ8CZ C CATANZARO,ITALY # 10W, GP VERTICAL NEW
28.230 KQ4TG ? LELAND, NC # ?,? un-coordinated beacon
reported 19 July 08
28.230 PY3UEB C PORTO ALEGRE, BRAZIL # 1W, VERTICAL
28.230 PY3ARL C SANTO ANGELO,BRAZIL # 5W, GP VERTICAL
28.2305 HP6RCP C SANTIAGO,VERAGUAS,PANAMA# 3W, VERTICAL new Call 20
July 08
28.231 WA4FC I PRINCE GEORGE, VA # 5W, VERTICAL testing 29
July 08
28.2314 KD7BJF I ALBUQUERQUE, NM # 1W, INVERTED V NEW Jan 08
Temp QRT July 2010
28.232 N1FSX C SIMLA, COLORADO # 60W, VERTICAL
reactivated 5 March 2010
28.232 D2BB I HUAMBO , ANGOLA # 10W,6EL YAGI NORTH
28.232 N2MH I WEST ORANGE, NJ # 5W, ATTIC DIPOLE NEW
28.233 KD4POJ ? MINOT, NORTH DAKOTA # ?, ? Un-coordinated
beacon reported 26 May 2010
28.233 N2UHC C ST. PAUL, KANSAS # 4W, VERTICAL DIPOLE
Relocated 18 April 10
28.2335 N9RET C NORTH RIVERSIDE, IL # 5W, 5/8 VERTICAL
28.234 K4DP C COVINGTON, VIRGINIA # 2W, GP VERTICAL
28.2345 KAØSWT C PUEBLO, COLORADO # 5W, VERTICAL testing 10
August 09
28.2345 KI7AB RIO RANCHO, NM 5W, DIPOLE NEW 2 FEB 08
QRT June 09
28.235 KI4HOZ C PICKENS, SOUTH CAROLINA 2W, VERTICAL new testing
4 August 09
28.235 KC2SPB ? WATERTOWN, NEW YORK # ?, ? Un-coordinated
beacon reported 15 July 09
28.235 VE3GOP I MISSISSAUGA ONTARIO # 200mW,1/2 VERTICAL
28.235 VE1CBZ C KESWICK RIDGE, NB # 2W, VERTICAL
28.2353 KI4AED I OCOEE, FLORIDA # 5W, VERTICAL
un-coordinated beacon 7 Dec 07
28.2355 W4GZV C SOUTH LAKE, TEXAS # 5W, GP VERTICAL new 21
April 08
28.236 W8YT C MARTINSBURG, WV # 5W, VERTICAL NEW 26 April
08
28.2365 WØKIZ C DENVER, COLORADO # 5W, 1/2 VERTICAL
28.237 W3AW * BARCLAY,IL *12:00-0100Z # 1W, LONG DIPOLE

28.2375 WA2NEW I BEACH HAVEN, NJ # 5W, VERTICAL Testing 1
May 2010
28.2375 LA5TEN C NR OSLO NORWAY # 15W, 5/8 GP
28.238 KB2SEO C ETON, GEORGIA # 10W, VERTICAL increased
power 8 Dec 08
28.2385 AB1JM C NASHUA, NEW HAMPSHIRE 5W, VERTICAL New 8 April
2010
28.2388 AK4XA I BENSON, NORTH CAROLINA 6W, VERTICAL New 17 Nov
2010
28.239 VA7PL/1 C CRYSTAL MOUNTAIN, BC # 2W, 1/2 VERTICAL
relocated 7 Aug 08
28.2392 AL7FS C ANCHORAGE, ALASKA # 5W, 1/2 VERTICAL
relocated 27 Jan 11
28.2395 WA3HGT C MONTOURSVILLE, PA # 1W, VERTICAL New 23 June
09
28.2398 W7JI ARKANSAS CITY, KANSAS 3W, VERTICAL QRT prior
July 2010
28.240 N4LEM C COCOA, FLORIDA # 50W,VERTICAL New 15 June
2010
28.240 XE3OAX I OCOTLAN, OAX., MEXICO # 5W, DIPOLE
28.240 W1NRA C PHENIX CITY, AL # 5W, VERTICAL QRT 2007
28.2405 N2DWS C PORT REPUBLIC, NJ # 5W, NE-SW DIPOLE new 5
March 08 Bak on 20 Sept 09
28.2406 YO2X I TIMISOARA, ROMANIA # TESTING Nov 07
28.2407 AJ8T ? STURGIS, MICHIGAN # 5W, ? Un-coordinated
beacon reported 22 June 09
28.2408 WBØGOA C LADDONIA, MISSOURI 5W, VERTICAL testing 20
December 2010
28.241 KH6XS (*) PAHRUMP, NV (daylite) # 20W, VERTICAL reported
heard 5 June 08 QRT?
28.241 VE3SEC C THUNDER BAY, ONTARIO # 5W, VERTICAL
28.2415 K5DZE (*) DRY RIDGE, KY (20 hrs) # 5W, Loop reactivated 14
May 09
28.2415 F5ZUU C MALATAVERNE, FRANCE # 5W, 1/2 VERTICAL NEW
28.242 K5UNY C FARMERS BRANCH, TEXAS # 5W, VERTICAL reactivated
4 June 2010
28.242 W2IK SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS determined QRT April 2010
28.2425 IZ8DXB ? Naples, Italy # 6W, VERTICAL New Reported
19 Oct 10
28.2425 WD9CVP C ELGIN, ILLINOIS # 5W, VERTICAL new 24
April 08
28.243 KB1QZY I WEST SPRINGFIELD, MA # 2W, VERTICAL New 26
March 09 reactivated 11 Oct 10
28.243 F5ZWE C FOIX, FRANCE # 20W, GP VERTICAL
28.2435 W5BUB C CEDARVILLE, ARKANSAS # 4W, VERTICAL Testing 30
Aug 2010 On the air 17 Nov 10
28.2435 AA4W CRESENT CITY, FLORIDA 5W, VERTICAL New 2 June
08 QRT July 2010
28.244 N1NTE HOLLAND, MA 2.5W, DIPOLE QRT July
2010

28.244 WA6APQ C LONG BEACH, CA # 30W, VERTICAL
28.2445 W9JTG C CLINTON, ILLINOIS 1W, VERTICAL New 1 June
09
28.245 PT9AA ? CAMPO GRANDE, MS, Brazil# ?,? Un-coordinated beacon
reported 19 March 2011
28.245 N8RT C BLAIRSVILLE, GEORGIA # 40W, RINGO VERTICAL New
24 March 08 upped pwr 8 Nov 08
28.2452 N2DY ? DIX HILLS, NEW YORK # ?, ? Un-coordinated
beacon Heard 13 August 2010
28.2455 VE9BEA I FREDERICTON, NB # 3W, VERTICAL
28.246 N7JS C OGDEN,UTAH # 2 W, VERTICAL NEW
28.246 KG2GL I NUTLEY, NEW JERSEY # 5W, RINGO VERTICAL
28.2465 W6HCD FALLBROOK, CALIFORNIA 10W, VERTICAL testing 22
September 2010
28.2465 K1KWH KLAMATH FALLS, OREGON 5W, DISCONE Testing 13
March 09 QRT July 2010
28.247 K4DYR NEWBERN, TENNESSEE 8W, VERTICAL On the air
30 July 2009 Temp QRT July 10
28.2475 N1ME C BANGOR, MAINE # 5W, VERTICAL Temp QRT
July 2010
28.248 NK1V I WINSTED, CT # 3W, DIPOLE new 23 Sept 08
new Call 29 Sept 10
28.2485 K5DDJ C SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS # 500mW, GP VERTICAL
28.2485 N7LT C BOZEMAN, MONTANA # 5W-50MW, GP
28.2487 ER1TEN ? KISHINEV, MOLDOVA # 4W, DELTA LOOP NEW 20
May 08
28.249 KA8WWK C BARBERTON, OHIO # 1W, GP VERTICAL NEW 23
May 08
28.2495 PY3PSI C PORT ALEGRE, BRAZIL # 2.8W,1/4 VERTICAL
28.2495 KA3JOE I BENSALEM, PENNSYLVINA # 10W, DIPOLE relocated
formally W3ATV 28 Aug 10
28.250 K6FRC/B2 C SUTTERS MOUNTAIN, CA # 10W, VERTICAL New Freq
change 8 July 09
28.250 EA3TEN C CATALUNYA ,SPAIN # 15W, 5/8 VERTICAL NEW
28.250 KØHTF C DES MOINES,IOWA # 3W, INVERTED V
28.250 N4ESS C ZEPHYRHILLS, FLORIDA # 20/2/200mW/20mW,GP
synchronized
28.250 N4ES C CLEARWATER, FLORIDA # 20/2/200mW/20mW,GP
synchronized
28.250 WB4WOR C GREENSBORO, NC # 20/2/200mW/20mW,Vert
synchronized
28.250 K7EK C GRAHAM, WASHINGTON # 25W,1/2 RINGO
28.250 K8NDB C YUMA, ARIZONA # 2W, VERTICAL
28.2502 Z21ANB C BULAWAYO, ZIMBABWE # 25W, GP VERTICAL
28.2505 N9PAR C GREEN BAY, WISCONSIN # 3W, VERTICAL Coordinated
frequency 6 January 10
28.251 N5ZTW ? DRIPPING SPRINGS, TEXAS # ?, ? Un-Coordinated
beacon reported 14 Jan 2010
28.251 KD5HOP KYLE, TEXAS Planned 28 Nov 09
determined QRT 2010

28.251 W3IK GRAY, TN QRT 24 Sept 09
28.2515 K9RAS C STOYSTOWN, PENNSYLVANIA 1 W, VERTICAL New 9
August 2010
28.2515 KB1NRB DAYVILLE, CONNECTICUT 10W, VERTICAL NEW 12
March 09 QRT July 2010
28.252 W6PC C OCALA, FLORIDA # 10W, VERTICAL original
Call from CA
28.2525 K9ATI C CARY,ILLINOIS 15W, VERTICAL new
Call/location Temp QRT
28.253 KG4YUV C CRANDALL, GEORGIA # 4W, VERTICAL
28.2535 N3BSQ C BETHEL PARK, PA 1W, VERTICAL NEW 4 July
09 Back on the air 7 Sept 10
28.2535 AD6WL BARSTOW, CALIFORNIA 20W, BEAM NW NEW 26 July
08 QRT July 2010
28.2538 XE1USG I PUEBLA, PUEBLA MEXICO 5W, VERTICAL New 29
December 2010
28.254 KJ4QOB I DEFUNIAK SPRS, FLORIDA # 10 W, VERTICAL New 1
March 2011
28.254 W4STT HASTINGS, FLORIDA 20W, VERTICAL Determined
QRT July 2010
28.2542 N1FCU C WINDHAM, MAINE # 750mW, VERTICAL New 20
May 09
28.2545 K5AHH C BROKEN BOW, OKLAHOMA # 5W, VERTICAL new 22 Aug
08 Temp QRT July 2010
28.255 NØAR C ST PAUL, MINNESOTA # 500mW,1/2 VERTICAL
28.255 KB4UPI C CENTRE, ALABAMA # 3 W, DIPOLE NEW 2 Dec
07 relocated Feb 10
28.2553 N4ES/4 C TRYON, NORTH CAROLINA # 5W, VERTICAL re-activated
June 09
28.2555 K8HWW C St CLAIR SHORES,MI # 3W, VERTICAL new Call 25
Sept 08 relocated 29 Sept 09
28.256 W4OBL I LOXAHATCHEE, FLORIDA # 5W, VERTICAL testing 24
December 08
28.256 C30P C ANDORRA LaVELLA,ANDORRA # 10W, VERTICAL
28.2565 K9JHQ C O'FALLON, ILLINOIS # 10W, VERTICAL New 17 May
09
28.2565 VK3RMH C MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA # 20/2W, VERTICAL
28.2567+ AI4SA ? CORYDON, KENTUCKY # ?,? Ex K9IGO Tentative
coordination 9 March 11
28.257 N4NCT I CREEDMOOR, NC # 5W, ? Un-coordinated
beacon reported 3 June 09
28.257 WY5I * PT ST LUCIE,FL(*DAYLITE)# 5W, VERTICAL
28.2572 KI4EED ? ROCKY GAP, VA # Un-coordinated beacon
reported 18 Feb 09
28.2575 N5WYN C SEVEN POINTS, TEXAS # 2W, VERTICAL New 2 March
2010
28.2576 DKØTEN C KONSTANZ , GERMANY # 20W, GP
28.258 NV4B I RUSSELLVILLE, ALABAMA # 5W, VERTICAL
28.2585 WB5QYT C ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO # 2W, VERTICAL New 1st
reported 19 June 08

28.259 F5ZVM I VALENCIENNES, FRANCE # 5W, GP VERTICAL NEW
28.259 AB8CL ? ARCANUM, OHIO # 5W, ? Un-coordinated
beacon reported 29 June 09
28.259 AA4AN C FRANKLIN, TENNESSEE # 5W, ATTIC WHIP New 14
March 2010 new Call Apr 10
28.259 W5RTX ROCKWELL, TX 5W, VERTICAL QRT 14
March 2010
28.2595 KS4ZR I LOUISA VIRGINIA # 10W, VERTICAL Temp QRT
July 2010
28.2599 KA2ADX I ALBANY, NEW YORK # 5W, DIPOLE Temp QRT July
2010
28.260 AD5KO C MENA, ARKANSAS # 5W, VERTICAL NEW 15 Jan
08
28.260 PY3PAG I PORTO ALEGRE,BRAZIL # 5W, VERTICAL
28.260 VK5WI C NR ADELAIDE # 10W, GP VERTICAL
28.2605 WA7RAI I GLENDALE, ARIZONA # 1W, RINGO Testing new 22
Jan 08
28.2608 W5TXR C SCHERTZ, TEXAS # 5W, VERTICAL new 11
March 2011
28.261 NJ3T C SOMERSET, PENNSYLVANNA # 1.5 W, DIPOLE New 7
August 2010
28.261 N7LF CORBETT OREGON 5W, 5/8 VERTICAL QRT 31
July 2010
28.2615 N4VBV C SUMTER,SOUTH CAROLINA # 5W, ATTIC DIPOLE
28.2616 VK2RSY C SYDNEY, NSW # 25W, 1/2 VERTICAL
28.262 K8TK C CLARKLAKE, MICHIGAN # 2W, GP VERTICAL
28.2625 WF4HAM I ALTAMONTE SPRINGS, FL # 6W, VERTICAL old call
KI4UCK 11 May 10
28.263 N5YEY C KILGORE, TEXAS # 10W, VERTICAL NEW 27 July
08 reactivated 3 Aug 2010
28.263 EA4Q C CUENCA (CENTRAL),SPAIN # 5W, GP VERTICAL NEW
28.2635 W4JPL C LIBERTY NORTH CAROLINA # 4W, 5/8 VERTICAL
28.2637 W8LEW I LANSING, MICHIGAN # 5W, 1/2 WAVE VERTICAL NEW

28.264 JA5ZQM C TOKUSHIMA , JAPAN # 10W, GP
28.264 AB8Z C PARMA, OHIO # 5W, VERTICAL
28.264 VK6RWA C WEST PERTH, WA # 20W, VERTICAL
28.2645 W5ZA C SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA # 4W, VERTICAL DIPOLE on
the air 25 Nov 08
28.265 NC4SW I ZEBULON, NORTH CAROLINA # 10W, GP VERTICAL
28.265 DFØANN C MORITZBERG GERMANY # 5W, GP VERTICAL
28.265 WC9C C PIMENTO, INDIANA # 1W, VERTICAL
28.265 N7SCQ I DIXON ,CA # 5W, VERTICAL
28.265 K7NWS C KENT, WASHINGTON # 1W, VERTICAL
28.2655 KR4HO C LAKE CITY, FLORIDA # 1W, VERTICAL 20 June 08
28.266 KA1EKS C MILLINOCKET,MAINE # 3W,1/2 VERTICAL
28.2662 KB3ZI C BLOOMSBURG, PA # 2.5W, VERTICAL New
Testing 29 Jan 2010
28.2665 W5DJT C POCOLA, OKLAHOMA # 5W, N/S DIPOLE New
Testing 16 June 2010

28.2665 WN5KNY ? RADIUM SPRINGS, NM # ?, ? un-coordinated
reported 5 June 08
28.267 VK7RSC C LAUNCESTON, N TASMANIA # 10W, VERTICAL reported 12
December 09
28.267 K3TWO I BRADFORD, PENNSYLVANIA 2 W, VERTICAL testing Jan
08
28.267 AE5X C WEST HARRISON, NY # 5W, DIPOLE QRT June
2009
28.2673 OH9TEN C PIRTTIKOSKI # 20W, 1/2 GP
28.2675 W5EFR C HOUSTON, TEXAS # 2.75 W, VERTICAL temp
QRT Jan 2011
28.268 KBØQZ C CENTRALIA, MISSOURI # 5W, VERTICAL NEW 2 Sept
08 re-activated 11 Dec 10
28.268 VK8VF C DARWIN # 25W, VERTICAL
28.2685 KG4GXS C CORAL SPRINGS, FLORIDA # 3W, N-S DIPOLE NEW 30 Aug
09
28.2685 K7ZS HILLSBORO, OREGON 5W, DIPOLE QRT July 09
28.2688 KD5ITM * SPRING, TX(*)PM & WkEnds# 5W, INVERTED V G5RV New
19 April 2010
28.269 AA1TT C CLAREMONT,NEW HAMPSHIRE # 5W, DIPOLE
28.2695 W3HH C OCALA, FLORIDA # 6W, HAMSTICK VERTICAL
28.270 VK4RTL C TOWNSVILLE ,QLD # 2W, VERTICAL
28.270 W8BEP I SAULT SAINTE MARIE,MI # 5W, RANDOM WIRE
28.2705 K4AIS C WALESKA, GEORGIA # 25W, VERTICAL Temp QRT
28.2708 ACØRR SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI 5-10W,VERTICAL testing 22
September 2010
28.271 VE1/W1BKR C HENRY ISLAND, NS # 3W, GP VERTICAL Temp QRT
March 08
28.2713 NA7US C RAVENSDALE, WA # 5W, VERTICAL New 29 April
09/freq change
28.2718 W4TIY C DALLAS, GEORGIA # 25W, STACKED GP
28.272 PY1RJ C SAO GONCALO, BRAZIL # 4W, VERTICAL New 14
December 2010
28.2723 N1KON C CENTERVILLE, INDIANA # 5W, VERTICAL testing 1
January 2010
28.2728 K5BTV C CUMMING, GEORGIA # 250mW,1/4 VERTICAL
28.273 PY4MAB ? POCOS DE CALDAS,BRAZIL # ?W, ?Antenna
Un-coordinated beacon reported 21 Dec 09
28.273 LW9EOC I BUENOS AIRES, ARG # 5W, VERTICAL
28.2732 KK4HAM APOPKA, FLORIDA SK 13 May 2010 QRT
28.2732 AC4DJ C APOPKA, FLORIDA # 50W, RINGO VERTICAL
28.2737 KB8OIS ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN 5W, VERTICAL testing 28
May ETA June 10
28.2737 N5EAD ? AUSTIN, TEXAS # ?? Un-coordinated beacon
reported 5 Feb 08
28.2739 PY4MAB ? POCOS DE CALDAS, BRAZIL # Un-coordinated beacon
reported August 2010
28.274 N7DGI CASPER, WYOMING 5W, 1/2 WAVE N/S SLOPER
New 3 June 2009 QRT 17 Nov 10
28.274 9K2RA ? SAFAT, KUWAIT # 10W, VERTICAL NEW

28.2744 W4NTI I ANNISTON, ALABAMA # 5W, ZEPP NEW Testing
March 08
28.2747 NØUD I HALLIDAY, NORTH DATOKA # 2W, GP VERTICAL
Returned 17 Aug 10
28.275 AL7GQ THORNTON , CO QRT June 09
28.275 K6FRC/B3 C SEDALIA, MISSOURI # 1W, VERTICAL remote 10
March 2011
28.275 NP2SH ST JOHNS, VI 5W, VERTICAL QRT July
2010 possible re-activation
28.2755 SV2HQL C KATAKALI-GREVENA,GREECE 5W, VERTICAL New 10 Feb
11
28.2754 KG4GVV C SUMMERVILLE, SC # 4W, VERTICAL
28.2757 XE1AKM I COLIMA, MEXICO # 15W, VERTICAL
28.276 K4UKB * DANVILLE, KENTUCKY # 10W, 5/8
VERTICAL(*synchronized on the min)
28.276 K4FUM * STONE MTN, GEORGIA # 10W, VERTICAL
(*synchronized) on the.5 min)
28.2765 XE2WK I VICTORIA,TAMAULIPAS MEX # 20W, VERTICAL NEW new
Call July 09
28.277 WB7RBN C PASCO, WASHINGTON # 5W, VERTICAL Reactivated
5 Feb 2011
28.2771 KD4MZM C SARASOTA, FLORIDA # 1W, VERTICAL
28.2774 WD8AQS I FREMONT, MICHIGAN # 5W, VERTICAL
28.2775 DMØAAB C KIEL , GERMANY # 10W, GP
28.278 AC3A C LEAWOOD, KANSIS # 5 W, DIPOLE
28.2785 WA6MHZ C CREST, CALIFORNIA # 5W, RINGO VERTICAL
28.2788 WA4OTD C CARMEL, INDIANA # 5W, attic dipole New 19
Oct 2010
28.279 DBØUM ? SCHWEDT, GERMANY # 2W, SLOPER VERTICAL New
14 May 08
28.279 KG4JPL C HUDSON, FLORIDA # 25mW, VERTICAL New 28
July 2009
28.279 KKØCQ DEVILS LAKE, ND ?, ? NEW QRT June 09
28.2795 KA3NXN I CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA # 4W, INVERTED V testing 8
Feb 08
28.280 K3BEQ ? CHEVERLY, MARYLAND # ?,? Un-coordinated beacon
reported 24 Jan 10
28.280 N6SPP C PATTERSON PASS, CA # 10W, VERTICAL NEW
reported heard 26 Feb 08
28.280 K5AB C GEORGETOWN, TEXAS # 20W, GP VERTICAL
28.280 F5KMD I VALENCIENNES FRANCE # 5W, GP VERTICAL
28.2805 KE4IFI I LEXINGTON, SC # 7W, VERTICAL coordinated
New 5 Aug 2009
28.2805 WB6FYR QUARTZ HILL, CA 10W, 5/8 VERTICAL QRT
June 09
28.281 W8EH C MIDDLETOWN OHIO # 8W, GP VERTICAL
28.2815 W4HEW C MILLEGEVILLE, GEORGIA # 5W, VERTICAL
28.2816 XE2ES ? BAJA PENINSULA # ?,? UN-COORDINATED BEACON
reported 8 Dec 08
28.282 KA9QAT C NEW LENOX, ILLINOIS # 5W, LOOP New QTH Oct 2010

28.282 HP1AC C SANTIAGO,VERAGUAS,PANAMA# 1W, VERTICAL Reactivated
April 2010
28.2823 OKØEG C HRADEC KRALOVE,CZECH # 10W, GP VERTICAL
28.2824 KDØGZJ C LOVELAND, COLORADO # 5W, N-S DIPOLE New 24
April 09
28.2828 WØERE C FORDLAND, MISSOURI # 5W, VERTICAL
28.2828 KA2KGP C FORESTVILLE NEW YORK # 4W, VERTICAL NEW
28.2831 K7YSP C GAINESVILLE. GEORGIA # 5W, VERTICAL NEW 30
December 08
28.2833 W7MTL ? DALLAS, OREGON # ?,? Un-coordinated beacon
reported 17 Oct 2010
28.2835 KC9GNK C MADISON, WISCONSIN # 4W, INVERTED V relocated
20 Feb 09
28.284 K2XG C MONTICELLO, KENTUCKY # 5W, VERTICAL DIPOLE New
20 July 09
28.284 WX4RA HUNTSVILLE, AL 3W, VERTICAL QRT June
09
28.2843 NN6AA I REDDING, CALIFORNIA # 5W, VERTICAL NEW 5 June
10
28.2845 KB9NK C HUDSONVILLE MICHIGAN # 15W, GP VERTICAL NEW Nov
07
28.285 N2JNT TROY, NY 1W, GP QRT early 09
28.285 VP8ADE I ADELAIDE IS, ANTARCTICA # 8W, VERTICAL Reactivated
reported 23 Oct 2010
28.285 NU4G I MANCHESTER, TENNESSEE # 30W,INVERTED V Temp QRT
1 Aug 2010
28.2857 WA4ROX C LARGO, FLORIDA # 750MW,DIPOLE
28.286 WA8YWO C RICHWOOD, WEST VIRGINIA # 100 MW, DIPOLE
28.286 N5AQM C CHANDLER, ARIZONA # 2W, VERTICAL
28.2865 WØILO C FARGO, NORTH DAKOTA # 7W, GP VERTICAL Temp QRT
Dec 2010
28.2868 K3XR I SINKING SPRING, PA # 1W, VERTICAL New 24
September 2010
28.287 WI6J C BAKERSFIELD, CA # 5W, VERTICAL new BCN
Call 11 May 08
28.2875 N8PUM C ISHPEMING, MICHIGAN # 2W, N-S DIPOLE new 1
August 2009
28.2875 N5DUH BOSSIER CITY, LA 3W, VERTICAL QRT June 09
28.288 K4LJP C WEST PALM BEACH,FLORIDA # 5W, VERTICAL NEW 1st
reported 3 Dec 07
28.288 WA7LNW C HARMONY MESA, UTAH # 5W, VERTICAL new
location 13 Nov 10
28.2885 ND3E C NEW CASTLE COUNTY, DE # 4W, VERTICAL testing NEW
Jan 08
28.289 WJ5O C TROY ALABAMA # 2W, VERTICAL
28.2895 N1KXR C DEERFIELD, MA # 25W, VERTICAL New 23 Nov
08
28.2898 WØERE/B2 I HIGHLANDVILLE, MISSOURI # 5W, VERTICAL New 13
September 2010
28.290 N4EH ? LONGWOOD, FLORIDA # ?, ? Un-coordinated
beacon reported 3 November 2010

28.290 PS8RF I TERESINA -PIAU -BRAZIL # 2W, VERTICAL TESTING
Jan 08
28.290 N6UN I SAN DIEGO, CA # 5W, VERTICAL
28.290 SK5AE C STRANGNAS, SWEDEN # 50W, VERTICAL GP
reactivated 8 Jan 08
28.290 VR2TEN C HONG KONG, CHINA # 5W,TEMP WHIP
28.2905 WB4WOR C RANDLEMAN, NC # 3W, VERTICAL
28.291 NE2E C NEW YORK CITY, NY # 1W, VERTICAL 10x power
increase October 08
28.2912 VA3VA C WINDSOR, ONTARIO # 5W, OMNI VERTICAL
updated 6 Jan 08
28.2915 KO6BB MERCED, CALIFORNIA QRT June 09
28.2915 WA6NIF * FRESNO, CA *daylite # 8W, VERTICAL TESTING 21
Oct 09
28.292 KM4GS C MARSHALL COUNTY, KY # 3W, VERTICAL
28.2922 SKØCT C SOLLENTUNA, SWEDEN # 10W,VERTICAL GP
28.2925 W4GA C WOODSTOCK, GEORGIA # 5W, VERTICAL New Call
Nov 2010
28.2928 K7GFH I DAMASCUS, OREGON # 3W, DIPOLE New Call 29
Nov 08
28.293 WA8REI I FREELAND, MICHIGAN # 5W, VERTICAL NEW 12 July
08
28.2934 ND4Z C GILBERT,SOUTH CAROLINA # 3W, VERTICAL
28.294 W4DJD C WOODBRIDGE, VIRGINIA # 15W, VERTICAL NEW 2
September 08 New Call July 09
28.294 SM5HUA C UPPSALA, SWEDEN # 50/5/500mW/50mW,Hor/Vert
Reactivated 28 May 08
28.2942 K7RQN C PEORIA, ARIZONA # 5W, VERTICAL Testing 7
July 2010
28.2945 N2IFC C ALLAMUCHY, NEW JERSEY 1W, Vertical new 30
December 09 on the air 5 March 10
28.295 W4CLM STANLEY NC 10W, VERTICAL QRT June
2010
28.295 PU5ATX (*)I IMBITUBA/SC,BR *daylite # 25W, DIPOLE Reported 31
Jan 08
28.295 KD1ZX C CENTRAL FALLS, RI # 3W, VERTICAL new QTH 26
July 09
28.295 SK2TEN C KRISTINEBERG,SWEDEN # 75W, VERTICAL Temp QRT
28.2955 K4IT C FLATWOODS, KENTUCKY # 3.5W, DIPOLE NEW 20 Feb
08
28.296 W3APL C LAUREL, MARYLAND # 8W, DIPOLE old call W3VD
Dec 08
28.296 KA7BGR C CENTRAL POINT, OREGON # 10W, DIPOLE
28.2962 W5JDG C WASHINGTON, TEXAS 10W, VERTICAL New 8
February 2011
28.2965 AD4C * W PALM BCH,FL(see below)# 30W, INVERTED V NEW 8
Aug 08
28.297 NS9RC C EVANSTON, ILLINOIS # 5W, VERTICAL re-activated
5 November 2010
28.2975 K6FIB C SALEM, OREGON # 1W, VERTICAL On-the-air

17 July 08
28.298 K5TLL I HATTIESBURG,MISSISSIPPI # 5W, VERTICAL New Freq 14
Dec 08
28.298 V73TEN ? MARSHALL ISLANDS # ?W, ? Reported active May
08 (KH7JJ)
28.2981 N8JPW ? OSGOOD, IN # 10W, ? Un-coordinated
beacon reported 27 July 09
28.2983 N9BPE (*)TUSCOLA, IL * daylight # 3W, VERTICAL re-activated
14 January 2011
28.2985 K7FL C BATTLE GROUND, WA # 10W, VERTICAL On the air
19 June 08 reduced pwr Mar 10
28.2988 K4JDR C RALEIGH, NC # 10W, VERTICAL QRT Dec
2010
28.299 N1SCA C PALM BAY, FLORIDA # 10W, N/S DIPOLE QTH
relocated--frm CT
28.2993 WZ8D ? BLACHESTER OH # ?? un-coordinated beacon
reported 29 May 08
28.2995 N3TVV I JIM THORPE, PA # 5W, VERTICAL new 9
February 09 re-activated 31 July 10
28.300 K6FRC/B1 VALLEY SPRINGS, CA 1W, VERTICAL testing 21
July 08 QRT 25 Jan 10
28.300 KF4MS C WAKULLA SPRINGS,FLORIDA # 10W, 50W on weekends
VERTICAL reactivated 26 Sept 10
28.300 K6FRC C TRACY, CALIFORNIA # 100W, "POGO stick"
VERTICAL Freq change 8 July 09
28.300 VK2SK C BATHHURST NSW, AUST # 20W, VERTICAL RE-NEW

28.322+ Multi Italian beacons QRSS mode milliWatt power Vertical/Horizontal

* Operation for AD4C 19:30-11:00 weekdays 24 hrs weekends

NCDXF/IARU International Beacon Network
28.200 4U1UN C UNITED NATIONS NYC # (*)
28.200 VE8AT C NUNAVUT, CANADA # (*)
28.200 W6WX C SAN JOSE, CA # (*)
28.200 KH6WO C LAIE,OAHU HI # (*)
28.200 ZL6B C MASTERTON, NEW ZEALAND # (*)
28.200 VK6RBP C ROLYSTONE, AUSTRALIA # (*)
28.200 JA2IGY C MT ASAMA, JAPAN # (*)
28.200 RR9O C NOVOSIBIRSK, RUSSIA # (*)
28.200 VR2B C HONG KONG, CHINA # (*)
28.200 4S7B C COLOMBO,SRI LANKA # (*)
28.200 ZS6DN C PRETORIA, S.AFRICA # (*)
28.200 5Z4B C KIAMBU KENYA, AFRICA # (*)
28.200 4X6TU C TEL AVIV , ISRAEL # (*)
28.200 OH2B C KARKKILA, FINLAND # (*)
28.200 CS3B C MADEIRA ISLAND # (*)
28.200 LU4AA C BUENOS AIRES,ARGENTINA # (*)
28.200 OA4B C LIMA,PERU # (*)
28.200 YV5B C CARACAS,VENEZUELA # (*)

(*) Each transmission is repeated every three minutes.
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sent at 22 WPM followed by four 1 second dashes.
The Callsign and the first dash is sent at 100Watts. The
remaining dashes are sent at 10 Watts, 1 Watt and 0.1 Watts.

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964. [TVRO] Sat Talk Live Tonight @ 9 PM EDT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-31 00:17:54 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 964 Message: 964

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

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965. Kb9ygd Ham Radio Nations Newest Certificates

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-31 16:59:07 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 965 Message: 965

Below are my 2 newest ham radio nation certificate`s.HRN is an amateur radio social networking site and the best on the internet in my opinion...

966. RE: [CQCQCQ] Kb9ygd Ham Radio Nations Newest Certificates

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-31 18:38:54 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 965 Message: 966

Congratulations to You Norm and our other Members who actually pick up the Mic put up ant ant's and use them

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Thursday, March 31, 2011 11:59 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Kb9ygd Ham Radio Nations Newest Certificates

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967. Re: [CQCQCQ] Kb9ygd Ham Radio Nations Newest Certificates

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-31 19:17:41 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 965 Message: 967

I concur as well. What a great achievement.

73 KD8HMS Angie

From: ka9qjg <KA9QJG@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thu, March 31, 2011 2:38:54 PM
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] Kb9ygd Ham Radio Nations Newest Certificates

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968. Reply to Angie/Don/Group from Norm/Kb9ygd 3-31-11/20:08 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-31 20:07:53 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 968 Message: 968

Thank you Angie and Don well i had to submit my log to earn these awards from NRN as an *.adif file format which i did but i had to submit the whole log which is 7 mb`s as i couldnot find a way to search my general electronic logbook (Aclog) and save the results as an *.adi file all it would do is save them as a *.txt file but i got it done.

I have many awards including the arrl dxcc and was but these are 2 awards r just 2 of many offered by ham radio nation (LINK: http://hamradionation.com/home.php <http://hamradionation.com/home.php>) and its possably the best amateur radio social networking site on the internet.

I have enough contact in the log to qualify for most of the awards HRN has to offer but i dont want to get greedy...

73

Norm [#-o]

969. how can get my certificate

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-31 20:09:23 UTC
From: HI8LAM
Topic: 969 Message: 969

hello friends i am interest in get my cirtificate hrn was and 100 country please tell me the rules to get it luis tnx

970. To Luis Hi8lam

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-31 20:25:45 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 970 Message: 970

Hi luis de Norm/Kb9ygd you will have to go to HRN from the link i provided in my post and you must sign up which is free and remember to write down ur user name and pass word then from the main page you will see the awards so click on see all and for each award it will tell you what you need to do inorder to qualify for it.

You will have to submit your qso`s from ur electronic logbook program to HRN as *.adi file format (amateur radio interchange file) as they will not take any other file format and if you have the qso`s in it in 24 hours you will have ur award.

Check ur log Luis to see if you have the required amount of q`s for the HRN award you want and if you do upload ur entire log from the applet on the website and Ken/K9ken will run it through the software on his end and if you qualify you will have ur award within 24 hours.

Most computer logbooks,XMlog AClog,HRDlog,etc will allow you to search your contacts for awards etc.

72,Norm [:))]

[Just Cause You Have A Ticket Doesnt Make You An Amateur Radio Operator!]

971. Re: [CQCQCQ] To Luis Hi8lam

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-31 20:35:13 UTC
From: luis mena
Topic: 970 Message: 971

TNX NORM FOR THE INFO COULD I SEND THE PICTURES OF MY CERTIFICATES WAS AND DXCC AWARDS SEND ME FOR THE ARRL???

visit my blog http://www.hi8lam.blogspot.com/

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From: Norm <mr_norm_1999@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thu, March 31, 2011 4:25:45 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] To Luis Hi8lam

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972. Reply to Luis/Hi8lam from Norm/Kb9ygd 3-31-11/21:01/utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-03-31 21:08:32 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 972 Message: 972

Yes you can send your pictures,awards,etc to HRN Luis as its a lot like facebook but especialy made for us ham op`s.you make folders there and upload you pictures,etc and it will import all your videos from youtube and display them there but you will have to spend the time required to configure all of this Luis.

I went to ur blogbpot and qrz.com pages and vy nice you have more awards than i have hi hi.I hope to work you soon.

Tu Luis es 73 de kb9ygd [:)]

<http://www.youtube.com/MrNorm46>
[http://mysite.verizon.net/res868sp/sitebuildercontent/sitebuilderpictur\
es/myoutubegif.gif] <http://www.youtube.com/MrNorm46>

[fpagif.gif] <http://picasaweb.google.com/kb9ygd>

973. Cebiksite] Released New Issue for April 2011

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-01 19:52:37 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 973 Message: 973

FYI Look around lots of Free ant info too

73 De Don KA9QJG

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o MS Media Player or the like:

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o The text version of the above column is here:

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974. Re: [CQCQCQ] Kb9ygd Ham Radio Nations Newest Certificates

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-01 23:57:57 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 965 Message: 974

Very nice, Norm! My friend and I hung three antennas this week, and have one more to put up over the weekend, and I'm back in business. Your enthusiasm is contagious and I'm looking forward to getting back on the air.

Those will look nice on the wall in your shack.

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 3/31/2011 12:59 PM, Norm wrote:
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>
> *Below are my 2 newest ham radio nation certificate`s.

975. Reply to Jame`s from Norm 4-2-11/16:33 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-02 16:44:02 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 975 Message: 975

Well tu Jame`s and if my enthusiam is contagious i am happy as it will surely help other`s and thats good but i am basicaly lazy.. and apply my enthusiam to every thing that i do and strive to do it correctly or simply dont do it [#-o]

Well now you have antenna`s up and u r ready to work the world and this please`s me greatly.

I have so many qsl cards.awards, and special even certificates Jame`s that there is little room left to display them all but i do have about 600 qsl cards displayed on the wall here in the shack with 17 of my favorite special event certificates and awards .

73 my friend Norm/Kb9ygd

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976. This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-02 17:55:16 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 523 Message: 976

Norman P. Triantafilos
<http://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=1046633402> <--Kb9ygd on facebook... For those amateur radio operator`s who keep a logbook there is a facebook site that will display your logbook if you use ham radio deluxe and are a registered member of HRDLOG.NET and uploaded your log qso`s to the website in *.adi file format.Just enter HRDLOG.NET in the search box in facebook to go there and see the Kb9ygd log and others also. The below link is to hrdlog.net NOT the facebook site. Hrd Log <http://www.hrdlog.net/Default.aspx> www.hrdlog.net <http://www.hrdlog.net/> Ham Radio Deluxe Amateur Radio Web Based Logbook

978. [TVRO] Access America - All About Computers

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-04 19:13:25 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 978 Message: 978

FYI
I have not listened to any of the Shows If Someone does and find them
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KA9QJG
Access America
All About Computers
Please note our new program line-up for Monday Evening starting at 7 PM
Eastern Time.
a.. 7 PM ET: Leo Laporte - The Tech Guy
The complete aircheck of Leo Laporte's technology call-in radio show
minus commercials, news, and traffic.
b.. ~9 PM ET: Windows Weekly with Paul Thurrott
A weekly look at all things Microsoft including Windows 7, Office 2010
and Xbox, from the foremost Windows expert in the world, Paul Thurrott
of the Super Site for Windows.
c.. ~10:20 PM ET: This WEEK in TECH
Your first podcast of the week is the last word in tech. Join the top
tech pundits in a roundtable discussion of the latest trends in high
tech.
d.. ~12:10 AM ET: This Week In Computer Hardware
Building a new computer? This Week in Computer Hardware is the show
where you'll find out the latest in motherboards, CPUs, GPUs, and RAM
you'll want to use when designing your machine. TWiCH gives you the
latest in hardware benchmarks and what not-yet-released products might
be on the horizon.
e.. ~01:00 AM ET: net@night with Amber and Leo
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and moving moments online and she shares them with us every week.

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Low Quality 24Kbps Dial-up

979. [Cebiksite] Special 1/2-price antenna book offer

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-06 19:19:58 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 979 Message: 979

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

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Rosie, List Manager

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980. anyone up for a cq on the radio?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-07 12:49:10 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 980 Message: 980

I have a [new to me] Icom 718 I want to get on the air. I listend last weekend, but haven't talked. I was wondering if anyone wants to try a cq after 8p tonight or tomorrow?

73 KD8HMS Angie

981. Reply to Angy Kd8hms from Norm/Kb9ygd 4-8-11/17:11 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-08 17:15:50 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 980 Message: 981

Hi Angie,yes i would like to have a sked with you but it would have to be b-4 5:00 pm cst/22:00 utc/zulu so let me know the time b-4 22:00,band and mode and i will be there.

I think since ur in MI our best bet would be on 40m.

73,Norm [:))]
--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Angelica <arkch1p@...> wrote:
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> I have a [new to me] Icom 718 I want to get on the air. I listend last weekend,
> but haven't talked. I was wondering if anyone wants to try a cq after 8p
> tonight or tomorrow?
>
> 73 KD8HMS Angie
>

982. Kb9ygd ham radio nation members worked certificate`s...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-08 19:00:14 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 982 Message: 982

Here are my ham radio nation worked 25,50 and 100 members certificate`s.

I have worked 200 HRN members so far...

983. RE: [CQCQCQ] Kb9ygd ham radio nation members worked certificate`s...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-08 19:25:20 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 982 Message: 983

Norm I guess You are the Real Ham keep up the Great Work Wonderful Hobby

Good DX

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Friday, April 08, 2011 2:00 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Kb9ygd ham radio nation members worked certificate`s...

Here are my ham radio nation worked 25,50 and 100 members certificate`s.

I have worked 200 HRN members so far...

<https://lh4.googleusercontent.com/_Foau7yP7uHU/TZ9W5EfM2NI/AAAAAAAALQE/33fkEWdve2U/KB9YGD_Members_Worked_25.jpg>

<https://lh3.googleusercontent.com/_Foau7yP7uHU/TZ9W4tjVrJI/AAAAAAAALQA/-mkAnRATZLY/KB9YGD_Members_Worked_50.jpg>

<https://lh5.googleusercontent.com/_Foau7yP7uHU/TZ9W5gq3s-I/AAAAAAAALQI/QE1MDMuxj8M/KB9YGD_Members_Worked_100.jpg>

984. Reply to Don/Ka9qjg from Norm/Kb9ygd 4-8-11/19:33 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-08 19:38:27 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 984 Message: 984

Why thank you Don,well i just call myself the real ham but there are many more out there and i pay attention to the small details of everything and work as much amateur radio as i can.

Yes i agree this is such a wonderfull hobby and its rather sad that there are so many hams out there who have barley scratched the surface of all the many things they can do in amateur radio.

Take care my friend and 73 fer now,Norm [O:)]

985. OT Eagle Watch

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-08 23:35:20 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 985 Message: 985

Saw this on the News and thought I would check it Out WOW Live cam in the Woods in IOWA OF The Bald Eagle mom and dad and 3 Babies I guess it has been live since the lying of the Eggs it is neat watch in Real time with sound you can check on the old links too

Enjoy http://www.ustream.tv/decoraheagles
<http://www.ustream.tv/decoraheagles>

73 Don

986. Re: OT Eagle Watch

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-09 02:18:37 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 985 Message: 986

I do not know who else checked this out but here is some interesting
Facts

Enjoy

Don KA9QJG

What I noticed is something they did not have to put up yrs ago and
is all the Mn made noise

Eggs and hatches, 2011
Videos of the First Egg Being Laid 2/23/11 at 5:33 p.m., part 1
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vRevYtdjj5U> when she lays the egg, and
part 2 <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=U8YKxFmC0Pc> when we get our
first look.
Video <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uXEnfe02e2I> of the Second Egg
Being Laid 2/26/11 at 6:42 p.m.
Video <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L99UropoY3w> of the Third Egg
Being Laid 3/2/11 at 6:47 p.m.

Raptor Resource broadcasts this live feed of the Decorah Eagles also at
the Xcel Energy bird cam site <http://birdcam.xcelenergy.com/eagle.html>
, where you can go if for some reason you cannot view the feed on this
page.

FAQs

How high is the nest?
About 80 feet.

How big is the nest?
5-6 feet across, about the same deep; it weighs about 1½ tons.

How old is the nest?
The eagles built it in 2007. A previous nest close by fell when a
windstorm broke one of the branches.

Are these eagles banded?
No.

Which is the male and which is the female?
It is hard to tell the difference unless they are both on the nest. The
female is larger than the male. This female has a ridge above her eyes
that goes further back than on the male, and her eyes are surrounded by
a greyish shadow; the male has a line around his eyes that makes them
look "beadier." Some think that the male's head is
"sleeker" than the female's.

What is the history of this pair?
They have been together since the winter of 2007-2008. Her markings at that time indicated that she was about 4 years old. They successfully hatched and fledged 2 eaglets in 2008, then 3 in 2009, and 3 more in 2010.

When were the eggs laid in 2010, and when did they hatch?
First egg was February 25, second on February 28, third on March 5. First hatch was April 3, second on April 6, third on April 9. All three eaglets fledged and are now on the wing but are not being tracked.

What is the area around the nest like?
The nest is in a cottonwood tree on private property near the Decorah Fish Hatchery (operated by the Iowa Department of Natural Resources), on the banks of the babbling waters of Trout Run in extreme northeast Iowa. The nest can be seen from the hatchery, but visitors to the hatchery should keep their distance from the nest tree, both to respect the private property where the tree is located and to avoid disturbing the eagles.
Here <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RDzAh7trL2A> is a ground-level video of the surroundings, taken in March 2010.
This video <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QYMObPADuIw> shows the eagles' point of view.

Where can I see pictures and videos of these eagles?
RRP provides an archive of daily views of the nest <http://www.raptorresource.org/falcon_cams/index.html> over the immediate 24-hour period, taken every 2 minutes. Click on Eagle Dailies. RRP's Youtube site <http://www.youtube.com/user/ries96> has many videos.

Who operates and maintains this cam?
The Raptor Resource Project (RRP) maintains the cams, of which there are two, and the feed is streamed online 24/7. Both are positioned on one of the nest's supporting limbs about 4-5 feet above the nest. The main cam is automated and is trained on the nest. The other cam has pan-tilt-zoom capabilities (PTZ). At dark the main cam switches to infrared (invisible to the eagles) night-time view. Here is a slide show <http://tinyurl.com/6xbu7om> of the cam installation in fall 2010.

Who does the panning, tilting, and zooming, and when does that happen?
Bob Anderson, Executive Director of RRP, switches to the PTZ cam when time and weather permit, and especially when there appears to be interesting activity in the nest. He will be especially attentive when hatching begins.

What is the Raptor Resource Project?
Established in 1988, the non-profit Raptor Resource Project <http://www.raptorresource.org/> specializes in the preservation of falcons, eagles, ospreys, hawks, and owls. We establish and strengthen breeding populations of these raptors by creating, improving, and maintaining nests and nest sites. In addition to directly managing over twenty-three falcon, eagle, and owl nest sites, we provide training in

nest site creation and management across the United States, reach more than 85,000 people each year through lectures, education programs, and our website, and develop innovations in nest site management and viewing that bring people closer to the world around them.
Our mission is to preserve and strengthen raptor populations, to expand participation in raptor preservation, and to help foster the next generation of preservationists. Our work deepens the connection between people and the natural world, bringing benefits to both.
Check out the links to cams <http://www.raptorresource.org/falcon_cams/index.html> of many of the raptor nests that RRP manages.
RRP also has a Facebook page <http://www.facebook.com/pages/Raptor-Resource-Project/103786266324668?s\k=wall> .

Does the Raptor Resource Project accept donations?
Yes! RRP is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization and relies on the donations of friends. There is a donation button on the RRP home page <http://www.raptorresource.org/> .

What's this about a PBS documentary on this nest?
The Decorah eagle nest was featured in a PBS Nature series program, "American Eagle," that premiered in November 2008. Filmed by cinematographers Robert Anderson and Neil Rettig in high-definition, the video is available on DVD and online <http://www.pbs.org/wnet/nature/episodes/american-eagle/video-full-episo\de/4349/> .

How can I read or participate in a forum about this and other RRP cams?
Go to the RRP Forum <http://raptorresource.org/forum/index.php> .

987. GQP 4-9/10-11 Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-11 21:22:18 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 987 Message: 987

I worked the GQP over the weekend and made many qso`s mostly cw but a few ssb and many new stations for my log but...
Norman P. Triantafilos
<http://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=1046633402> In the GQP contest they have a special Georgia Qso Party 50th annversity certificate availabe if you work the special 1x1 calls so as to spell G-E-O-R-G-I-A and i worked W4g,W4e,N4o.N4r,W4i,N4q,K4a,W4a but missed another ``G`` station so i missed by 1 station getting the award... [:-&]
<http://gqp.contesting.com/WriteUP/K4OD%20Awards/k4od_awards.htm>
<http://www.youtube.com/MrNorm46>
[http://mysite.ncnetwork.net/res868sp/sitebuildercontent/sitebuilderpict\
ures/myoutubegif.gif] <http://www.youtube.com/MrNorm46>

988. CQMM DX Contest 2011 - World Wide CW Contest

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-13 18:24:02 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 988 Message: 988

Here You go Norm and all You Big DX Type
73 De Don KA9QJG

Hi folks!
I want to invite you to CQMM DX Contest 2011!
Next April 15/16th we'll have our world wide cw contest!
Will be a great honor to receive your participation on CQ MANCHESTER
MINEIRADX CONTEST 2011.
CQMM DX Contest 2011
Rules:http://www.powerline.com.br/cwjf/Regulamento_Ing.pdf
N1MM and SD logger supports the CQMM DX Contest.
See you on CQMM!!!
Martins, PU5UAI

989. Kb9ygd Maidenhead Grid Squares Award

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-13 18:35:43 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 989 Message: 989

This is my maidenhead grid squares award from ham radio nation for submitting proof of contacting 500 maidenhead grid squares worldwide from Ken K9ken awards manager ham radio nation amateur radio social networking website Dated 4-12-2011 # 297.

990. Reply to Don/Group from Norm 4-13-11/20:40 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-13 20:41:46 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 990 Message: 990

Yeah Don this a major contest and cw which i have never worked for credit although i have made some qso`s in the contest and tnx fer lettin` me know.

Below is the info for this particular contest for members of this group who may want to work it.

73

Norm [:)]

CQ Manchester Mineira DX Contest: 1200Z, Apr 16 to 2359Z, Apr 17
Mode: CW Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m Classes: Single Op All Band (QRP/Low/High)
Single Op Single Band
Multi-Single Max power: High: 1500 watts
Low: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts Exchange: All: RST+continent abbreviation
CWJF members: RST + continent + "M"
QRP: RST + continent + "Q"
YL: RST + continent + "Y"
Multi-Op,Clubs,Groups: RST + continent + "G" Work stations: Once per band QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with same country
2 points per QSO on 20-10m with different country same continent
4 points per QSO on 80-40m with different country same continent
3 points per QSO on 20-10m with different continent
6 points per QSO on 80-40m with different continent
3 points per QSO with maritime mobile
10 points per QSO with CWJF member, YL or QRP station Multipliers:
Each SA prefix once per band
Each DXCC country once only Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults Submit logs by: May 31, 2011 E-mail logs to: cwjf[at]cqmmdx[dot]com Mail logs to: CWJF Group
P.O. Box 410
Juiz de Fora - MG 36001-970
Brazil Find rules at:
http://www.powerline.com.br/cwjf/Regulamento_Ing.pdf
<http://www.powerline.com.br/cwjf/Regulamento_Ing.pdf>

991. Atlas 5 / NROL-34 Upcoming Launch Broadcast Fri (4-15) at 12:04 am ET. / Thur (

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-14 04:56:20 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 991 Message: 991

FYI

I sure Miss MY BUD C/KU Band 8 Ft Dish

73 De Don KA9QJG

Thursday Evening (4-14) United Launch Alliance Atlas 5 rocket,

designated AV-027 is scheduled to launch NROL-34 classified payload for

the National Reconnaissance Office from SLC-3E, Vandenberg Air Force

Base, California.

Liftoff is targeted for 12:24 a.m. EDT. Friday / 9:24 p.m. PDT. Thursday

Satellite Broadcast Coordinates:

AMC 1 @ 103.0°W Transponder 15C (4000 H) Analog.

Testing starts approx at 11:35 p.m. EDT. Thursday

Broadcast starts approx. 12:04 a.m. EDT. Friday / 9:04 p.m. PDT.
Thursday

** the launch broadcast will end after confirmation of payload fairing

separation approximately five minutes after liftoff.

Don't have satellite TVRO system? a webcast of the launch is available
at:

http://www.ulalaunch.com/site/pages/Multimedia_Webcast.shtml
<http://www.ulalaunch.com/site/pages/Multimedia_Webcast.shtml>

Additional coverage at:

http://www.spaceflightnow.com/atlas/av027/status.html
<http://www.spaceflightnow.com/atlas/av027/status.html>

http://www.space.com/missionlaunches/launches/next_launch.html
<http://www.space.com/missionlaunches/launches/next_launch.html>

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992. Kb9ygd Triple Suffix Award Certificate.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-15 21:34:56 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 992 Message: 992

This is my triple suffix award certificate awarded to me by ham radio nation for contacting 26 stations with triple suffix`s 4-15-2011.This may seem like it would be easy to get but infact to receive this award you must show proof of the contacts from your logbook in *.adi file format.I did. Hurry and check your log and see if you qualify...

993. Re: [CQCQCQ] Kb9ygd Triple Suffix Award Certificate.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-16 03:45:35 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 992 Message: 993

Wow... more wall paper ! You will have to paper more rooms
than the shack !

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 4/15/2011 5:34 PM, Norm wrote:

> This is my triple suffix award certificate awarded

994. Reply to Jame`s from Norm 4-16-11/15:39 utc

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-16 15:52:35 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 994 Message: 994

Norm Say`s:

Ah..Yes.. One can never get enough qsl cards or certificate`s
Jame`s..although at time`s it may seem that i have to many i still want
more [#-o]

I have many special event certificates i received for working special
event stations over the years and have made some to as you know as you
have your old buzzard award from the 3.870 noontime am forum.I have
about an inch and 3/4 worth of special event certificates in a folder
and as far as qsl cards are concerned i have many on the shack wall and
several shoe boxe`s full under the bed.I also have most of my qsls and
certificates on my website for your and others review.. just click on
the animated *.gif at the bottom of this note Jame`s then choose the
amateur radio folder and if you look at all i have there it will take
you some time but you may enjoy it.

Happy Trails also and 73 my friend,Norm.

[fpagif.gif] <http://picasaweb.google.com/kb9ygd>

Jame`s Said:

Wow... more wall paper ! You will have to paper more rooms
than the shack !

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

995. This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-18 20:07:28 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 523 Message: 995

JT65-HF -- an 'Odd' but Fun Digital ModeDave Dunbar (N0RQ) <http://groups.yahoo.com/user/profile/N0RQ> on April 6, 2011

In case you've never seen it before, let's explore a seemingly-little-known digital mode calledJT65-HF. In some ways, it is very similar to other digital modes such as PSK31, but it some ways, it is very much different.

First, the similarities. The equipment required is the same as other digital modes, that is, the rig, the antenna, the computer with software, and a sound card interface. None of that will be new to you if you've ever done digital before.

It is also a low-power mode, even more so than PSK31. On the upper HF bands, you'll often run 5W-10W or so. On the lower bands, 5W-10W will often do the trick, but for DX you might well crank it up to 30W-40W if really needed. Some JT65-HF users are committed to 5W max, period. It is important not to crank up the power too much because it will make it hard or impossible for others to hear weaker signals, just like on PSK31. In most cases, 10W will be sufficient. This is an extremely efficient weak-signal mode.

Just like PSK31, you'll also want to watch the ALC meter on the rig to keep from overdriving the signal. This isn't quite as critical on JT65-HF as it is on PSK31, but it is still important. There should be zero ALC for these modes ☐ if you see some, turn down the sound card volume/output until ALC readings disappear.

OK, fine, that's the stuff you already knew. So what's so different about JT65-HF?

First, your favorite software doesn't do this mode. It's not in FLDIGI or HRD/DM780 or MixW or anything else like that. You need special software. (Have no fear, it's free!) There are technically two choices, though in reality there's only one good choice for the new user. You could use WSJT v9, which is THE choice for VHF/UHF high-speed meteor scatter (HSMS), as one of its modes is JT65A (JT65-HF), but this is not the wise choice for HF because it doesn't help with QSO procedures on HF. What you really want to get (trust me on this) is JT65-HF. The current version is 1.0.7, and can be found at the link listed at the end. Installation is pretty easy, and requires only limited configuration.

Second, and the thing that is most unique about JT65-HF, are the QSO procedures. It is not a transmit-at-will or send-whatever-you-want mode. It is highly structured (similar to FSK441 or ISCAT on VHF) and

because the maximum number of characters you can send in freeform is 13 (that's right, thirteen). And here you thought a 140-character tweet on Twitter was short!

The sequence of a contact depends on the computer clock being very accurate. We're not talking within 30 seconds here. 2 seconds off is barely acceptable. 1 second off is usually OK. In reality, you'll want it to be less than 0.5 seconds off. What that means for you is that the built-in Windows clock sync probably won't be sufficient. You need to get good clock sync software. The most popular one is D4 (Dimension 4); Meinberg is the other major choice (links below). If you're running Win7 or Vista, look at Meinberg first, but D4 will work if you run it as Admin and in XP compatibility mode. Either of them will keep your clock accurate to within a few hundredths of a second.

So now that your clock is good, you're ready to decode some signals. Start the software and tune your rig to 20m (USB dial freq 14076) or 40m (USB dial freq 7076), or pick one of the other bands, but make sure to pick a standard JT65-HF freq (1838, 3576, ~10138, 18102, 21076, 24920, 28076 kHz) and make sure it is USB. If you're receiving a signal, it should look something like this waterfall:

This is very similar to waterfalls for other digital modes. Across the top is the offset in Hertz ☐ note the 2kHz width. From top to bottom is time, most recent on top. The thin red lines delineate minutes. Where you see two thin red lines close to each other means I was transmitting most of that minute. In the current minute (at the top) there is a modestly-weak signal at nearly -500Hz, and a strong one at about +40Hz. If you go back several minutes, you might see the very weak signal at -150Hz and another at about -730Hz. Those very weak signals could very well have been decoded. The "sync" tones at the left of the 175Hz signal are transmitted more than the others, so they tend to show up the best.

JT65-HF is done 60 seconds at a time. For 48 seconds, a station will transmit, and then there are 12 seconds of silence. Then in the next minute, the other station transmits for 48 seconds, followed by (you guessed it) 12 seconds of silence. During those 12 seconds, the computer is very busy decoding everything it can in the 2kHz segment and displaying the results in the decode window. Near the end of the 12 seconds, the receiving station decides if he wants to answer a CQ, or proceed to the next step of an in-progress QSO.

OK, time for the description of how a QSO works. I'm going to call CQ, and W1AW will decide to answer me.

I click on the Call CQ button and Enable TX. At the 00 second mark (of either the even or odd minute, depending on which I chose), I will send CQ N0RQ EM13 . (This is what is generated by the program, and as you'll see, both grids and a signal report are exchanged.) My xmit

will last for 48 seconds, and in the following minute, I'll wait to see if I get a response.

W1AW sees my signal, decodes it, and decides to answer, so he'll double-click the decoded line which will make the software start sending at the 00 second mark of the next minute. He will send N0RQ W1AW FN31 . When I see that and decode it, I'll proceed to the next step (either by double-clicking on that decoded line, or by clicking on the Answer Caller button), which will make me send W1AW N0RQ -06 . "06" is the signal strength in dB, automatically filled in by the program, and will range from -01 (extremely strong) to -25 or so (extremely weak). After that, W1AW will send N0RQ W1AW R-13 , meaning "roger, your signal is" -13 or whatever. My response to that is W1AW N0RQ RRR , and then he'll send N0RQ W1AW 73(or some freeform "73"-type text), and the final step is for me to send W1AW N0RQ 73 (or perhaps something like TU HQ! 73 or 5W DIPOLE 73).

To see it a bit more clearly, it would look like this:

CQ N0RQ EM13 (I CQ)

N0RQ W1AW FN31 (he answers with his grid)

W1AW N0RQ -06 (I send signal report)

N0RQ W1AW R-13 (he sends Roger and my signal report)

W1AW N0RQ RRR (I acknowledge receipt of his report)

N0RQ W1AW 73 (he sends a standard or freeform 73)

10W DIPOLE 73 (I send a freeform or standard 73 ☐ contact is over)

Key note: only proceed to the next step if you heard that the other station proceeded to his next step ☐ otherwise, repeat the step you're on until you hear him proceed. The buttons in the JT65-HF software show the natural progress of a contact ☐ the first row of buttons if you're doing the CQ, and the second row of buttons if you're answering a CQ.

That's it in a nutshell. When you actually see the JT65-HF screen and watch a couple of QSOs, it will make a lot more sense. As you can see, a single contact takes 7 minutes or more.

JT65-HF is so labeled because it sends 65 tones spread out over 175Hz. The "JT" part comes from the original creator of this type of mode, Joe Taylor, K1JT, the 1993 winner of the Nobel Prize in physics, and the author of the excellent HSMS and EME software known asWSJT <http://www.ykc.com/wa5ufh/> .

JT65-HF is written by W6CQZ, and is an extremely efficient weak-signal mode ☐ it is possible to decode signals you simply cannot hear in audio and can even barely see on the waterfall display. You'll probably love it or hate it ☐ if you're a ragchewer, you might hate it ☐ but many of us have found it to be addictively fun! Even with my modest remote station <http://www.powerlinenoise.com/n0rq/remote.htm> in the central US and low power, I've worked guys all over Europe and in other countries as well.

For logging, the mode in your log should say JT65 (though technically, the mode is JT65A). A good majority of JT65-HF users are LOTW participants, making QSLing easy. The software has a built-in logging function, which creates a standard .adif file, which can easily be imported into your favorite logging software.

Before concluding, it is certainly worth mentioning a very useful add-on product called JT-Alert by VK3AMA. It is distinct from JT65-HF, but works closely with it. It looks at the decodes made by JT65-HF and then displays info and makes sounds when it detects things like CQ, or your callsign being sent by someone (such as an answer to your CQ), or a wanted state. It can also detect that you've worked someone before on the band you're on and optionally ignore any alert that may have been generated. It is a helpful tool that is worth installing.

Here are those links I promised:

http://sourceforge.net/projects/jt65-hf/files/ <http://sourceforge.net/projects/jt65-hf/files/> download the latest software and .pdf setup/operations doc

http://www.hamclubs.info/JT-Utilities/ <http://www.hamclubs.info/JT-Utilities/> JT-Alert add-on software with visual and audio alerts

http://hamspots.net/wsjt/ <http://hamspots.net/wsjt/> "cluster"-type spots for JT65-HF and other digital modes

http://groups.google.com/group/jt65-hf <http://groups.google.com/group/jt65-hf> JT65-HF group discussions (on Google groups)

http://www.thinkman.com/dimension4/index.htm <http://www.thinkman.com/dimension4/index.htm> D4 time sync

http://www.meinberg.de/english/sw/ntp.htm <http://www.meinberg.de/english/sw/ntp.htm> Meinberg time sync

Although I've gone into a modest level of detail with this article, there are setup options and some operating procedures that were not covered. I highly suggest reading the excellent setup manual/documentation. The JT65-HF group discussions are also very useful, with a great set of friendly and helpful folks participating.

Go forth and have fun on JT65-HF!

73, Dave NØRQ

http://www.powerlinenoise.com/n0rq/
<http://www.powerlinenoise.com/n0rq/>

Here at KB(YGD i work JT65 and most other modes and am available
for``skeds``.

996. Kb9ygd same name award from HRN

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-19 17:23:40 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 996 Message: 996

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997. National Terrorism Advisory System

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-21 19:28:04 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 997 Message: 997

FYI Hope We never need it 73 De Don KA9QJG

Secretary Napolitano Announces Implementation of National Terrorism Advisory System

Citizens can sign up for free updated alerts via email, cell and smart phones from The Emergency Email and Wireless Networkhttp://www.EmergencyEmail.org <http://www.emergencyemail.org/> .

NEW YORK - Secretary of Homeland Security Janet Napolitano announced the implementation of the Department of Homeland Security's (DHS) National Terrorism Advisory System (NTAS) - a robust terrorism advisory system that provides timely information to the public about credible terrorist threats and replaces the former color-coded alert system.

The New Syetem has only 2 levels and replaces the previous 5 color levels....

· "Elevated Threat": Warns of a credible terrorist threat against the United States

· "Imminent Threat": Warns of a credible, specific, and impending terrorist threat against the United States

As part of the announcement, Secretary Napolitano will release a public guide outlining the new system to the American public, along with an example of an NTAS Alert that would be issued to the public if the government were to receive information about a specific or credible terrorist threat.

"The terrorist threat facing our country has evolved significantly over the past ten years, and in today's environment - more than ever - we know that the best security strategy is one that counts on the American public as a key partner in securing our country," said Secretary Napolitano. "The National Terrorism Advisory System, which was developed in close collaboration with our federal, state, local, tribal and private sector partners, will provide the American public with information about credible threats so that they can better protect themselves, their families, and their communities."

Under NTAS, DHS will coordinate with other federal entities to issue detailed alerts to the public when the federal government receives information about a credible terrorist threat.
NTAS alerts provide a concise summary of the potential threat including geographic region, mode of transportation, or critical infrastructure potentially affected by the threat, actions being taken to ensure public

safety, as well as recommended steps that individuals, communities, business and governments can take to help prevent, mitigate or respond to a threat. NTAS Alerts will include a clear statement on the nature of the threat, which will be defined in one of two ways:

* "Elevated Threat": Warns of a credible terrorist threat against the United States
* "Imminent Threat": Warns of a credible, specific, and impending terrorist threat against the United States

Depending on the nature of the threat, alerts may be sent to law enforcement, distributed to affected areas of the private sector, or issued more broadly to the public through both official and social media channels.

DHS encourages citizens to follow NTAS Alerts for information about threats and take an active role in security by reporting suspicious activity to local law enforcement authorities through the ?If You See Something, Say Something? public awareness campaign.

998. Kb9ygd Certificates HRN 4-21-2011...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-21 21:13:08 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 998 Message: 998

I have posted below 2 of my latest award certificates from ham radio nation.My twin cites award for contacting 3 pairs of stations with cites that are named the same and providing proof in the form of an *.adi logbook file and my welcome to hell award for providing proof in the form of an *.adi logbook file for contacting 50 stations in the FELD HELL mode.

999. Happy Easter Everyone...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-24 22:18:30 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 999 Message: 999

Happy Easter Everyone from The Triantafilos Family [:))]

1000. RE: [CQCQCQ] Happy Easter Everyone...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-24 22:21:09 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 999 Message: 1000
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Thanks Norm and a Very Happy Easter To You and all on the Group and To all our Service People around the World

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.qops.k12.wi.us/images/easter.jpg

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Sunday, April 24, 2011 5:19 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Happy Easter Everyone...

Happy Easter Everyone from The Triantafilos Family :))
<http://us.i1.yimg.com/us.yimg.com/i/mesg/tsmileys2/18.gif>

1001. Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy Easter Everyone...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-25 00:46:50 UTC
From: Mark Zelesky
Topic: 999 Message: 1001

I popped the Easter bunny out back this morning. No Easter this year!

Sent from my Commodore vic20

On Apr 24, 2011, at 5:21 PM, "ka9qjg" <KA9QJG@WOWWAY.COM> wrote:

Thanks Norm and a Very Happy Easter To You and all on the Group and To all our Service People around the World

73 De Don KA9QJG

<image001.jpg>

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Sunday, April 24, 2011 5:19 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Happy Easter Everyone...

Happy Easter Everyone from The Triantafilos Family

1002. Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy Easter Everyone...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-25 03:43:41 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 999 Message: 1002

Aw Shoot. If I had known this, I could have skipped going to my
in-laws' place today. 300 mile drive... Too bad you could not
have posted this sooner... ;-(

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 4/24/2011 8:46 PM, Mark Zelesky wrote:
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>
> I popped the Easter bunny out back this morning. No Easter this year!
>

1003. Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy Easter Everyone...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-25 03:45:53 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 999 Message: 1003

Too late... I have OTHER plans... gotta visit the in-laws...

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 4/24/2011 6:18 PM, Norm wrote:
>
>
> *Happy Easter Everyone from The Triantafilos Family :))*

1004. Kb9ygd HRN worked all canadian provinces award...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-25 18:57:47 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1004 Message: 1004

Here is the Kb9ygd ham radio nation worked all canadian provinces award # 344 dated 4-25-2011.To receive this award i had to prove i worked all the provinces by submitting an *.adi log file with the required qso`s within which i did [:))]

1005. Kb9ygd Photo Collage 4-26-2011...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-26 18:41:18 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1005 Message: 1005

Ah..Yes Indeed...I have outdone myself it seems...Here is a beautifull photo collage of the ham radio nation certificates that i have Earned so far.I spent a lot of time designing this to what i think is nice as there is no limits as to what can be done with this stuff if you have the programs,learn how to use them and have the time to do it which i have [B-)]

Comments are welcome both positive and negitive on this...

1006. Re: [CQCQCQ] Kb9ygd Photo Collage 4-26-2011...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-26 18:57:30 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1005 Message: 1006

Sheesh ! That is a lot of wall paper, Norm !

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 4/26/2011 2:41 PM, Norm wrote:
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> *Ah..Yes Indeed...I have outdone myself it seems...Here is a beautifull
> photo collage of the ham radio nation certificates that i have _Earned_
> so far.I spent a lot of time designing this to what i think is nice as
> there is no limits as to what can be done with this stuff if you have
> the programs,learn how to use them and have the time to do it which i
> have B-)*
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> *Comments are welcome both positive and negitive on this...*
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1007. Reply to James from Norm 4-26-11/2:49 indiana time...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-26 20:04:51 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1007 Message: 1007

He he he..Negative Jame`s..one never can get enough (enuff for brevity) awards,certificates,qsl`s,etc.Ya have to be grabby...ah...like a poor little destitute mouse late at night at the city dump when someone throws out some cheese...they have to beat the cockroaches to the plunder...Well this is the the mindset one must adopt when they do amateur radio.Then and only then will they reap the fruits of their endeavor`s... as there seems there is an over abundence of lazy hams out there! That neither know nor care about what this is all about!

Below is an animated *.gif that is also a link to my photobucket website where i just put up a little slide show for you James and the groups review.I do hope you like it [:-?]

73,Norm/Kb9ygd [:))]

[Mr_Norm] <http://s355.photobucket.com/albums/r478/triantafilos/>

1008. Re: [CQCQCQ] Reply to James from Norm 4-26-11/2:49 indiana time...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-26 21:43:15 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1007 Message: 1008

Nice slide-show. Your garden looks good. There is a lot going on
for a small lot. I presume the kid with the curly locks is YOU...eh?
The young man in the uniform at "parade rest" ... can he still fit into
that uniform? (Don't answer that...)

Nice. Very American.

I planned to use my new antennas today... have the afternoon off... but
there is a raging thunderstorm going on ! Maybe tomorrow....

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 4/26/2011 4:04 PM, Norm wrote:
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link to my photobucket
> website where i just put up a little slide show for you James and the
> groups review.I do hope you like it :-? *

1009. Reply to James from Norm 4-27-11/10:30 am indiana time...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-27 15:41:32 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1007 Message: 1009

Thank You James well the lot is 40x100 ft and yes there is a lot going on here both summer and winter as i dont like to walk or drive in snow and love a nice lawn, beautifull flowers,etc.

The guy at PR was me during basic at fort rucker alabama in 1966 I think although it may have been another photo as i think i several like that on my various websites.

I still am rather trim as when i was 19 but me belly (my young gurlz dream) is somewhat bulbous but not overly so.

Yes you can use the new antennas in the rain but remember that if you dont log ur qsos in an electronic logbook program years down the road when you want to apply for an award you wont have what you need to qualify.

==========Happy Trail`s========Norm/Kb9ygd [O:)]
--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, Richards <jruing@...> wrote:
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> The young man in the uniform at "parade rest" ... can he still fit
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> that uniform? (Don't answer that...)
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> Happy Trails.
> ======================= Richards / K8JHR =========================
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> link to my photobucket
> > website where i just put up a little slide show for you James and
the
> > groups review.I do hope you like it :-? *
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> ____
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1010. This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-27 17:41:58 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 523 Message: 1010

This may interest you...

You are instructed to go here
http://forums.qrz.com/member.php?29814-KB9YGD
<http://forums.qrz.com/member.php?29814-KB9YGD>

Thank You and 73 Norm/Kb9ygd [B-)]

[``THE REAL HAM``] ``The Real Ham``

1011. Re: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-27 21:46:54 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 523 Message: 1011

I forgot about that page.
73
Bill ab9qu
----- Original Message -----
From: "Norm" <mr_norm_1999@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wednesday, April 27, 2011 12:41:58 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you...

This may interest you...

You are instructed to go here http://forums.qrz.com/member.php?29814-KB9YGD

Thank You and 73 Norm/Kb9ygd B-)

``THE REAL HAM`` ``The Real Ham``

1012. To Bill/Ab9qu from Norm/Kb9ygd/15:27 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-28 15:38:45 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1012 Message: 1012

Ah...Not to worry..Bill you will find that as you mature..this happens and i am about 10 years older than you and now cant remember nuttin` and its gittin` worse [#-o]

Now i have 3 friends on my qrz.com page a poor showing for sure as i have sent out about 200 requests...seems most hams check their qrz profile once a year and their email every 6 months ah ha ha ha [:))]

But not you bill ur on the ball and i like that.

73.Norm [O:)]

[Yes..Indeed..it was late one night at the cementary and the moon was shining]

1013. Kb9ygd HRN Member Certificate

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-28 17:25:52 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1013 Message: 1013

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1014. OT Life from a Old Farmer sitting on the seat of His Tractor

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-29 02:28:46 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1014 Message: 1014

Off Topic but I just had to share

73 De Don KA9QJG

An old Farmer's Words of Wisdom we could all live by., ... I have nothing to add except get rid of all the BS and Stress in Your life and this just about covers it

"Your fences need to be horse-high, pig-tight and bull-strong."

"Keep skunks and bankers at a distance."

"Life is simpler when you plow around the stump."

"A bumble bee is considerably faster than a John Deere tractor."

"Words that soak into your ears are whispered ....not yelled."

"Meanness don't just happen overnight."

"Forgive your enemies; it messes up their heads."

"Do not corner something that you know is meaner than you."

"It don't take a very big person to carry a grudge."

"You cannot unsay a cruel word."

"Every path has a few puddles."

"When you wallow with pigs, expect to get dirty."

"The best sermons are lived, not preached."

"Most of the stuff people worry about, ain't never gonna happen anyway."

"Don't judge folks by their relatives.

"Remember that silence is sometimes the best answer."

"Live a good and honorable life, then when you get older and think back, you'll enjoy it a second time."

"Don't interfere with somethin' that ain't bothering you none."

"Timing has a lot to do with the outcome of a rain dance."

"If you find yourself in a hole, the first thing to do is stop diggin'."

"Sometimes you get, and sometimes you get got.

"The biggest troublemaker you'll probably ever have to deal with, watches you from the mirror every mornin'."

"Always drink upstream from the herd."

"Good judgment comes from experience, and a lotta that comes from bad judgment."

"Lettin' the cat outta the bag is a whole lot easier than puttin' it back in."

"If you get to thinkin' you're a person of some influence, try orderin' somebody else's dog around."

"Live simply, love generously, care deeply,
Speak kindly, and leave the rest to God."

"Don't pick a fight with an old man. If he is too old to fight, he'll just kill you."

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And..... Some days all you can do is smile and wait for some kind soul to come pull your ass out of the bind you've gotten yourself into

1015. HRN certificate

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-29 05:27:30 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 1015 Message: 1015
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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1016. RE: [CQCQCQ] HRN certificate [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-29 05:39:28 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1015 Message: 1016
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Congratulation Bill Heck I am embarrassed to get on here With You and that Real Ham Norm You guys just keep on Hamming it up and having fun

73 De Don KA9QJG

610b089ee754fe75,700,525,

1017. Re: HRN certificate [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-29 05:52:07 UTC
From: ab9qu
Topic: 1015 Message: 1017

Some might tell us to get a life. I like it.
73 Bill AB9QU

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "ka9qjg" <KA9QJG@...> wrote:
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> Congratulation Bill Heck I am embarrassed to get on here With You and that Real Ham Norm You guys just keep on Hamming it up and having fun
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> 73 De Don KA9QJG
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> 610b089ee754fe75,700,525,
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1018. Re: [CQCQCQ] HRN certificate [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-29 06:57:58 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1015 Message: 1018

Are these safe to click on... or spam ?

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 4/29/2011 1:27 AM, ab9qu@... wrote:
> [Attachment(s) <#TopText> from ab9qu@... included below]
>
> Attachment(s) from ab9qu@...
>
> 1 of 1 Photo(s)
>
> 610b089ee754fe75,700,525,.jpg
> <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/attachments/folder/78231580/item/358209351/view>
> 610b089ee754fe75,700,525,.jpg
> <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/attachments/folder/78231580/item/358209351/view>

1019. RE: [CQCQCQ] HRN certificate

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-29 07:00:28 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1015 Message: 1019

It is Safe I checked Then reposted it to Show Hams do not post Spam Some actually eat Spam This is no sham or scam LOL

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Friday, April 29, 2011 1:58 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] HRN certificate

Are these safe to click on... or spam ?

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 4/29/2011 1:27 AM, ab9qu@... <mailto:ab9qu%40comcast.net> wrote:
> [Attachment(s) <#TopText> from ab9qu@... <mailto:ab9qu%40comcast.net> included below]
>
> Attachment(s) from ab9qu@... <mailto:ab9qu%40comcast.net>
>
> 1 of 1 Photo(s)
>
> 610b089ee754fe75,700,525,.jpg
> <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/attachments/folder/78231580/item/358209351/view>
> 610b089ee754fe75,700,525,.jpg
> <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/attachments/folder/78231580/item/358209351/view>

1020. Re: [CQCQCQ] HRN certificate

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-29 08:56:39 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1015 Message: 1020

Great... Just wanting to be sure, because on a couple of groups
the spam bots bot hold of some ham email address books, and sent
plenty of crappola to their whole book of contacts, including some
yahoo groups. So I ask before I open stuff.

Thanks for the courtesy of confirmation.

And I eat spam, too. We were not rich growing up, and my Mom
had a bunch of recipes that used spam - some of which were even
tasty... but not all. Saved money and we survived it all in any case.

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 4/29/2011 3:00 AM, ka9qjg wrote:
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>
> It is Safe I checked Then reposted it to Show Hams do not post Spam
> Some actually eat Spam This is no sham or scam LOL

1021. Replt To Group from Norm/Kb9ygd 4-29-11/

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-29 14:15:47 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1021 Message: 1021

Gentlemen;

You can be assured that anything i post to this group or any other group which has a link contained within the body of the post is safe to click on and view.

I am very aware of the spyders,crawlers and web bots and the spam on YG`s and on one of my websites about 5 years ago my guestbook wes being attacked by a bot and i had to remove it and change some settings because on this website i didnt get an email before it was posted so as to delete it or allow the post as i do on my other websites.

If you have the proper programs running on your computer you can be protected from adware cookies,drivebys,etc.I would sugest downloading spybot search & destroy and ad-aware and grissoft AVG antivirus,advanced system care and !0bit security 360, all free and take the time to learn what the progroms do and how to configure them and keep the *.dat files updated because if you dont have something in place like this and become compromised and dont understand this stuff its going to cost you some money [:O]

As i aforemented above these are all free and once on ur computer and working together they wont allow you to even visit a poisoned webpage and everything in and out of your computer will be monitored and if you do a search it will tell you on the search page what is safe and what is not.

Bill we have a life its just that its full of amateur radio...Life is gud (good instead of good used for brevity in CW).

Peace of mind need not be costly...but 1st you must get involved and devote some effort on ur part.

If anyone doesnt understand this or needs help please (pse in CW fer brevity) pse contact me.

73

Norm [B-)]

1023. To Bill/Ab9qu from Norm/Kb9ygd 16:18/utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-29 16:24:45 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1023 Message: 1023

Excellent Bill and i am extreemly pleased to see your ham radio membership certificate on here.

I dont know how you edited your certificate but it looks so good.I downloaded mine and edited it in Ulead Photoimpact 12 and i cropped some of the blue to where Ken (K9ken) had the gold frame.

Congratulations again Bill and keep up the good work my friend.

73,Norm [:)]

1024. Re: [CQCQCQ] To Bill/Ab9qu from Norm/Kb9ygd 16:18/utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-04-30 05:12:48 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 1023 Message: 1024

Norm,
I didn't edit it at all. I printed it the way it was sent to me.
Bill
----- Original Message -----
From: "Norm" <mr_norm_1999@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, April 29, 2011 11:24:45 AM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] To Bill/Ab9qu from Norm/Kb9ygd 16:18/utc/zulu

Excellent Bill and i am extreemly pleased to see your ham radio membership certificate on here.

I dont know how you edited your certificate but it looks so good.I downloaded mine and edited it in Ulead Photoimpact 12 and i cropped some of the blue to where Ken (K9ken) had the gold frame.

Congratulations again Bill and keep up the good work my friend.

73,Norm :)

1025. Re: [CQCQCQ] To Bill/Ab9qu from Norm/Kb9ygd 16:18/utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-01 03:16:07 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1023 Message: 1025
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

While I enjoy ham radio... there is more to life than ham radio, and I was pleased to receive this Certificate today for service to a national organization that helps handicappers become more independent. I am proud of what I do for this organization.

I will have to work pretty hard to get some ham radio wall paper. Norm sets a pretty good example to follow. Maybe no one will realize my wall paper is of a different type. ;-)

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 4/30/2011 1:12 AM, ab9qu@... wrote:
> Norm,
> I didn't edit it at all. I printed it the way it was sent to me.
>

1026. RE: [CQCQCQ] To Bill/Ab9qu from Norm/Kb9ygd 16:18/utc/zulu [1 Attachment]

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-01 03:22:46 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1023 Message: 1026

Well James , Congratulations That is something to be Proud Of I have only met a few hams in over 35 Yrs Who was Not willing to Help anyway they Could

Keep up the Great work You will be rewarded in the end

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@...m] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, April 30, 2011 10:16 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] To Bill/Ab9qu from Norm/Kb9ygd 16:18/utc/zulu [1 Attachment]

[Attachment(s) from Richards included below]

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Attachment(s) from Richards

1 of 1 Photo(s)

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/attachments/folder/1782203451/item/799086049/view>
Cert 1 sm .jpeg

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/attachments/folder/1782203451/item/799086049/view>
Cert 1 sm .jpeg

1027. Cebiksite] Released new issue for May 2011

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-02 05:22:14 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1027 Message: 1027

FYI
And Do not forget all the good Free info
73 De Don KA9QJG

The new issue of antenneX May 2011 has been published.

If you like to read our latest technical articles, the new antenneX online issue is now ready to read at your pleasure!

Whether you are a paid subscriber or not, there are always several new articles and other downloads made freely available in the Guest Rooms each month.

For more info about this new issue:

http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html
<http://www.antennex.com/news/index.html>

Also, a new audio version of Stone's Throw! column available.

Here are links to the new audio presentation of the main topic portion of my column this month:

o Streaming (RealPlayer):

http://www.antennex.com/stones0511.ram
<http://www.antennex.com/stones0511.ram>

o MS Media Player or the like:

http://www.antennex.com/sound/stones0511.mp3
<http://www.antennex.com/sound/stones0511.mp3>

o The text version of the above column is here:

http://www.antennex.com/Stones/st0511/st0511.htm
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1028. Indiana QSO Party (INQP)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-02 05:42:01 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1028 Message: 1028

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS Other Members of this Group are more than Welcome to Post Activities
Like this in Your Areas too

http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/ <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/>

[Indiana QSO Party]

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Sponsored by HDXCCthe Hoosier DX and Contest Club
<http://www.hdxcc.org/index.html>

Rules <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/rules.html>

Counties <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/counties.html>

Activity <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/activity.php>

Software <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/software.html>

Publicity Package
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/INQP/files/Publicity%20Package/>

Logs <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/logs.php>

Scores <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/scores.php>

Records <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/records.php>

Soapbox <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/soapbox.html>

INQP History <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/history.html>

INQP Reflector <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/inqp>

Contact <mailto:inqp@...?subject=Web%20Site%20Contact>

The purpose of the Indiana QSO Party (INQP) is to encourage contact
with Indiana amateur radio stations by other Indiana hams and hams
worldwide. Stations outside of Indiana work Indiana stations only.
Indiana stations work everybody, including other Indiana stations. See
the 2011 rules <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/rules.html> for the rest of
the details.

2010 log checking is complete, and the scores
<http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/scores.php> page has all the results.

Congratulations to the winners!

Worked All Indiana Award

The INQP is a great time to work on your Worked All Indiana Award <http://www.hdxcc.org/wai/index.html> . It only takes 60 confirmed counties to earn the initial certificate. Your INQP QSOs count as confirmed QSOs toward your WAI. Just indicate the INQP QSOs on your GCR, and we'll use your submitted log to confirm the QSOs.

Stay in Touch

You are invited to join the INQP reflector. <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/inqp> Post your questions about the INQP, make suggestions for next year, or just jump in the general discussion with other participants and the organizers.

-------- Original Message --------

Subject: [INQP] Who's in for 2011 INQP?

Date: Sun, 01 May 2011 17:48:47 -0400

From: Mel Crichton <kj9c@... <mailto:kj9c@...> >

Reply-To: INQP@yahoogroups.com <mailto:INQP@yahoogroups.com>

To: INQP <inqp@yahoogroups.com <mailto:inqp@yahoogroups.com> >

Haven't heard from a lot of counties... so who's planning at least a little time operating INQP this year?

We've had fewer folks planning to go mobile/rover/portable... with gas at over 4 dollars a gallon we can't blame them... so to help those who DO plan to drive, let's try to put as many FIXED stations on as possble.

Not only will we be helping the environment (and my wallet) but we'll be making MORE noise from Indiana!

Stations active in 2010 but not heard from (IF YOU KNOW THESE FOLKS, PLEASE GIVE THEM A CALL AND SHAKE THE BUSHES):

COUNTY - CALLS

Adams - no fixed stations active

Allen - W9LO, W9TE, NY6J

BArtholomew - no fixed stations active (N9XO plans to operate this year) Benton - no fixed stations active Blackford - no fixed stations active Boone - N9WP Brown - W8ISH/P, K9DY, N9LC Carroll - no fixed stations active Cass - N9PVQ Clark - W9PV Clay - no fixed stations active Clinton - no fixed stations active Crawford - AB9VC, KC9RJO

Daviess - KC9RYE Dearborn - no fixed stations active Decatur - no fixed stations active

DeKalb- K9FON, K9FOS

Delaware - no fixed stations active!!!! (Muncie is a big town)

Elkhart W9RAM

Fayette - no fixed stations active

Floyd - no fixed stations active

Franklin - no fixed stations active

Fulton - no fixed stations active

Grant - KA9DLJ, AJ9C

Hamilton - WA0JTK, W9FG, K9NBR, KA2EYH

Hancock - K9SG, WA9TPZ

Harrison - W9WXN

Hendricks - WA9DU, W9JAP, WB9EV

Henry - N9ZH

Huntington - KC9AYV

Jackson - no fixed stations active

Jasper - no fixed stations active

Jay - W9STG

Jefferson - no fixed stations active !!!

Jennings - no fixed stations active

Johnson - KM9U, KN9C, NB9M, K9RM, KB9BVN Knox - no fixed stations active Kosciusko - KC9PBQ

Lake Co - K9WWT, W9LJ, W9LC, K9WRW, W9IYB, KB9YGO, KC9DHD, N9HSB, K9MO

LaPorte Co - W9IP

Lawrence - KB9LGS, WA9JHH

Madison - W9SN, KV9W, KC9IOG, KC9LWK

Marion - K9RU, WA9VBG, K8VGL, KG9CM, N9CXI, W9IRL, W9IMS, W9VW, WW2IND, KE9YA, AB9IQ MArshall - WC2O, WB9L Martin - no fixed stations active Monroe - WX1MAN Montgomery - no fixed stations active Morgan -

W9ILF, W9ETA, Newton - no fixed stations active

Noble K9RFZ, W9LE, KB9MW

Ohio - no fixed stations active

Orange - no fixed stations active

Owen - no fixed stations active

Parke - no fixed stations active

Porter Co - W9COX, N9TAX, KC9OYE

Posey -WB9ICL

Pulaski - no fixed stations active

Putnam - N9WKW

Randolph - no fixed stations active

Ripley - WB9OTX, KA9FTM, WY9L, KC9HYL

Rush - W9HBH

Scott - no fixed stations active

Shelby - no fixed stations active

Spencer - no fixed stations active

St Jo - N9YB, KK9G, KC9CTN

Starke - WC2O, WB9L, W3ML, W9JOZ, KC9ISJ, KD9U, W9AL Steuben K9HD Sullivan - no fixed stations active Switzerland - NG9Y Tippecanoe - W9RGB, K9FOH, K9IN, N9LJX, W9TN, KF9UP Tipton - no fixed stations active Union - no fixed stations active Vanderburgh - W9OG, WA9C Vermillion - W9COD Vigo - W9UUU, KC9UU Wabash - AA9SH, WA9SPT Warren - N9LYY, W9ZTH Warrick - KC9OUT, K0RL Wayne - NU9DE, K9UT, KB9HOX Wells - W9SR White - WB9OFG Whitley - N9QCL, WZ9C, WB8ORR Mobiles, Rovers, and Portables - N9VKU, N9OL, WB9CIF, N9QX

Thanks

Mel KJ9C

1029. Indiana QSO Party, Saturday, 5/7, Noon to Midnight EDT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-02 18:01:01 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1029 Message: 1029

FYI FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

And a Note From below from our Member John W9WY

Be sure to get on this weekend and work the W9LJ station. W9LJ is participating in the INQP and would like to score tops in the state!!!

Indiana QSO Party, Saturday, 5/7, Noon to Midnight EDT

www.hdxcc.org/inqp/rules.html <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/rules.html>

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Sponsored by HDXCCthe Hoosier DX and Contest Club

2011 Indiana QSO Party Rules

1. Objective: For Amateurs worldwide to contact as many stations in Indiana as possible on the 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 meter Amateur bands.

2. Date and Contest Period: Contest starts at 1600 UTC Saturday and ends at 0400 UTC Sunday the first full weekend of May. (Saturday noon to midnight EDT or 11am to 11pm CDT.) For 2011, this is May 7-8. All stations may operate the full

12- hour period.

3. Entry Categories:

* Single-operator (High Power, Low Power or QRP). One person performs all logging, spotting, and operating functions.

* Low Power is transmitter output of 100 watts or less.

* QRP is transmitter output power of 5 watts or less.

* Multi-operator single transmitter (Multi-Single). Only one signal is permitted on the air at any time.

* Multi-Operator Multi-transmitter (Multi-Multi). Fixed stations (only) may operate without limit on the number of operators, transmitters or signals per band.

* Mobile. Mobile is defined as a self-contained single or multi-operator station, capable of legal motion (land, water or air), motion optional. A mobile station that at any time uses a larger antenna incapable of being used in motion is considered a rover (see below).

* Portable. A single transmitter station set up in a temporary location with temporary antennas (Field Day style). Portable stations may be either single or multiple operator.

* Rover. A portable, or a mobile station using larger (non-mobile) antennas, that operates from more than one location.

* A portable station may move (in entirety -- antennas included) to a new county or county line, thereby becoming a rover.

* Rover stations may be worked again when they change counties (same as mobile stations).

* Operation while mobile is permitted.

* A county line mobile, portable, or rover may operate from only one or two counties at a time. In other words, three and four county operations are not allowed.

* Multi-Multi entrants may transmit any number of signals simultaneously. All others may transmit only one signal on the air at any given time.

* There is no "Assisted" category. Therefore, stations using spotting assistance shall enter as Multi-Single or Multi-Multi. Self-spotting is not permitted.

* Fixed stations must enter as Single-operator, Multi-Single or Multi-Multi only.

4. Contest Exchange:

* Indiana stations send RS(T) plus Indiana county.

* Non-Indiana stations in the USA and Canada send RS(T) and state, province or territory.

* All others (DX) send RS(T) only or RS(T) plus "DX".

5. Scoring:

QSO points:

* Count one point for each complete two-way phone QSO.

* Count two points for each complete two-way CW QSO.

* Stations may be worked once in each mode (CW/phone) on each band (160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10). The same fixed station could theoretically be worked twelve times. Exception: Mobile and rover stations may be worked in each county of operation. For example, you may rework the same mobile station in both modes on every band every time the mobile moves to a new county.

* Stations on county boundaries may be worked for multiple county credit (stations need not physically move to declare a new county). Contacts with such stations should be logged as multiple QSOs. For example, a contact with a mobile parked on the boundary between two counties should be logged as two QSOs, one for each county.

* Non-Indiana stations may work only Indiana stations.

* Repeater, cross-band and cross-mode contacts are not allowed.

Multipliers:

* Non-Indiana stations:

* The 92 Indiana counties (see Section 9).

* Indiana stations:

* The 92 Indiana counties (see Section 9).

* The other 49 U.S. states (District of Columbia counts as Maryland).

* The 13 Canadian Provinces/Territories: NB, NS, QC, ON, MB, SK, AB, BC, NT, NL, YT, PE and NU.

* Multipliers count once per mode (i.e. once on CW and once on phone). This means you can double your possible mults by working both modes.

* Indiana stations may work DX stations for QSO point credit, but there are no DX multipliers.

Final Scoring:

* Multiply QSO points by total multipliers.

Example #1: KX9IO (in Indiana) has 354 non-duplicate CW QSOs with stations in 39 states/provinces and 27 Indiana counties and 292 non-duplicate SSB QSOs with stations in 41 states/provinces and 32 Indiana counties.

Total score = ((354 x 2) + 292) x (39 + 27 + 41 + 32)

>Total score = 1000 x 139

>Total score = 139, 000

>Example #2: WX5ZR (outside Indiana) has 103 non-duplicate CW QSOs with

>stations in 24 Indiana counties and 42 non-duplicate SSB QSOs with

>stations in 12 Indiana counties.

Total score = ((103 x 2) + 42) x (24 + 12)

>Total score = 248 x 36

>Total score = 8928

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6. Club Competition:

In addition to individual awards, there is an award for the Indiana Amateur Radio Club whose members turn in the highest total aggregate score.

* Clubs must be legitimate radio clubs, meeting FCC requirements for club licensing. Clubs need not have a club license or be members of the Indiana Radio Club Council to qualify. The sponsor of Indiana QSO Party, currently the Hoosier DX and Contest Club, is not eligible for this award.

* Logs turned in by a club's members must be for contacts made from within the state of Indiana for the Indiana QSO Party.

* Club members must CLEARLY indicate only one club affiliation when submitting logs. Cabrillo format logs should show club affiliation in the log header lines.

Submissions using other log formats should be suitably marked.

* To be eligible for the club competition award, at least three club members must participate. One of the following conditions must be satisfied:

* at least three club members submit individual logs meeting the above requirements for single operator logs, or

* the club submits a single log for a multi-operator single transmitter

(multi-single) station with at least three club members shown as operators, or

* the club submits a combination of single and multi-single station logs to meet the minimum participation requirement.

* It is not necessary for a log to be from a station using a club's call sign, although the activation of club stations is encouraged.

7. Awards:

* The top scoring fixed station (high power, low power, and QRP), portable, rover, and mobile in Indiana and the top scoring station outside Indiana will receive plaques. Plaques may also be awarded for top single operator entries from W1 and W7 call areas (New England QSO Party and 7QP) and for the top multi-single Indiana station. Other plaques may be awarded if sufficient activity and effort warrant them.

* The top scoring club (aggregate score of three or more members' logs from Indiana operations) will receive a plaque.

* Certificates for each entry category, each Indiana county, each state/province/territory and each country will be awarded where significant effort or competition is evident.

8. Log Submissions:

* Computer generated logs must be submitted as an ASCII text file with Cabrillo format strongly preferred. Logs may be sent via e-mail toinqp@... <mailto:toinqp@...> . Please name both the log file and your summary sheet file with your call (e.g., KJ9D.SUM, KJ9D.LOG, etc.).

* Paper logs can be submitted by mail to HDXCC, c/o Mike Goode N9NS, 10340 Broadway, Indianapolis, IN 46280-1344.

* Logs should be submitted no later than June 15, 2011.

9. Suggested Frequencies:

* CW: 1.805 MHz and 30 kHz up from the band edge on 80-10 meters. A window for only mobiles to call CQ should be observed from 35 to 40 KHz up.

* SSB: 1.845, 3.820, 7.190, 14.250, 21.300 and 28.400 MHz.

* Try 160 meters at 0200 UTC.

10. Web Site: www.hdxcc.org/inqp <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp>
Please visit the web site for additional information including:

* A list of Indiana counties and abbreviations

* Indiana county map

* Notes on compatible logging software

* Mobile and county expedition plans

1030. Indiana QRP operators WANTED

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-03 19:37:24 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1030 Message: 1030

FYI
Some can Help out
73 De Don KA9QJG

Posted on behalf of the QRP Amateur Radio Club International (QRP-ARCI)
http://www.qrparci.org <http://www.qrparci.org/>

The year 2011 will mark QRP ARCI's fiftieth or Golden Anniversary. In 1961, we started out as a 100 watt club interested in reducing QRM, and have transitioned into a group of operators, hikers, builders/experimenters, and contesters that pursue this great activity at five watts or less.

One way the club will mark this anniversary is to activate the club call in all 50 states, Puerto Rico and the District of Columbia throughout 2011. A QRP ARCI member/volunteer will be assigned one week during the year in which they can use the club call, K6JSS from their location. We encourage them to operate with K6JSS with as many modes and as often as possible during their assigned week. A special "Worked All States" certificate will be issued to all that qualify.

The club needs volunteers to make this happen. We need one member/volunteer from each state, Puerto Rico and the District of Columbia. The member will agree to operate using K6JSS during their assigned week. They will also send a copy of their logs for the week to logs@qrparci.org <mailto:logs%40qrparci.org> . John Burnley, NU0V has volunteered to coordinate
this effort for the club. He will work with volunteers to assign a week for their area and insure that the club trustee is notified. If you wish to volunteer, send an email to John at nu0v@... <mailto:nu0v%40arrl.net> . He
needs your call and location plus any weeks during 2011 that are not good for you.

I hope to see all 50 states plus Puerto Rico and the District of Columbia on the air during 2011.

72
Ken Evans, W4DU
President - QRP ARCI

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73 de KB9BVN
Brian Murrey
Editor - QRP Quarterly Magazine

1031. Just heard....kf5feo....sk

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-04 04:41:37 UTC
From: Ed C
Topic: 1031 Message: 1031

This morning per wife. Never made contact over air...except cellphones with him, but he was working through health problems. Talked yesterday and glad I did for over an hour on the phone.RIP Tom.

1032. RE: [CQCQCQ] Just heard....kf5feo....sk

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-04 07:15:40 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1031 Message: 1032

Sorry to hear about the Loss But Heavens gain , I did not know Him But I
"am sure I group thoughts and Prayers go out to all His Friends and Family

Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Ed
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Sent: Tuesday, May 03, 2011 11:42 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Just heard....kf5feo....sk

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him, but he was working through health problems. Talked yesterday and glad I
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1033. OT FBI Malicious Software Alert

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-04 23:27:51 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1033 Message: 1033

FYI
Yes I know it is Off topic but this is the World We live in
Don KA9QJG

Malicious Software Features Usama bin Laden Links to Ensnare
Unsuspecting Computer Users

The Internet Crime Complaint Center (IC3) urges computer users to not open unsolicited (spam) e-mails, including clicking links contained within those messages. Even if the sender is familiar, the public should exercise due diligence. Computer owners must ensure they have up-to-date firewall and anti-virus software running on their machines to detect and deflect malicious software.

The IC3 recommends the public do the following:

§ Adjust the privacy settings on social networking sites you frequent to make it more difficult for people you know and do not know to post content to your page. Even a "friend" can unknowingly pass on multimedia that's actually malicious software.

§ Do not agree to download software to view videos. These applications can infect your computer.

§ Read e-mails you receive carefully. Fraudulent messages often feature misspellings, poor grammar, and nonstandard English.

Report e-mails you receive that purport to be from the FBI. Criminals often use the FBI's name and seal to add legitimacy to their fraudulent schemes. In fact, the FBI does not send unsolicited e-mails to the public. Should you receive unsolicited messages that feature the FBI's name, seal, or that reference a division or unit within the FBI or an individual employee, report it to the Internet Crime Complaint Center at www.ic3.gov <http://www.ic3.gov> .

1034. [TVRO] Sat Talk Live Tonight @ 9 PM EDT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-04 23:44:08 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 964 Message: 1034

FYI
Has anyone actually listened to This if So post Your thoughts 73 De Don
KA9QJG

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High Quality 128Kbps Broadband

http://listen.access-america.net:8000/aa-64.m3u
<http://listen.access-america.net:8000/aa-64.m3u>
Medium Quality 64Kbps Broadband

1035. Ham Radio Featured on NPR

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-05 04:54:37 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1035 Message: 1035

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

Ham Radio Volunteers Worry About Spectrum Plan
April 30, 2011
www.npr.org/2011/04/30/135873302/ham-radio-volunteers-worry-about-spectr\
um-plan
<http://www.npr.org/2011/04/30/135873302/ham-radio-volunteers-worry-abou\
t-spectrum-plan>

Ham Radio Growing In The Age Of Twitter
April 5, 2010
www.npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=125586086
<http://www.npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=125586086>

1036. Communications Equipment Insurance

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-05 21:32:16 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1036 Message: 1036

With all the bad Weather Etc. Everyones needs to check and see what our Homeowner Insurance actually covers on Our Communications Equipment , Then compare with the Below Info , fortunately and I did not even Know My State Farm Ins actually covered a Big Tree that came down and Crushed My 8 Ft Sat Dish and I had 7 Ants in the Tree including Hard line CoaxThey covered Everything . about 5 grand

PS I have not ever Used or heard anything good or bad about the one below.

73 De Don KA9QJG

Effective May 1st, the ARRL has changed program administrators and insurance companies for its ARRL-sponsored Equipment Insurance and Club Liability insurance plans. The League has signed an agreement with Hays Affinity Group <http://arrlinsurance.com/> to serve as the program administrator to provide equipment insurance to its members who choose to elect coverage. In addition, Hays will also provide club liability insurance to ARRL Affiliated Clubs for those clubs that wish to take advantage of that program. Hays will be replacing Marsh Affinity Group Services as the program's administrator and will be introducing new policies for both plans, underwritten by the Hanover Insurance Company.

Members who are currently insured under the old plans are likely to receive a notice from Marsh, announcing the change. Be assured, if you currently have equipment or club liability insurance provided through Marsh Affinity Group, your coverage will continue through the end of the current policy term. But keep in mind that when your policy expires, your coverage will not automatically be switched over to Hays. In addition, beginning May 1, the ARRL will no longer be able to help you resolve any issues you may have with Marsh, the insurance company or their claims paying agent. Our contractual agreement with them has been terminated.

If you wish to enroll in the new insurance plans, you must do so with the Hays Affinity Group. You can sign up online <http://arrlinsurance.com/> and even schedule your radio equipment online, too. With Hays Affinity Group, you can have all your radio equipment covered, even the computers, hard drives and printers in your shack. There are several provisions in the new equipment insurance plan that we believe are improvements over the old plan. Coverage for towers and antennas is now up to $15,000 of replacement cost, 50% more than the old policy. In addition, any newly acquired equipment during the policy term, up to a value of $2,000, will be covered until your next policy renewal (you must notify Hays within 60 days of acquisition). The low deductibles on the policy have also been retained. There is a $50

deductible for replacements and $25 for repairs. The coverage is as comprehensive as the old plan including fire, theft, lightning, wind and flood damage to your equipment. The new premium is $1.40 for every $100 of replacement value insured. This is slightly less than in the past.

The Club Liability insurance plan now provides the same general liability insurance for most clubs for only $200 per year (add $100 per year if the club wants to include non-owned or leased auto liability coverage). The standard limit for the policy is $1,000,000 per occurrence ($2 million in the aggregate) but if your club needs a higher limit, you can call the Hays Affinity Group for a quote.

To have your equipment covered under the new policy, you will have to enroll with Hays to continue coverage under an ARRL-sponsored plan. If you wish to switch to either of the new insurance policies now, you can either cancel your policy with Marsh and sign up with Hays, or wait until your policy with Marsh is due for renewal and then sign up with Hays for coverage. If you choose to cancel with Marsh before renewal, you will receive a pro-rated refund of any unused premium fees you have paid. For more information you can contact the Hays Affinity Group at:

Hays Affinity Group
Attn: ARRL Insurance Program
1400 Renaissance Drive, Suite 300
Park Ridge, IL 60068

Phone: (866) 819-0209

E-mail: ARRL@... <mailto:ARRL@...> .

The ARRL has been providing opportunities for equipment insurance to its members for more than 25 years. We believe that the programs administered by Hays will offer ARRL members the coverage they need and excellent customer service.

73,

Barry J. Shelley, N1VXY

Chief Financial Officer

ARRL, Inc.

1037. 6m Spring Sprint, Saturday, 5/14 (2300Z) - Sunday, 5/15 (0300Z)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-10 08:00:08 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1037 Message: 1037

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www.svhfs.org/ <http://www.svhfs.org/>

2011 Spring Sprints Announced

March 4, 2011

John Kalenowsky, K9JK has announced dates and has posted information regarding the 2011 Spring Sprints. Visit the site, https://sites.google.com/site/springvhfupsprints/ <https://sites.google.com/site/springvhfupsprints/> for more information.

The following is a summary of dates:

* 144 MHz - Monday, April 11 (7 pm to 11 pm local)
* 222 MHz - Tuesday, April 19 (7 pm to 11 pm local)
* 432 MHz - Wednesday, April 27 (7 pm to 11 pm local)
* 902 MHz & Up - Saturday, May 7 (6 am to 1 pm local)
* 50 MHz - Saturday May 14 (2300Z) to Sunday, May 15 (0300Z)

1038. Reply to Don from Norm 5-11-11 11:36 am/cst

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-11 16:45:07 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1038 Message: 1038

I see you to had a tree fall to Don.Mine fell 5-1-11 over night and took out a whole bunch of 4` chainlink fence and about 4 wood panels and one post.I just got done with it yesterday and its all back.The tree was about 80 years old and i had had it trimmed in 2003 and it died and just fell over and inside it had been eaten up by insects.

I had had my folded dipole way up there but no more it is now about 13 feet lower on the west end but still works fine.

My allstate paid for all the work other than the 1,000 duductable and i am satisfied and will check the 1st time i get if they cover my station equipment,etc.

73,Norm [:))]

1039. TAPR Dayton Hamvention Activities

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-13 20:56:41 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1039 Message: 1039

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.tapr.org/dayton.html <http://www.tapr.org/dayton.html>

TAPR Dayton Hamvention Activities

TAPR Hamvention Location

TAPR will be up and at 'em throughout the Hamvention at booths 455-458 in the
Ball Arena of the Hara Arena --- same place as last year in the same neighborhood as ARRL and AMSAT

TAPR Digital Forum

Friday May 20, 2011, HARA Arena, Room 1

09:15 AM ☐ Welcome and TAPR Update by Steven Bible, N7HPR

09:30 AM ☐ HPSDR Update by Scotty Cowling WA2DFI

An update on the High Performance Software Defined Radio (HPSDR) project (www.openhpsdr.org <http://www.openhpsdr.org>). Existing and future projects as well as board availability.

10:00 AM ☐ Griffin: a Whisper and a Chirp by Phil Harman, VK6APH

Griffin is a new HPSDR project that will provide a low power beacon exciter.Covering HF, 6m and 2m, Griffin will generate simultaneous beacons on
multiple bands, each modulated independently. Basing Griffin around a large FPGA
provides modulation modes such as CW, RTTY, WSPR etc as well as future, as yet
unknown modes. An on-board GPS receiver will provide highly accuracy frequency
and time control of all beacons. An Ethernet connection will enable remote
control and configuration via the Internet. In addition, a revolutionary new
beacon mode will enable real time propagation measurement and reporting for all
HF and VHF bands.

10:30 AM ☐ CODEC 2 and Open Hardware by Bruce Perens, K6BP

(At the last minute, David Rowe, VK5DGR, had to cancel his trip to Dayton for
personal reasons, so Bruce Perens, K6BP, has stepped in to fill the slot.)

TAPR-AMSAT Hamvention Banquet

Friday May 20, 2011, Kohler Presidential Banquet Center, Kettering, OH

Bob Bruninga, WB4APR, will be the after-dinner speaker at the TAPR-AMSAT Hamvention Banquet on Friday evening, May 20, at Kohler Presidential Banquet
Center in Kettering, OH just south of Dayton.

Bob's topic is "Power from Space and in Your Shack" (see the abstract below).

For more information and to make dinner reservations, visit
http://www.amsat.org/amsat-new/hamvention/2011/Banquet.php
<http://www.amsat.org/amsat-new/hamvention/2011/Banquet.php> ASAP because
reservations must be made in advance and close end-of-day on Monday. May 16.

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"Power from Space and in Your Shack"
By Bob Bruninga, WB4aPR

Last year Solar energy passed from a niche market for greenies to an economic
opportunity that beats money in the bank. The monetary return for every dollar
on your roof can exceed 10% per year for life which far exceeds the security of
any other investment in a bank or our fickle economy. But this economic
advantage is overlooked, misunderstood or wasted by many hams because of our
warped and twisted prior love-affairs with batteries and generators on which we
depend for field-day and emergency power.

To fully grasp today's economics of renewable energy we must learn to completely
separate our needs for economical energy 99.9% of the time from our desires for
emergency power for only 0.1% of the time. There are economical solutions for
both but they are separate and mutually exclusive.

Further, over the last decades there has been a hidden evolution of power
supplies in every aspect of our daily lives. Everything we do with energy from

our ham shack to our big screen TV depends on this technology but it has also
provided us with unbelievable versatility to access power from just about any
source from 100 to 240 VAC or 100 to 330 VDC or any voltage down to 12 volts..
Where to find power? Have you looked on the roof of your house or under the
hood of your car recently?

The better that hams understand these subtle evolutionary changes in energy, the
better we are prepared not only for Field Day, for emergencies but also for the
future of our families.

1040. TAPR Digital Journal - Spring 2011 Now Available

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-14 06:35:14 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1040 Message: 1040

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

TAPR Digital Journal - Spring 2011
www.tapr.org/psr/psr115.pdf <http://www.tapr.org/psr/psr115.pdf>

TAPR Digital Journal - Winter 2011
www.tapr.org/psr/psr114.pdf <http://www.tapr.org/psr/psr114.pdf>

TAPR Digital Journal - Autumn 2010
www.tapr.org/psr/psr113.pdf <http://www.tapr.org/psr/psr113.pdf>

1041. Special Event Station Certificate/Qsl.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-14 21:09:19 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1041 Message: 1041

Here is my certificate of contact for my qso with special event station W0E on 7.028 mhz CW today 5-14-2011.

They have a searchable online logbook and if you are in it it will generate your certificate which you can download which i did and i like the way they did this also.,Norm [:))]

1042. (no subject)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-17 13:01:35 UTC
From: luis mena
Topic: 1042 Message: 1042

http://supclm.com/Iindex.html

1043. Sat Talk Live Tonight @ 9 PM EDT

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-18 21:19:15 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1043 Message: 1043

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

Access America
All About Radio & TV
Please Note Our New Program Line-up on Wednesday Evening
Starting at 6:45 PM Eastern Time.
· 6:45 PM ET: This Week in Radio Tech
Each week, you get a new show with current news, commentary, ideas, fun, and tips help broadcast engineers.It's mostly about radio engineering, but TV and other audio engineers will find the podcasts useful, too.
· 8 PM ET: Home Theater Geeks
Scott Wilkinson, online editor of UltimateAVmag.com and HomeTheaterMag.com, interviews the leaders and pioneers behind today's home theater technology.
· 9 PM ET: Sat Talk Live
All about satellite TV. A Weekly Live Broadcast with Mike Kohl and Ralf Black. We talk about the latest in satellite technologies, programming on satellite, and take your calls. If you like to know more about your Free-to-Air, C- or Ku-band, DirecTV or Dish Network system, join our conversation by calling
(504) 358-0232. For more info please go to: http://www.sattalk.us. <http://www.sattalk.us./>
· 11 PM ET: HDTV and Home Theater Podcast
This is a podcast about High Definition TV. We will bring you news, reviews, and how-to's.
· 12:00 AM ET: All Things Radio
Podcast with radio industry news, live streams, classic airchecks, jingles, sweepers, a weekly podcast, and well, ALL THINGS RADIO!
· 1:00 AM ET: This Week in Radio Tech
Each week, you get a new show with current news, commentary, ideas, fun, and tips help broadcast engineers.It's mostly about radio engineering, but TV and other audio engineers will find the podcasts useful, too.
· 2:15 AM ET: Sat Talk Live
All about satellite TV. A Weekly Live Broadcast with Mike Kohl and Ralf Black. We talk about the latest in satellite technologies, programming on satellite, and take your calls. If you like to know more about your Free-to-Air, C- or Ku-band, DirecTV or Dish Network system, join our conversation by calling (504) 358-0232. For more info please go to: http://www.sattalk.us. <http://www.sattalk.us./>

Listen on Satellite:

Galaxy 19 Ku-Band
(formerly Galaxy 25, Telstar 5 and IA 5)

Transponder: 23
Polarity: Vertical (V)
Frequency: 12.115 MHz
Symbol Rate: 22.425
FEC: 3/4
Audio PID 1794 E

Listen on the Internet:

http://listen.access-america.net:8000/aa.m3u
<http://listen.access-america.net:8000/aa.m3u>
High Quality 128Kbps Broadband

http://listen.access-america.net:8000/aa-64.m3u
<http://listen.access-america.net:8000/aa-64.m3u>
Medium Quality 64Kbps Broadband

http://listen.access-america.net:8000/aa-24.m3u
<http://listen.access-america.net:8000/aa-24.m3u>
Low Quality 24Kbps Dial-up

1044. Heard the only New rig introduced at Dayton Hamfest

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-21 21:06:09 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1044 Message: 1044

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Heard the only New rig introduced at Dayton Hamfest

KX3: Ultra-compact K3/KX1 hybrid, 160-6 m, 10/100 W, all-mode, 32-bit DSP/SDR, 1.5 lbs. Price is about $700.

Same flat layout as the KX-1 - just bigger box one would assume, but with new fold-up rear tilt-feet.

The ATU is an internal optional module.

The battery pack/charger is also an optional, internal module. (5W with battery pack, 10W using power supply). RX-mode current drain ~150 mA. Very efficient on TX, with dual-output-impedance 5W/10W PA. The MOSFET 10-W amp stage includes an output transformer with both 1:4 and 1:1 windings. When using low power, or when running from internal batteries, the 1:1 winding is used, which optimizes efficiency at about 5 W, greatly reducing transmit current drain. The 1:4 winding is used when running higher power (using an external supply).

Optional roofing filter module. 500/1500/2700/3800 Hz.

Optional 100W PA plus automatic tuner (ATU). The 1.5-pound radio itself puts out 10 watts+. Elecraft also be describing a new, high-performance 100-watt+ companion amplifier/ATU for fixedstation/mobile use. It will work very well with other 5 to 10-W radios besides the KX3. It has a switch for 5 watt or 10 watt max drive level. It will

interface directly with any rig that has a KEY OUT line. Also supports some rigs' band control lines.

The microcontroller is like, but not the same as, the one in the K3. The DSP is a new, 5th generation device designed for extremely low power consumption, yet with performance exceeding that of the one in the K3. It is Software defined radio (SDR) with the features and power that FlexRadio 3000 has but uses an internal microcontroller rather than external PC.

The KX3 receiver includes I/Q outputs for use with a PC soundcard. This allows you run various a third-party application software on an attached PC, such as a spectrum display.

Of course, no PC is required to use the KX3; it is a complete,

self-contained radio. With appropriate options (battery pack w/charger, ATU) it becomes a complete, self-contained 160m-6m radio station.

Pictures

http://twitpic.com/photos/ke9v <http://twitpic.com/photos/ke9v> includes pdf of front and back of the handout.

Video demo

http://www.qrparci.org/content/view/8380/118/ <http://www.qrparci.org/content/view/8380/118/>

1045. Re: [CQCQCQ] Heard the only New rig introduced at Dayton Hamfest

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-21 22:04:13 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1044 Message: 1045

On 5/21/2011 5:06 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:

> Heard the only New rig introduced at Dayton Hamfest

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That is just NOT TRUE.

The TenTec Eagle is also a new rig, making its first appearance at the Dayton Hamfest.

Alinco has recently released a new receiver, the DX-R8T/E, and a new transceiver, the DX-SR8T/E HF rig, and they are interesting if not exciting.

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TEN-TEC released the Eagle about the same time (a bit earlier I think) and there is a lot new in that - entirely new - and also looks like a nice rig.

TEN-TEC also released dual band QRP rigs this past year (I think this year...)

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There are others, also, so this is not true.

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

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1046. RE: [CQCQCQ] Heard the only New rig introduced at Dayton Hamfest

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-21 22:22:41 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1044 Message: 1046

Thanks for the Update Good News after all

73 De Don KA9QJG

On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, May 21, 2011 5:04 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Heard the only New rig introduced at Dayton Hamfest

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1047. Re: [CQCQCQ] Heard the only New rig introduced at Dayton Hamfest

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-21 23:27:20 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1044 Message: 1047

Yeah - it says the ham radio market is pretty healthy after all !

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 5/21/2011 6:22 PM, ka9qjg wrote:
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> Thanks for the Update Good News after all

1048. Kb9ygd IDQP Certificate of Achievement 2011...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-23 15:44:25 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1048 Message: 1048

Here is my idaho qso party 2011 certificate of achievement for being high score from indiana in the contest.

1049. Re: [CQCQCQ] Kb9ygd IDQP Certificate of Achievement 2011...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-23 19:21:59 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1048 Message: 1049

NICE GOING -- a nice looking certificate. Nice wallpaper.

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 5/23/2011 11:44 AM, Norm wrote:
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> Here is my idaho qso party 2011 certificate of achievement for being
> high score from indiana in the contest.
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1050. Reply to Jame`s from Norm...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-23 21:47:17 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1048 Message: 1050

Yes indeed James its nice and i never get enough certificates and/or qsl card`s...it seems that i am somewhat greedy... [:*]
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1051. Current list Of Special Event Stations

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-25 18:29:39 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1051 Message: 1051

05/01/2011 | 40 Years as a Ham Operator : May 1-May 31, 0000Z-2359Z, WV7T/40, Colorado Springs, CO. Rocky Mountain Navy Amateur Radio Club. 28.400 14.295 14.090 14.070. Certificate. Mike Anderson, 510 W Polk St, Colorado Springs, CO 80907. 05/01/2011 | 85th Anniversary of CRAQ : May 1-May 31, 0000Z-2359Z, VC2CQ85, Quebec. Club Radio Amateur de Quebec Inc . 14.150. QSL. VE2CQ, CP 70021 succ. Quebec-Centre, Quebec G2J 0A1, CANADA. Founded in 1926 by Alex Larivière, VE2AB. www.craq.qc.ca 05/13/2011 | 100th Indy 500 Anniversary : May 13-May 29, 1500Z-2200Z, W9IMS, Indianapolis, IN. Indianapolis Motor Speedway Amateur Radio Club. 21.340 14.240 7.240 3.840. Certificate & QSL. W9IMS, PO Box 18495, Indianapolis, IN 46218. SASE for QSL. $4 for certificate. Must work all three races in one year to qualify for certificate. www.qrz.com/db/w9ims 05/22/2011 | International Grumman American Pilots Association Convention : May 22-May 28, 1400Z-2300Z, N4Y, St Simons Island, GA. American Yankee Association. 28.340 21.340 14.240 7.240. QSL. John Garman, 2036 Young Farm Pl, Montgomery, AL 36106. www.aya.org 05/27/2011 | Gorham Founders Festival - 275th Anniversary : May 27-May 30, 2100Z-2000Z, WS1SM, Gorham, ME. Wireless Society of Southern Maine. 14.270 14.260. QSL. Thom Watson, 16 Hope Dr, Gorham, ME 04038. www.qsl.net/ws1sm/topics.html 05/28/2011 | 33rd Annual "May Show" Coast Antique Auto & Motorcycle Show : May 28, 0300Z-1500Z, W5SGL, D'Iberville, MS. Mississippi Coast Amateur Radio Association. 7.190 14.250 80 m SSB. QSL. MCARA, PO Box 1785, Gulfport, MS 39502. www.qsl.net/w5sgl/Welcome.html 05/28/2011 | Peanut Island Activation : May 28-May 29, 0900Z-1500Z, W4K, Jupiter, FL. Jupiter Tequesta Repeater Group. 28.400 14.315 7.635 3.905. QSL. Jupiter Tequesta Repeater Group, PO Box 7751, Jupiter, FL 33468. w4jkj@... or www.jtrg.org 05/28/2011 | Commemorating Memorial Day : May 28-May 30, 1500Z-2200Z, W0FSB, Waterloo, IA. Five Sullivan Brothers Amateur Radio Club. 21.240 14.240 7.240. Certificate & QSL. Five Sullivan Brothers ARC, 4015 Independence Ave, Waterloo, IA 50704. t-mc-nulty@... 05/29/2011 | Annual activation of NW0AA, the northern most ARC in 48 contiguous states : May 29-May 31, 1400Z-2100Z, NW0AA, Angle Inlet, MN. Northwest Angle Amateur Radio Club. 14.240 14.040 7.240 3.940. Certificate & QSL. Dan Whipple, WA0FJJ, 11726 Norway St NW, Minneapolis, MN 55448. 05/30/2011 | Memorial Day : May 30, 1500Z-2245Z, W5KID, Baton Rouge, LA. Baton Rouge and USS Kidd Amateur Radio Clubs. Gen class bands CW in QRP freqs 20 m SSB 40 m CW preferred other bands possible. QSL. W5KID, 305 S River Dr, Baton Rouge, LA 70802. lsu.edu/brarc/uss_kidd.htm 06/03/2011 | Great Pueblo Flood, 90th Anniversary : Jun 3-Jun 4, 1600Z-2200Z, NA0PW, Pueblo, CO. Pueblo West Amateur Radio Club. 14.270 7.180. Certificate. Pueblo West Amateur Radio Club, 676 S Dante Dr, Pueblo, CO 81007. Various HF bands and modes as conditions permit, concentrating primarily on 40 and 20 meters. Grid DM70ph. Pueblo County. QSL: Send 9x12 SASE for unfolded

certificate or SASE business size envelope. www.qsl.net/na0pw 06/04/2011 | Walthall County Dairy Festival : Jun 4, 1400Z-2000Z, W5WQ, Tylertown, MS. Southwest Mississippi ARC. 14.270 7.270. QSL. Homer L. Richardson, 1545 Friendship Ln NW, Brookhaven, MS 39601. Celebration of the Dairy Industry in Walthall County. w5wq.net 06/04/2011 | D-Day Commemoration : Jun 4-Jun 11, 1400Z-2200Z, W2W, Baltimore, MD. National Electronics Museum ARC. 7.187 14.241 7.041 14.041. Certificate & QSL. ARCNEM / K3NEM, PO Box 1693, MS 4015, Baltimore, MD 21203. Primary operations on June 4 and 5, 1400-2200Z. Operations throughout the week will be sporadic. QSL and certificate information will be posted on the club web site. k3nem.org 06/04/2011 | Museum Ships Weekend Event : Jun 4-Jun 5, 0000Z-2359Z, NJ2BB, Camden, NJ. Battleship New Jersey Amateur Radio Station. 14.262 14.030 7.262 7.030. QSL. Margaret Burgess, KB2BRR, 150 Schooner Ave, Barnegat, NJ 08005. nj2bb.org 06/04/2011 | Badin Bomber Crash 1944 : Jun 4, 1400Z-1800Z, NC4MC, Badin, NC. Montgomery Amateur Radio Society. 14.250. Certificate. Don Grady, 120 Woodline Dr., Troy, NC 27371. 06/04/2011 | Museum Ship Weekend : Jun 4-Jun 5, 1300Z-2300Z, W7TBC, Phoenix, AZ. Thunderbird ARC/ARCA. 14.260 7.260 Phone and PSK-31. QSL. W7TBC, PO Box 85046, Phoenix, AZ 85046. Operating from the USS Arizona Mast Memorial in Phoenix, AZ. www.w7tbc.org 06/04/2011 | Museum Ships : Jun 4-Jun 5, 1500Z-2145Z, W5KID, Baton Rouge, LA. Baton Rouge and USS Kidd Amateur Radio Clubs. Gen bands CW in QRP freqs 20 m SSB 40 m CW preferred Other bands possible. QSL. W5KID, 305 S River Dr, Baton Rouge, LA 70802. www.lsu.edu/brarc/uss_kidd.htm 06/04/2011 | International Museum Ships Radio Weekend, D-Day Normandy 1944, Navy Hospital Corps Established 1898 : Jun 4-Jun 5, 1600Z-2359Z, NI6IW, San Diego, CA. USS Midway (CV-41) Museum Radio Operations Room. 14.320 7.250 PSK31 14.070 D-STAR 012C and 2 m/70 cm SOCAL rptrs. QSL. USS Midway Museum Radio Room, 910 N Harbor Dr, San Diego, CA 92101. kk6fz@... 06/04/2011 | USS Wisconsin-Museum Ships on the Air : Jun 4-Jun 5, 1500Z-2130Z, N4WIS, Virginia Beach, VA. USS Wisconsin Radio Club. 14.264. Certificate. N4WIS-USS Wisconsin Radio Club, PO Box 6682, Virginia Beach, VA 23456. www.n4wis.org 06/04/2011 | Relay For Life : Jun 4, 0200Z-1800Z, W7C, Cheyenne, WY. Local Amateur Radio Operators. SSB 7.260 3.950 CW 7.125 3.680. QSL. Fred Culek, KD7LLF, 3008 Terry Rd Sp # 25, Cheyenne, WY 82007. 06/04/2011 | USS Silversides (Submarine) Museum Ship : Jun 4-Jun 5, 1224Z-1224Z, W9AB, Muskegon, MI. Michiana Amateur Radio Club . 14.260 14.039 7.260 7.039. QSL. Michiana Amateur Radio Club, 3220 E Jefferson Blvd, South Bend, IN 46615. community.michiana.org/marcsite 06/04/2011 | Honoring the American Flag : Jun 4-Jun 5, 1700Z-1700Z, K3DN, Philadelphia, PA. Warminster Amateur Radio Club. 21.280 21.050 14.280 14.050 7.280 7.080 3.880 3.580 +PSK. QSL. K3DN, PO Box 113, Warminster, PA 18971. From Union League, Philadelphia. SASE and $1US. www.k3dn.org 06/04/2011 | Downey Amateur Radio Club's 60th Anniversary Celebration : Jun 4-Jun 5, 1500Z-0100Z, W6TOI, Downey, CA. Downey Amateur Radio Club. 14.263 21.363 7.180 145.595 simplex. Certificate & QSL. Downey Amateur Radio Club, PO Box 207, Downey, CA 90241. darcarc.wordpress.com/ 06/04/2011 | 90th Anniversary of the Radio Club Le Havre : Jun 4-Jun 5, 1400Z-2100Z,

TM90LH, Etretat Beach, FRANCE. F6KOH Club SHTSF. 14.190 7.090 3.690 14.070 PSK. QSL. SHTSF, 25 rue des Iris, Le Havre 76610, FRANCE. Operating mobile. Events runs several weekends. www.shtsf.com 06/04/2011 | Streetsville Bread and Honey Festival 2011 : Jun 4-Jun 5, 1400Z-2000Z, VE3MIS, Mississauga, ON. Mississauga Amateur Radio Club. 28.480 21.315 7.230. Certificate. Michael Brickell, VE3TKI, 2801 Bucklepost Cres, Mississauga, ON L5L 1M6, CANADA. Include $2 US for postage. Please note we cannot use US postage stamps in Canada. www.marc.on.ca 06/04/2011 | WW II Submarine "USS Cobia" AGSS-245 : Jun 4-Jun 5, 1400Z-2100Z, NB9QV, Manitowoc, WI. USS Cobia Amateur Radio Club. 21.300 14.260 7.250. Certificate & QSL. Fred Neuenfeldt, W6BSF, 4932 S 10th St, Manitowoc, WI 54220. QSL #10 SASE to W6BSF; certificate $1 to K0EFV www.qrz.com/db/nb9qv 06/04/2011 | Museum Ships Weekend 2011 : Jun 4-Jun 5, 0000Z-2359Z, NI4BK, Wilmington, NC. Azalea Coast Amateur Radio Club. 14.260 7.260. Certificate. Azalea Coast Amateur Radio Club, PO Box 4044, Wilmington, NC 28406. Operating from the battleship USS North Carolina. ac4rc.org 06/05/2011 | International Microwave Symposium : Jun 5-Jun 10, 1600Z-2200Z, N3M, Baltimore, MD. ARCNEM and IEEE. 14.260. QSL. Steve Stitzer, National Electronics Museum, Box 1693 MS 4015, Baltimore, MD 21203. Daily HF operations June 5-10; see web page "other events" for possible VHF-UHF-microwave activities. ims2011.mtt.org This list prepared espically for you by Norm/Kb9ygd...So hurry and work some of these stations and then you can post you`re certificates in here for us to view [:*] [cwgif2.gif]

1052. . Cook County IL ARES Net

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-25 18:54:16 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1052 Message: 1052

FYI

Radio Waves do not stop at State lines We all need to work together , I have always made comments like Hey this is a Great Hobby I heard someone say the other day Amateur Radio is a SERVICE He I like that better

73 De Don KA9QJG

1. Cook County ARES Net WEDNESDAY 25 May 2011, 9:00 PM

CDT--146.88 MHz (Neil R. Ormos N9NL)

Message: 1

Date: Tue, 24 May 2011 15:02:36 -0500 (CDT)

From: "Neil R. Ormos N9NL" <ormos@... <mailto:ormos@...> >

Subject: [ILHam] Cook County ARES Net WEDNESDAY 25 May 2011, 9:00 PM

CDT--146.88 MHz

To: "ILHam Mailing List" <ilham@... <mailto:ilham@...> >

Message-ID: <201105242002.p4OK2aHj017488@... <mailto:201105242002.p4OK2aHj017488@...> >

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Dear Cook County ARES? Members and Friends:

Please join us WEDNESDAY night...

25 May 2011, at 9:00 PM CDT...

for the monthly Cook County ARES Net on the SARA repeater (146.88 MHz, R-600, PL107.2).

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ALSO, PLEASE CONSIDER HELPING AT ONE OR MORE OF THESE UPCOMING PUBLIC SERVICE EVENTS:

Sun Jun 05 Udder Century Invitational Bike Ride--Union IL

Sat Jun 11 Ragnar Relay--Chicago

Sun Jun 12 Tour de Cure for Diabetes--Wheaton

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All persons with an interest in emergency and public service communications are invited to participate in the Net. You need not be a member of ARES or any other organization. Residents of every county and state are welcome.

For more information about Cook County ARES, including an ARES calendar of events, please visit our web site:

<http://ares.n9nl.com/ <http://ares.n9nl.com/> >

73

--Neil Ormos N9NL

ARES? District Emergency Coordinator

Amateur Radio Emergency Service

ARES Region 4

Email: n9nl /at-sign/ arrl.net

1053. Re: Current list Of Special Event Stations

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-25 19:17:48 UTC
From: ab9qu
Topic: 1051 Message: 1053

I hope I can get W9IMS during the 500 this year. Other years I have heard stations from all over the world contacting them but I guess I was to close due to conditions to hear them. I have contacted them at other events there but not the 500.
73 AB9QU
Bill

1054. Reply to Bill from Norm 5-25-11/3:39 cst

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-25 20:43:15 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1051 Message: 1054

Ok Bill,well the band condx for 6 years have been pretty bad at times up and down like a yo-yo and im sure you will work them again and i will try also.

I worked them 6 times on FD on 80,40 and i worked the w9ims special event station on 40 and 2 meters on 146.520 which was a long shot but 2m band condx`s were good it was in 2006 and i got several Eqsl`s from them but they were not ``AG``.

By the way i made a mistake on ur certificate of excellence award so did it over and this time right and sent it to you as an attachment in email and reposted it to the 3.870 AM groups website.

73,Norm [:))]

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--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "ab9qu" <ab9qu@...> wrote:
>
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> 73 AB9QU
> Bill
>

1055. Re: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Bill from Norm 5-25-11/3:39 cst

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-25 22:39:47 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 1051 Message: 1055

I have a QSL card I received from them for some motorcycle race they did an event for. I'll have to look for it. It was a nice card. I think that would be a great club to belong to if you lived near enough.
I'll post a pik of that card when I find it.
73
Bill ab9qu
----- Original Message -----
From: "Norm" <mr_norm_1999@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wednesday, May 25, 2011 3:43:15 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Bill from Norm 5-25-11/3:39 cst

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>

1056. RE: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Bill from Norm 5-25-11/3:39 cst

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-25 23:23:51 UTC
From: Hank Lambert
Topic: 1051 Message: 1056

I got a QSL card either last year or the year before from the 500 Special Event station. It is a very nice card. I’m going to try again this year.

73,

Hank Lambert

KB4MTO/TA5ZC

hank@...

kb4mto@...

www.hanklambert.com

PGP Key: 0x96D33D71

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ab9qu@comcast.net
Sent: Wednesday, May 25, 2011 6:40 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Bill from Norm 5-25-11/3:39 cst

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> Bill
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1057. Re: [CQCQCQ] Current list Of Special Event Stations

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-26 01:16:57 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1051 Message: 1057

Well, Shoot, Norm... you are in a rut.

You ought get a HOBBY !

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 5/25/2011 2:29 PM, Norm wrote:
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> 05/01/2011 | 40 Years as a Ham Operator ...

1058. RE: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Bill from Norm 5-25-11/3:39 cst

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-26 07:56:19 UTC
From: brad
Topic: 1051 Message: 1058

I got them on 10 meters, no problem at all. Brad KB2CHY

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Wednesday, May 25, 2011 16:43
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Bill from Norm 5-25-11/3:39 cst

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1059. HR-607 Revision 5-26-11

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-26 15:51:01 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1059 Message: 1059

QST de W1AW
ARRL Bulletin 14 ARLB014
From ARRL Headquarters
Newington CT May 25, 2011
To all radio amateurs

SB QST ARL ARLB014
ARLB014 Senate "Companion" Bill to HR-607Avoids Impacting Amateur Spectrum

On Thursday, May 19, Senators Joe Lieberman (ID-CT) and John McCain (R-AZ) introduced S 1040 -- The Broadband for First Responders Act of 2011 -- in the Senate. While it has a similar objective to HR-607-- introduced in February by Representative Peter King (R-NY-3) -- this Senate bill, unlike HR 607, does not call for auctioning any portions of Amateur Radio spectrum. Both bills call for the allocation of the so-called "D block" of spectrum, 758-763 and 788-793 MHz, to facilitate the development of a public safety broadband network.

On learning in February that a Senate version of HR 607 was being drafted, ARRL Chief Executive Officer David Sumner, K1ZZ, met with staff members of the Senate's Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee who were working on the bill to share the ARRL's concerns with regard to HR 607. "They seemed very receptive to our argument and appreciative of the public service contributions of radio amateurs," Sumner said. "It is gratifying to see that S 1040 avoids impacting our spectrum allocations."

Sumner explained that while some media reports are referring to S 1040 as "the Senate version of HR 607," it is important that radio amateurs not oppose S 1040: "There is no reason for us to do so. We support the creation of an interoperable broadband network for first responders. Other than to oppose any method that would impact amateur spectrum use, we do not support one method over another of achieving that objective. We only oppose one aspect of HR 607, not the entire bill."

S 1040 has been referred to the Senate Committee on Science, Commerce, and Transportation, chaired by Senator Jay Rockefeller (D-WV). Senator Rockefeller earlier introduced his own bill, S 28, to address the same general topic. Neither Senate bill would impact amateur spectrum.
This very important message brought to you by Kb9ygd.

1060. Re: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-28 00:30:51 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 523 Message: 1060

Norm,
How much do you need to donate to e-QSL to upload your own pickerel for your QSL card.
I want to give them some money but not go overboard.
thanks
73 Bill ab9qu

Norman P. Triantafilos <--Kb9ygd on facebo

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1061. Re: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-28 00:32:32 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 523 Message: 1061

OOPS! I thought I I was sending this just to Norm.
Bill
----- Original Message -----

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1062. RE: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-28 01:42:09 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 523 Message: 1062

Bill No harm Done I can only Imagine some of the Things I have sent Norm over the Yrs Show up Here LOL

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ab9qu@...
Sent: Friday, May 27, 2011 7:33 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you...

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----- Original Message -----

1063. Re: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-28 05:06:26 UTC
From: Leslie Elliott
Topic: 523 Message: 1063

I'm not Norm, but I think there is no minimum. I am retired and living on Social Security, so while I hope those that can afford more give more, I never send more than $5.

Les KCØPTO

--- On Fri, 5/27/11, ab9qu@comcast.net <ab9qu@...> wrote:

From: ab9qu@... <ab9qu@comcast.net>
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you...
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Date: Friday, May 27, 2011, 7:30 PM

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73 Bill ab9qu

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1064. Re: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-28 07:09:13 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 523 Message: 1064

Thanks,
Bill ab9qu

----- Original Message -----
From: "Leslie Elliott" <kc0pto@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, May 28, 2011 12:06:26 AM
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you...

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1065. To Bill Ab9qu from Norm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-28 16:22:28 UTC
From: norman triantafilos
Topic: 523 Message: 1065

Well Bill it explains it all on the website and from memory i cant remember what the minimum is but its not much as they have various levels of membership
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From: Leslie Elliott <kc0pto@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, May 28, 2011 12:06 AM
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you...

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>From: ab9qu@comcast.net <ab9qu@...>
>Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you...
>To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
>Date: Friday, May 27, 2011, 7:30 PM
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1066. Re: [CQCQCQ] To Bill Ab9qu from Norm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-28 18:37:07 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 523 Message: 1066

Thanks Norm

----- Original Message -----
From: "norman triantafilos" <mr_norm_1999@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, May 28, 2011 11:22:28 AM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] To Bill Ab9qu from Norm

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1067. Princeton , Illinois Hamfest! 5 JUNE 2011

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-30 00:29:21 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1067 Message: 1067

FYI

I have not been to this in Years I Do recall some great Scenery

73 De Don KA9QJG

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Buildings will be open for vendors to setup at 2:00 p.m. Saturday
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1-815-313-5924

starvedrockhamfest@... <mailto:starvedrockhamfest@...>

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Poor Boys will be catering breakfast and lunch

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W0SAT □□ Rochelle Nolan with Scentsy Products
Gerald Paterson □ Pat's Sports Shop □□ Amateur Accessories
□□Dave Garner □□Kelly Thompson □□□ Cookie Lee Jewelry
Earl Serckler □□ Larry Johnson, KB9UXH and K9ID

THANK YOU Vendors at the 2010 Hamfest
Thank You all that came to the Hamfest Hope to see you next Year
CHICAGO SURPLUS AND RECYCLING INC. , Audiotronics
<http://www.audiotronics.us/> , Peoria Amateur Radio Club
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<http://www.dandlantenna.com/cart/index.php?main_page=index>
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Spoon ,
Burk Electronics and Michael Brost WA9FTS , System Consultants and
Robert Charles , LARRY MAYS KB9NPH
Larry Johnson J&L Computers ,TOWER ELECTRONICS , A1 Rechargers , Amateur
Accessories , Earl Serickler

Hamfest 2009 Pictures
<http://www.qsl.net/w9mks/hamfest09/hamfest09.html>
Hamfest 2010 Pictures <http://www.qsl.net/w9mks/hamfest10/10hamf.html>

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<http://www.qsl.net/w9mks/10prize.html>

www.visitprinceton-il.com <http://www.visitprinceton-il.com>

1068. A message from Norman Kb9ygd...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-30 02:05:54 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1068 Message: 1068

I would like to take this opertunity to wish each and every one of you a safe and happy memorial day. Norman
[:))]

1069. (no subject)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-30 07:37:48 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 1069 Message: 1069

Same to you Norm.
Bill

1070. Msg to Bill/Ab9qu from Norm/Kb9ygd 5-30-11/19:31 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-30 19:37:45 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1070 Message: 1070

Ya know Bill you said you worked w9ims indy 500 special event station so i checked your online logbook at qrz.com and sure enough it was in there at 18:10 utc/zulu and on 7.236 so i hurried to 7.236 and wala...there they were and i worked them to at 20:25 utc/zulu.

The band condx were pitifull but they were 20 over S9,the operator was Bill.

Thanks for the help Bill even if it was inadvertent,Norm [O:)]

1071. Re: [CQCQCQ] Msg to Bill/Ab9qu from Norm/Kb9ygd 5-30-11/19:31 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-30 21:18:33 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 1070 Message: 1071

I was glad to get them this year. I tried on 20 meter Sat. and could hear stations from all over the country but could not hear them. Turning the dial Sunday on 40 meters and there they were.
Bill
----- Original Message -----
From: "Norm" <mr_norm_1999@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, May 30, 2011 2:37:45 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Msg to Bill/Ab9qu from Norm/Kb9ygd 5-30-11/19:31 utc/zulu

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1072. FEMA Administrator Calls Amateur Radio ☐The Last Line of Defense☐

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-05-31 02:24:38 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1072 Message: 1072

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.arrl.org/news/fema-administrator-calls-amateur-radio-the-last\
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05/25/2011

In an FCC forum <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bzx-kvo1i_Y> on earthquake communications preparedness, Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA <http://www.fema.gov/>) Administrator Craig Fugate described the Amateur Radio operator as "the ultimate backup, the originators of what we call social media." The forum-- held May 3 at FCC Headquarters in Washington, DC -- brought together officials from the White House, the Department of Homeland Security (DHS <http://www.dhs.gov/index.shtm>), the United States Geological Survey (USGS <http://www.usgs.gov/>), FEMA, the FCC and the private sector. Fugate and FCC Bureau of Public Safety and Homeland Security Chief Jamie Barnett gave the opening remarks.

Later in the forum, Fugate spoke more on Amateur Radio. "During the initial communications out of Haiti, volunteers using assigned frequencies that they are allocated, their own equipment, their own money, nobody pays them, were the first ones oftentimes getting word out in the critical first hours and first days as the rest of the systems came back up," he told the forum. "I think that there is a tendency because we have done so much to build infrastructure and resiliency in all our other systems, we have tended to dismiss that role `When Everything Else Fails.' Amateur Radio oftentimes is our last line of defense."

Fugate said that he thinks "we get so sophisticated and we have gotten so used to the reliability and resilience in our wireless and wired and our broadcast industry and all of our public safety communications, that we can never fathom that they'll fail. They do. They have. They will. I think a strong Amateur Radio community [needs to be] plugged into these plans. Yes, most of the time they're going be bored, because a lot of the time, there's not a lot they're going to be doing that other people aren't doing with Twitter and Facebook and everything else. But when you need Amateur Radio, you really need them."

You can watch a video of the forum <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bzx-kvo1i_Y> on YouTube at: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bzx-kvo1i_Y

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bzx-kvo1i_Y> Fugate's remarks begin at 18:55.

1073. Nice Site of Miltary Communications Equipment

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-06-01 20:56:55 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1073 Message: 1073

Came across a Nice Site Military Wireless Museum and Thought I would share I know a few of our Members Like this type of Equipment , Enjoy Your Tax Dollars buys the Best or I hope NOT the cheapest bid I do not know how that works ?
73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.qsl.net/g4bxd/index.html
<http://www.qsl.net/g4bxd/index.html>

1074. This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-06-02 21:56:16 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 523 Message: 1074

DigiFest: 0400Z-1200Z, Jun 4 and 2000Z, Jun 4 to 0400Z, Jun 5 and
1200Z-2000Z, Jun 5 Mode: RTTY75, BPSK63, MFSK16, HELLSCHREIBER,
OLIVIA Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m Classes: SOAB, All Modes
(Low/High)
SOAB, All Modes, 8 Hours (Low/High)
SOAB, Single Mode (Low/High)
Single Op Single Band, All Modes (Low/High)
Multi-Op Single Transmitter Max power: High: 1500 watts
Low: 100 watts Exchange: RST + 4-character grid square Work
stations: Once per band per mode QSO Points: 1 QSO point per km
between stations Multipliers: Each grid square once Score
Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults Submit logs
by: June 12, 2011 E-mail logs to: digifest_robot[at]mixw[dot]net
Upload log at: http://mixw.net/misc/DigiFest/digifest_log.php
<http://mixw.net/misc/DigiFest/digifest_log.php> Mail logs to:
(none) Find rules at:
http://www.mixw.net/misc/DigiFest/rulese2011.html
<http://www.mixw.net/misc/DigiFest/rulese2011.html>

1075. ARRL VHF QSO Party, 1800 UTC Saturday, 6/11 - 0300 UTC Monday, 6/13

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-06-03 18:47:47 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1075 Message: 1075

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.arrl.org/june-vhf-qso-party
<http://www.arrl.org/june-vhf-qso-party>

ARRL June VHF QSO Party Rules

1.Object: To work as many amateur stations in as many different 2 degrees by 1 degree grid squares as possible using authorized frequencies above 50 MHz. Foreign stations work W/VE amateurs only.

2. Date and Contest Period: The second full weekend in June. Begins 1800 UTC Saturday, ends 0300 UTC Monday (June 11-13, 2011).

3. Entry Categories:

3.1 Single Operator.

3.1.1. Low Power

3.1.2. High Power

3.2 Single Operator Portable.

3.3 Rover. A rover is comprised of no more than two operators that moves among two or more grid squares during the course of a contest. An operator may perform any or all rover functions, but a driver's function shall be limited to driving the vehicle. Drivers may be switched out during the event. Any number of observers is also allowed, however observers may not perform any rover function at any time. Rover vehicles with only one occupant are allowed to perform all functions listed above.

3.3.1. A rover vehicle may transport only one station using a single call sign. An exception is provided for in "General Rules for All ARRL Contests" number 3.5 (Family Rule).

3.3.2. A rover may not operate with more than one call sign.

3.3.3. Rover vehicles must transport all the equipment, power supplies, and antennas used at each operating site.

3.3.4. Rovers MUST sign "rover" on Phone and /R on CW and digital modes after their call sign.

3.3.5. All Rovers are encouraged to adopt operating practices that allow as many stations as possible to contact them.

3.3.6. Rover operators may submit separate logs for single operator (fixed station) in addition to their rover entries. Rovers submitting a score for inclusion in a club competition must also include a secondary summary sheet indicating the portion of the score that counts for the club score if any of the QSOs submitted take place outside of their club's territory.

3.3.7. Rovers are permitted to use APRS. Rovers using APRS transmit only their call sign and position. Any multi-op station may access rover APRS data directly or via the Internet.

3.3.8. A rover may not make more than 100 QSOs with any other one rover.

3.4. Limited Rover. Same as the "Rover" class above, but operation is permitted only on the 6 Meter, 2 Meter, 220 MHz and 432 MHz bands. Output power limits shall be the same as those defined for the Single Operator Low Power category.

3.5 Unlimited Rover. Same as "Rover" class above, but Unlimited Rovers may use more than two operators and are exempt from rules 3.3.3 and 3.3.8.

3.5.1. Unlimited Rover scores may NOT be applied to a club score for Club Competition.

3.6. Multioperator:

3.6.1. Multioperator (Unlimited): Stations submit logs with more than four bands used.

3.6.2.Limited Multioperator: Stations submit logs with a maximum of four bands used. (Logs from additional bands used, if any, should be included as checklogs.)

4. Exchange: Grid-square locator (see April 1994 QST, p 86).

4.1. Exchange of signal report is optional.

5. Scoring:

5.1. QSO points:

5.1.1. Count one point for each complete 50- or 144-MHz QSO.

5.1.2. Count two points for each 222- or 432-MHz QSO.

5.1.3. Count three points for each 902- or 1296-MHz QSO.

5.1.4. Count four points for each 2.3 GHz (or higher) QSO.

5.2. Multiplier: The total number of different grid squares worked per band. Each 2 degrees by 1 degree grid square counts as one multiplier on each band it is worked.

5.3. Final score: Multiply the total number of QSO points from all bands operated by the total number of multipliers for final score.

5.4. Rovers only: The final score consists of the total number of QSO points from all bands times the sum of unique multipliers (grid squares) worked per band (regardless of which grid square they were made in) plus one additional multiplier for every grid square from which they successfully completed a contact.

5.4.1. Rovers are listed in the contest score listings under the Division from which the most QSOs were made.

6. Reporting:

6.1. Entries may be submitted as follows:

6.1.1. Electronic submissions in the Cabrillo format may be emailed to JuneVHF@... <mailto:JuneVHF@...>

6.1.2. Hand written paper logs or diskettes mailed to June VHF, ARRL, 225 Main St, Newington, CT 06111.

6.1.3. Web entries submitted via the web-based applet at:http://www.b4h.net/cabforms/ <http://www.b4h.net/cabforms/>

6.2. Entries that have been electronically generated must submit their log file in the Cabrillo file format. Paper print outs of electronic files are not acceptable substitutes.

6.3. Entries must be emailed or postmarked no later than 0300 UTC Wednesday, July 13, 2011. Late logs may be designated as checklogs only.

7. Miscellaneous:

7.1. Stations may be worked for credit only once per band from any given grid square, regardless of mode. This does not prohibit working a station from more than one grid square with the same call sign (such as a Rover).

7.2. Only one signal per band (6, 2, 11/4, etc) at any given time is permitted, regardless of mode.

7.3. Multi-operator stations may not include QSOs with their own operators except on frequencies higher than 2.3 GHz. Even then, a complete, different station (transmitter, receiver and antenna) must exist for each QSO made under these conditions.

7.4. Forms may be obtained by:

7.4.1. Downloading the form here <http://www.arrl.org/paper-log-entry-forms> .

7.4.2. Sending an SASE with 2 units of postage to June VHF Form Request, ARRL, 225 Main St, Newington, CT 06111.

8. Awards: Certificates will be awarded in the following categories:

8.1. Single Operator.

8.1.1. Top Single Operator Low and High power entry in each ARRL/RAC Section.

8.1.2. Top Single Operator Low and High power on each band (50, 144, 222, 432, 902, 1296 and 2304-and-up categories) in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Note: Since the highest score per band will be the award winner for that band, an entrant may win a certificate with additional single-band endorsements.) For example, if W1INF has the highest Single-Operator all-band score in the CT Section and his 50- and 222-MHz scores are higher than any other CT single operator's, he will earn a certificate for being the single-operator Section leader and endorsements for 50 and 222 MHz.

8.2. Top Single-Operator Portable in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Single-operator Portable entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

8.3. Top Rover, Limited Rover and Unlimited Rover in each ARRL Division and Canada where significant effort or competition is evident. (Rover entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

8.4. Top Multioperator score in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

8.5. Top Limited Multioperator in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Limited multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

8.6. Plaques, if sponsored, will be awarded in the following categories:

8.6.1. Top Overall Single Operator (both High and Low Power) scorers.

8.6.2. Top Overall Single Operator Portable scorer.

8.6.3. Top Overall Rover, Limited Rover and Unlimited Rover scorers.

8.6.4. Top Overall Multi-Operator scorer.

8.6.5. Top Overall Limited Multi-Operator scorer.

8.6.6. The leading scorer in each entry category for each ARRL Division, Canada, Mexico, and DX (non-W/VE/XE) station.

9. Other:

9.1. See "General Rules for All ARRL Contests <http://www.arrl.org/general-rules-for-all-arrl-contests> " and "General Rules for ARRL Contests on bands above 50 MHz (VHF) <http://www.arrl.org/general-rules-for-arrl-contests-above-50-mhz> "

1076. Sun uncorks a massive solar blast - Science Fair: Science and Space News -

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-06-08 17:42:19 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1076 Message: 1076

FYI Feels like the Sun got a lot closer Here in Indiana

Stay Safe , Stay Cool Drink Plenty of Liquids No not the Kind that makes You fell good for awhile , then You wake up sick the same with ol problems or more depending who you wake up with are stii here and you have less Money .

73 De Don KA9QJG

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orks-a-massive-solar-blast-/1
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corks-a-massive-solar-blast-/1>

1077. This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-06-17 20:16:46 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 523 Message: 1077

Scientists predict sunspot activity is coming to an end
http://news.yahoo.com/s/afp/20110614/ts_afp/usspacesun
<http://news.yahoo.com/s/afp/20110614/ts_afp/usspacesun>

WASHINGTON (AFP) ☐ For years, scientists have been predicting the Sun would by around 2012 move into solar maximum, a period of intense flares and sunspot activity, but lately a curious calm has suggested quite the opposite.

According to three studies released in the United States on Tuesday, experts believe the familiar sunspot cycle may be shutting down and heading toward a pattern of inactivity unseen since the 17th century. The signs include a missing jet stream, fading spots, and slower activity near the poles, said experts from the National Solar Observatory and Air Force Research Laboratory.

"This is highly unusual and unexpected," said Frank Hill, associate director of the NSO's Solar Synoptic Network, as the findings of the three studies were presented at the annual meeting of the American Astronomical Society's Solar Physics Division in Las Cruces, New Mexico. "But the fact that three completely different views of the Sun point in the same direction is a powerful indicator that the sunspot cycle may be going into hibernation."

Solar activity tends to rise and fall every 11 years or so. The solar maximum and solar minimum each mark about half the interval of the magnetic pole reversal on the Sun, which happens every 22 years. Hill said the current cycle, number 24, "may be the last normal one for some time and the next one, cycle 25, may not happen for some time. "This is important because the solar cycle causes space weather which affects modern technology and may contribute to climate change," he told reporters.

Experts are now probing whether this period of inactivity could be a second Maunder Minimum, which was a 70-year period when hardly any sunspots were observed between 1645-1715, a period known as the "Little Ice Age."

"If we are right, this could be the last solar maximum we'll see for a few decades. That would affect everything from space exploration to Earth's climate," said Hill.

Solar flares and eruptions can send highly charged particles hurtling toward Earth and interfere with satellite communications, GPS systems and even airline controls.

Geomagnetic forces have been known to occasionally garble the world's modern gadgetry, and warnings were issued as recently as last week when a moderate solar flare sent a coronal mass ejection in the Earth's direction.

The temperature change associated with any reduction in sunspot activity would likely be minimal and may not be enough to offset the impact of greenhouse gases on global warming, according to scientists who have published recent papers on the topic.

"Recent solar 11-year cycles are associated empirically with changes in global surface temperature of 0.1 Celsius," said Judith Lean, a solar physicist with the US Naval Research Laboratory.

If the cycle were to stop or slow down, the small fluctuation in temperature would do the same, eliminating the slightly cooler effect of a solar minimum compared to the warmer solar maximum. The phenomenon was witnessed during the descending phase of the last solar cycle.

This "cancelled part of the greenhouse gas warming of the period 2000-2008, causing the net global surface temperature to remain approximately flat -- and leading to the big debate of why the Earth hadn't (been) warming in the past decade," Lean, who was not involved in the three studies presented, said in an email to AFP.

A study in the March 2010 issue of Geophysical Research Letters explored what effect an extended solar minimum might have, and found no more than a 0.3 Celsius dip by 2100 compared to normal solar fluctuations.

"A new Maunder-type solar activity minimum cannot offset the global warming caused by human greenhouse gas emissions," wrote authors Georg Feulner and Stefan Rahmstorf, noting that forecasts by the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change have found a range of 3.7 Celsius to 4.5 Celsius rise by this century's end compared to the latter half of the 20th century. "Moreover, any offset of global warming due to a grand minimum of solar activity would be merely a temporary effect, since the distinct solar minima during the last millennium typically lasted for only several decades or a century at most.

Kb9ygd [:O]

1078. Balloon launch carrying Amateur Radio next week

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-06-17 22:08:13 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 523 Message: 1078

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

To All Kentucky Amateurs,

Morehead State University will be launching a near-space balloon at 10 a.m. Tuesday, June 21 from the Bluegrass region of Kentucky. The launch will be dependent on favorable weather conditions. The purpose of the launch is for student experiments, research and professional development for instructors.

Among the payloads the balloon will be carrying a UHF simplex repeater, as well as APRS. The simplex repeater will be operational on 446.300 using a CTCSS tone of 100 Hz. next week. APRS will also be used on

144.39 MHz and can also be tracked on the aprs.fi website (http://aprs.fi <http://aprs.fi/>).

Signal reports will be greatly appreciated with your call, signal strength, location and if possible, a magnetic bearing to the transmitter. When using the simplex repeater, remember to allow time for it to record your signal and retransmit it.

It's a very interesting experiment to follow. My son Elijah, KJ4FZX and others at the Ashland, Ky., hamfest were able to make contacts via the simplex repeater during a balloon launch earlier this year with hams at the Owenton, Ky. launch site -- using a dualband HT and a UHF handheld yagi antenna.

Updates on the launch will follow via KYHAM. If weather conditions are unfavorable the launch may be delayed, rescheduled or canceled.

73,

Jim Brooks, KY4Z

ARRL Kentucky Section Manager

1079. Karsfest Reminder Sunday July 17th

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-07-04 04:21:34 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1079 Message: 1079

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

Excellent FORUMS and VE Testing PLANNED FOR KARS 28TH ANNUAL HAMFEST KARSFEST 2011

Sponsored by the Kankakee Area Radio Society - W9AZ

Sunday July 17th

AT THE wILL COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

Peotone, Illinois

I-57 exit 327 (east 1 mile)

TALK-IN W9AZ Repeater 146.94 (-600) (PL 107.2) APRS 144.39 follow the KARSFEST Beacon HFEST-17p

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TWO FORUMS ARE PLANNED FOR KARS 28TH ANNUAL HAMFEST

1. YOUTH AND AMATEUR RADIO IN THE CLASSROOM:

The Story of the W9GRS Amateur Radio Station Presenter - Troy J. Simpson (W9KVR).

8th grade Earth Science teacher Troy Simpson will talk about the Amateur Radio Club station and student program at Glenn Raymond School in Watseka, IL. The school was awarded an ARRL Stations in Schools Grant in 2008. Specifically Troy will share his experiences of helping the students at Glenn Raymond School get on air and involved in various aspects of amateur radio.

Topics will in-clude how the school got started in radio, the challenges of getting on air, student licensing, local Amateur Radio Club in-volvement, contesting, and the sweet suc-cess of students earning their tickets, and making that rare DX QSO!

Students are earning their tickets, Troy will speak on the experience.

Troy asks if you hear W9GRS, followed by a few other "9" calls, it maybe some of his students trying to pick up a new one!

2. FLEX RADIO A Flex operator's Perspective By Ken Buser W9YNI SDR fundamentals and operating the FLEX.

Ken will also describe his "beefed up" Flex-5000 with a 6-Core AMD powerhouse.

Forum times will be made available shortly on the web site at:

http://www.w9az.com/karsfest.html <http://www.w9az.com/karsfest.html>

Download the KARSFEST 2011

Flyer in Adobe Acrobat form...

http://www.w9az.com/karsfest.pdf <http://www.w9az.com/karsfest.pdf>

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KARSFEST TICKETS

Advance, Double Stub $6.00

At the gate, Single Stub $8.00

Reserved Indoor Tables

$10.00 1st table

$8.00 all other tables

- Children Under 12 FREE -

Tables and Tickets Contact:

CARL SCHROEDER K9CS

Phone: (815) 473-4263

E-Mail questions to Carl K9CS at

Email: karsfest@... <mailto:karsfest@...>

See you at KARSFEST 2011

73' Clay N9IO

Webmaster: KARS - Kankakee Area Radio Society - W9AZ
http://www.w9az.com/ <http://www.w9az.com/>

1080. CW Net Tonight....Sun Jul 10, 2011 2:13 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-07-10 19:15:45 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1080 Message: 1080

FYI

For all You big time CW Ops

73 De Don KA9QJG

Our Nets Manager is Dan AF4LB. We urge you to work with him to help increase
our Nets presence on the bands. Now here's all the usual net info - updated
to reflect all changes.

DO NOT REPLY to this email if you're sending info or comments about our
NAQCC Nets. Email for that goes to our net manager Dan AF4LB at
af4lb@... <mailto:af4lb%40arrl.net> .

Our NAQCC QRS Nets are expanding nicely now. If you would like to start a
net in your area, contact Dan and let him know, and you and he can work out
the details.

Our latest updated schedule is:

NAQCC QRS Net (NQN - Main net)
Sunday evenings 1900 CDST local time which is Monday 0000Z on
7041 khz.
Main NCS - Dan AF4LB (in VA)

NAQCC East Texas QRS Net (ETN)
Monday evenings 1900 CDST local time, which is Tuesday 0000Z on
7121 kHz
Main NCS - Allen KA5TJS (in TX)

NAQCC East Coast QRS Net (ECN)
Thursday evenings at 2130 EDST local time, which is Friday 0130Z on
7041 kHz.
Main NCS - Dan AF4LB (in VA)

NAQCC Pacific NorthWest QRS Net (PNW)
Thursday evenings 1900 PDST local time which is Friday 0200Z on
3574 kHz.
Main NCS - Stewart KE7LKW (in WA)

Please keep sending any info about nets to Dan at af4lb@...
<mailto:af4lb%40arrl.net> . DO NOT
REPLY to this email or it will not reach Dan. Thanks.

For those new to the net, here is a brief description of the informal net
procedure.

The call-up is CQ (Net abbreviation) DE (NCS Call) QNI.

After the NCS sends QNI, send your call once. Please be sure to zero beat
the NCS. When the NCS acknowledges you, just follow his instructions. All
those who check-in will then be given a turn or two to make comments. That's
pretty much it. We're NOT a traffic net nor even all that formal. You don't
even have to learn the special QN signals, as the only one we use is QNI
which basically means check-in. We exist just as a means of some actual
on-the-air slow speed code practice which is different to a certain extent
from computer or tape practice.

Since code practice is so important in becoming a proficient QRP operator,
this is the ONE and ONLY NAQCC activity where we allow use of QRO if
necessary in poor conditions.

If you have any NON-NET info or comments, they go to
naqcc33@... <mailto:naqcc33%40windstream.net> .
DO NOT send any NET info to this address as it will not get to our Net
Manager Dan.

>From Dan AF4LB

and

* John K3WWP - 100% CW / QRP - Proudly promoting Morse Code:

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* With my CW-QRP site - http://home.windstream.net/johnshan/
<http://home.windstream.net/johnshan/>

1081. Invitation to connect on LinkedIn

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-07-13 17:31:09 UTC
From: Bill Carter
Topic: 1081 Message: 1081

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LinkedIn
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I'd like to add you to my professional network on LinkedIn.

- Bill

Bill Carter
Independent Philanthropy Professional
Greater Chicago Area

Confirm that you know Bill Carter
https://www.linkedin.com/e/s785kh-gq2kgor4-4/isd/3527649386/e3iJr7CA/

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1082. Invitation to connect on LinkedIn

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-07-13 17:31:27 UTC
From: Bill Carter
Topic: 1081 Message: 1082

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Bill Carter
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Confirm that you know Bill Carter
https://www.linkedin.com/e/s785kh-gq2kh2dz-6q/isd/3527649386/e3iJr7CA/

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1083. You and Utc/Zulu/Cut/Gmt...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-07-15 20:52:46 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1083 Message: 1083

An Article by Norm/Kb9ygd concerning your understanding of utc,zulu,cut and gmt time formats and their use in amateur radio.

I had occasion in a recent contest to reflect on logging in universal time. My correspondent, a station back east, had the time wrong. In this case it was simply a clerical error. But it did get me to thinking. Not everyone in amateur radio has a reason to think in UTC like I do and lots of contest and DX activity in various modes I actually think in UTC and the 24-hour clock at times..
So why log in UTC? Simply because it puts all logs worldwide on the same time. 0030Z is the same time in Indiana as it is in Belarus, or Florida, or Utah. If a QSO is logged in UTC then it follows that uploads to LoTW, EQSL, ClubLog, etc. will match up exactly in time.

Imagine the confusion if nobody logged in UTC. Take LoTW. How could LoTW match uploaded QSO files from Jl1chv and ka9gkt, if the QSO times are local? jl is maby half day different in time. A whole day different in date, at least part of the time, than Indiana. Then it becomes imperative that logs are kept in some kind of standard time.

The standard is UTC, ex-GMT for Greenwich Mean Time, considered the same as CUT for Coordinated Universal Time, and popularized as Z for Zulu time. I'll use Z. Long ago, Z was standardized as the time at the prime meridian, which passes thru Greenwich England, thus GMT for Greenwich Mean Time. GMT was established in 1884 at the International Meridian Conference, when it was decided to place the Prime Meridian at Greenwich. This may have had something to do with the supposition that England was the current world Navy powerhouse at the time. As one could imagine, there is plenty more to confuse the unwary, for example at Wikipedia. We QSO loggers need not be confused. Listen to WWV and set your clocks accordingly.

Most of the logging programs I am aware of are equipped to translate local computer time to Z time. The user just enters the local time zone offset and notes if daylight savings time is employed locally. The program does the rest. Some purists prefer to actually set their computer clock to Z, then instruct the logger that the offset is zero. Whichever method is chosen, the important thing is that all logged QSOs are in Z.

I hope this article has helped you in your understanding of the various time formats that you may need to use in amateur radio.

Norm/Kb9ygd [:)]

1085. You are invited tonight...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-07-20 16:25:39 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1085 Message: 1085

A last-minute reminder of our NAQCC sprint coming up tonight.

This email is also a quick reference guide to our sprints in general. You
might want to save it or print it out. Here is the date and time for our
current sprint. Other details can be found via the links below.

Wednesday July 20 from 8:30 to 10:30 PM EDT (Thursday July 21 from 0030Z to
0230Z)

If you've been hesitant to join in our sprints because you hear other
sprints running at breakneck speeds, have no fear. Our sprints are geared to
the newcomer to CW and/or contesting. Virtually everyone including the many
veteran contesters who regularly enter our sprints will slow down to YOUR
speed to help you make your contacts

In part due to that, we believe our NAQCC monthly sprints have become the
most successful 2-hour sprints in ham radio today. You can help us to
continue our growth, and help to promote CW and QRP. Just get in the sprint,
make QSO's, and send in a report via our autologger. That's all there is to
it. We regularly get 150-200 participants in each sprint, of whom 100-120
will submit logs for cross-checking. Our record is 135 logs in August 2010.
Our sprints make a powerful statement about the popularity of CW and QRP to
the ham radio world.

Rules specific to this month's sprint are available via:

http://naqcc.info/contests.html <http://naqcc.info/contests.html>

General Sprint Rules that apply to all our sprints are at:

http://naqcc.info/sprint_rules.html
<http://naqcc.info/sprint_rules.html>

We hope you use the GenLog logging program for our sprints. It makes logging
very simple for you and log cross-checking simple for us. You can get

the
program, the latest data file (naqcc.dat) for the program and
instructions
on how to use it via the General Sprint Rules. There is also a thorough
tutorial on using GenLog that includes many screen captures. It's at
http://naqcc.info/sprint_genlog_tutorial.html
<http://naqcc.info/sprint_genlog_tutorial.html> if you need it.

After the sprint, use our Autologger to make submitting your report and
log
as easy as possible:

http://naqcc.info/sprint_submit_log.html
<http://naqcc.info/sprint_submit_log.html>

We award a maximum of 14 certificates for each sprint. One to the winner
in
each of the 10 USA call areas, one to the Canadian winner, and one to
the DX
winner. The 13th one goes to the first-time entrant with the highest
score.
If there are any entrants in our GAIN category, the winner there gets
the
14th certificate. When our NAQCC Chapters get organized, we hope to have
competition among them for a 15th certificate for the top aggregate
chapter
score.

We also often award a prize of some sort donated by the club or one of
our
members to the winner of a random drawing among all who participate and
send
in a report.

Curious about how you did in each of our past sprints, want to check up
on
how your 'rivals' did, or want to see the results of a specific sprint?
You
can now do all of that at http://naqcc.info/contests.html
<http://naqcc.info/contests.html> .

Tips for successful sprinting can be found at:

http://naqcc.info/sprint_tips.html <http://naqcc.info/sprint_tips.html>

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1086. [60m] Starts Today: HF Interoperability Event 2011 - ALE Fri Aug 5, 2011 2:21

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-08-05 20:12:42 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1086 Message: 1086

FYI
I have Not Worked 60 Meters Much they are a lot of Restrictions Maybe
I should Post that too
http://www.arrl.org/60-meter-faq <http://www.arrl.org/60-meter-faq>

60 Meters: Five Specific Channels
The FCC has granted hams secondary access on USB only to five discrete 2.8-kHz-wide channels. Amateurs can not cause inference to and must accept interference from the Primary Government users. The NTIA says that hams planning to operate on 60 meters "must assure that their signal is transmitted on the channel center frequency." This means that amateurs should set their carrier frequency 1.5 kHz lower than the channel center frequency.

General, Advanced and Amateur Extra classes:

Channel Center

Amateur Tuning Frequency

5332 kHz

5330.5 kHz

5348 kHz

5346.5 kHz

5368 kHz

5366.5 kHz

5373 kHz

5371.5 kHz

5405 kHz (common US/UK)

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Amateurs may use USB *only* with a maximum effective radiated power (ERP) of50 W. Radiated power must not exceed the equivalent of 50 W PEP transmitter output power into an antenna with a gain of 0 dBd. For details, see the 60 Meter FAQ <http://www.arrl.org/60-meter-faq> page.

HF Interoperability Event 2011
ALE On The Air Week: 5 to 15 August

(Please forward to friends)

The Question:
What is HF Interoperability?

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All ham operators are invited to participate in
10 days of HF Automatic Link Establishment
activity on the air. The purpose of this event
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START: 0001 UTC Friday 05 August 2011
END: 2359 UTC Monday 15 August 2011

The HF Interoperability Event is an on-the-air
international exercise sponsored by HFLINK, towards
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Networking communications for the amateur radio service.

HF Interoperability utilizes the High Frequency
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used by governmental agencies and non-governmental
organizations for HF communications around the world.

ALE provides direct HF Selective Calling and Net Calling
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The radio operator can call another ham callsign
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Thousands of amateur radio operators worldwide now
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before, this is a perfect way to start. If you are
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MORE INFORMATION:
http://hflink.com/aotaw/ <http://hflink.com/aotaw/>

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1088. US Steps Up Security Precautions in Advance of 9-11 Anniversary

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-09-08 04:01:47 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1088 Message: 1088

FYI

Our Thoughts and Prayers go out to all Who were effected by this Tragic Event

Don KA9QJG

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9-7-2011 The United Stated is Raising the Alert Level at its Domestic Military Bases...

http://www.emergencyemail.org/newsemergency/anmviewer.asp?a=1423&z=29
<http://www.emergencyemail.org/newsemergency/anmviewer.asp?a=1423&z=29>

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State Department Travel Warning Regarding 9-11 Anniversary

http://www.emergencyemail.org/newsemergency/anmviewer.asp?a=1413&z=29
<http://www.emergencyemail.org/newsemergency/anmviewer.asp?a=1413&z=29>

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US On Guard Against Terrorist Attacks Before 9-11 Anniversary

http://www.emergencyemail.org/newsemergency/anmviewer.asp?a=1412&z=29
<http://www.emergencyemail.org/newsemergency/anmviewer.asp?a=1412&z=29>

1089. 2m Fall Sprint, Monday, 9/19, 7 - 11 pm (Local Time)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-09-16 18:51:00 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1089 Message: 1089

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS Where in the Heck did Summer go so Fast Do NOT Forget Lets get some Ants put up for the Cold Winter Nights

July 27, 2011Bruce Randall, WD4JQV, the 2011 Fall Sprint Chairman, announced the schedule and the rules for this year's Sprints.

Changes this year include 6-digit grid squares and distance scoring on microwaves. This year's schedule is as follows:

144 MHz

7 pm to 11 pm local

Mon, Sep 19

222 MHz

7 pm to 11 pm local

Tue, Sep 27

432 MHz

7 pm to 11 pm local

Wed, Oct 5

Microwaves

7 am to 1 pm local

Sat, Oct 22

50 MHz

2300 to 0300 UTC

Sat, Oct 29 - Sun, Oct 30

Introducing the 2011 Fall VHF/UHF Sprints:

The Southeastern VHF Society is again sponsoring the Fall VHF/UHF

Sprints. All amateurs are encouraged to participate, even if only in a small

way. They are meant to get everyone on the air. The rules encourage

rover, microwave operation and the casual operator new to VHF/UHF.

This year we are using 6 digit grid squares and distance scoring on the

Microwaves.

The contest is intended for single operator, single transmitter entries.

However, if one wishes to introduce a newcomer to weak signal vhf/uhf

operations, the sponsors of the contest reserve the right to allow such entries, if identified as such.

In no case will there be more than 1 radio operator at one time. A second person can not serve as a

"spotter" while the first operates. Operating categories are still Single Op and Rover.

Sprints are held on different days for each band except for the Microwaves (902 and up) that are

held together. The operating time for each Sprint is short (like a sprint :-) and meant to compress

the activity into a shorter time span.

At present we do not have any plaque sponsors. If you would like to sponsor a plaque for one of the

Sprints please contact the Fall Sprints Chairman Bruce Randall WD4JQV. WD4JQV@... <mailto:WD4JQV@...> .

While the rules for the Fall Sprints are set for 2011, we are always open to suggestions on how to

improve them for the future. If you have an idea on how to make the Fall Sprints better for next

year (different dates, times, rule change, etc.) please drop the Fall Sprints Chairman a note and help

out.

Please notice that, except for rovers and the microwave sprint, the scoring is more like the

ARRL June VHF contest now.

This will allow computer programs to both generate the logs andcheck the logs.

Rover scoring is intended to encourage activation of many grids!

Down East Microwave (downeastmicrowave.com) is again supporting the Fall Sprints by

sponsoring two participation award drawings. The drawings will be made at the SVHFS

Conference from the stations that turn in logs showing contacts in the 222 MHz Sprint and/or the

Microwave Sprint. One drawing for each. The two drawing winners will receive $100 gift

certificates for DEMI products. You do not have to be present to win. The awards are being

sponsored to encourage amateurs to get active on 222 MHz and the Microwave bands. Our thanks

to Steve and Sandra for their continued support!!

For details and up-to-date information about the Fall Sprints and the annual technical conference

the Southeastern VHF Society sponsors, please visit our website at www.svhfs.org <http://www.svhfs.org/>

73, have fun, and good luck!

Bruce Randall WD4JQV

fallsprints@... <mailto:fallsprints@...>

2011 Fall Sprint Chairman

1090. Sked Request: North Dakota PSK31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-09-17 15:04:56 UTC
From: whynotbecreative
Topic: 1090 Message: 1090

Hi there,

Is there someone on the list from North Dakota who would be willing to set up a sked with me?

I will be moving out of state very soon, and I only need North Dakota confirmed for QRP WAS. So if someone would be willing to set up a sked with me, I'd be very grateful. It does not have to be a 2xQRP PSK31 contact, as long as I'm running QRP it will be fine.

You can contact me directly at: alex@...

Thanks for the bandwidth!

73,
--Alex KR1ST
http://www.airlinkexpress.org

1091. Re: [CQCQCQ] Sked Request: North Dakota PSK31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-09-17 21:26:58 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1090 Message: 1091

You can post up in a "forum" on QRZ.com and make the same request
to a potentially wider audience. Good luck.

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

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1092. RE: [CQCQCQ] Sked Request: North Dakota PSK31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-09-17 22:31:19 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1090 Message: 1092

Richards How did You know that at 65 I was a Slim mean Fighting Machine and NOT WIDE Ha ha

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, September 17, 2011 4:27 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Sked Request: North Dakota PSK31

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1093. Re: [CQCQCQ] Sked Request: North Dakota PSK31

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-09-18 01:21:36 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1090 Message: 1093

Just lucky, I guess ! ;-)

Happy Trails.
========== Richards / K8JHR ==========

On 9/17/2011 18:31, ka9qjg wrote:
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> Richards How did You know that at 65 I was a Slim mean Fighting Machine
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1094. Nice Ant info site

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-09-18 22:38:39 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1094 Message: 1094

I know some of Us Make or try and Make our own Ants I know it sounds better on the Air then I just put up a Store bought G5RV Only cost $ 75.00 Dollars plus shipping and I still need My tuner When We could of made it for $10.00
Anyway here is one of the Best sites I have found that shows a lot of info in one place and I thought I would share the info
Enjoy http://www.packetradio.com/ant.htm
<http://www.packetradio.com/ant.htm> And as always I add we must give Credit to who do all the hard work on these sites and then shares the info with us
Do set around like Me thinking about what to do this Winter and we have no antennas put up to use , But the old saying they work better when put up during a Snow storm and below 0
73 De Don KA9QJG

1095. RE: [CQCQCQ] Nice Ant info site

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-09-19 00:48:38 UTC
From: Hank Lambert
Topic: 1094 Message: 1095

That is a great site. I enjoy making my own antennas; I like the 4 element 2 meter beam on that page, I might have to make that one. I don't really need to wait until winter, however, because here in Florida that's about a week in February ;)

73,

Hank Lambert

KB4MTO/TA5ZC

hank@...

kb4mto@...

www.hanklambert.com

PGP Key: 0x9DFFC21E

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg1
Sent: Sunday, September 18, 2011 6:39 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Nice Ant info site

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73 De Don KA9QJG

1096. Strong Geomagnetic Storm on Sept. 26

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-09-27 01:15:18 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1096 Message: 1096

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Space Weather News for Sept. 26, 2011

http://spaceweather.com <http://spaceweather.com>

GEOMAGNETIC STORM: A strong geomagnetic storm is in progress following the impact of a coronal mass ejection (CME) today, Sept. 26th, at approximately

12:15 UT. Analysts at the Goddard Space Weather Lab report a "strong compression of Earth's magnetosphere" and the possibility that satellites in geosynchronous orbit have been exposed to solar wind plasma and magnetic fields. Mid- to high-latitude sky watchers should be alert for auroras after nightfall. Observing tip: The hours around local midnight are usually best for spotting Northern and Southern Lights. Check http://spaceweather.com <http://spaceweather.com> for images and updates.

1097. Re: [CQCQCQ] Nice Ant info site

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-09-27 02:51:34 UTC
From: Adrian Flynn
Topic: 1094 Message: 1097

Hello Don,
Move to North East Arizona, then you can enjoy all the bennifits of Snow with lows in the -25 to -45 nights and you can figure the wind chill (I never learned that one) with steady winds of 30 MPH to 50 MPH EVERY DAY and gusts of 80 to 100 weekly at least.

This is known as the "High Desert" 5280 feet at the head end of the "Little Colorado River Valley"
That will give you a great climate to do antenna work in the winter.

Summer same wind conditions BUT temperatures in the 90 to 115 degree range. at about 5% humidity.
Just thought I would make a suggestion since you seem to need some winter conditions.
I lived there for more than 20 years.
Moved to Michigan this year after finding out I could breath a lot better here than there.
There I had to be on 5LPM of O2 to walk across the room, here I can shovel snow on 2LPM of O2!
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Adrian KF7DYU

> I don’t really need to wait until winter, however, because here in Florida
> that’s about a week in February ;)****
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> KB4MTO/TA5ZC****
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> hank@...****
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> kb4mto@...g****
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> www.hanklambert.com****
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> PGP Key: 0x9DFFC21E****
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1098. Woman honored for being Weather Observer since 1947

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-10-18 18:42:43 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1098 Message: 1098

FYI
Woman honored for being Weather Observer since 1947

Great for Her She Probably does a Better Job then all the Overpaid
News Casters
73 De Don KA9QJG

SEYMOUR, Ind. -- The National Weather Service has honored a 91-year-old woman for keeping track of the temperature, rain and snow at her southern Indiana home for nearly 64 years.

Family members and weather service officials surprised Ruth Everhart, of Seymour, on Sunday by recognizing her as the state's longest-serving weather observer.

She gained the title this month when she passed Elwood Kirkwood, of Mauzy in Rush County, who was an observer from 1881 to 1944, three years before Everhart took over observer duties from her husband, said Al Shipe of the weather service office in Indianapolis.

Everhart was told that gathering at a Seymour church was for a surprise birthday party for her son. Instead, the party was for her.

Everhart said she would keep up filing her daily weather reports for a while from her home along East Fork White River.

"Maybe for another year. That'll be 65 years," she told The Tribune of Seymour. "I think 65 will be long enough."

She would need to keep going for another five years or so to break the national record.

"She's not going to give it up that we know of," said her son, Chips Everhart. "She's still going strong, mowing her own yard. She did tell us this year she wasn't going to paint her house, which she's always done."

Among the weather events she's recorded include a high temperature of 106 degrees in 1954 and nearly 30 inches of snow in December 2004.

Ken Scheeringa, of the Indiana State Climatology Office in West Lafayette, presented Everhart with a copy of the first monthly report she submitted to the weather service in 1947.

"Out of all the amazing people who have done this work, this lady has done it longer than anyone else," he said. "These records provide valuable information."

Each morning at 7 a.m., Everhart records the maximum and minimum temperatures, the amount of rainfall, the river level and snow depth. NWS officials said she calls in the report at 7:07 a.m. every day, sending in 23,000 observations over the 64 years.

"Weather information collected by Mrs. Everhart is used to predict floods and determine local climate," NWS Indianapolis said in a statement on its website. "At times, this information is critical to criminal and civil legal matters."

Everhart's son said his mother is still going strong and mowing her own yard, but she decided this year to stop painting her house along the East Fork White River.

1099. Re: [CQCQCQ] Woman honored for being Weather Observer since 1947

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-10-18 23:05:30 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1098 Message: 1099

On 10/18/2011 2:42 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:
>
> Woman honored for being Weather Observer since 1947
>
> Great for Her She Probably does a Better Job then all the Overpaid News
> Casters
>

I bet she does a better job than the local Skywarn rabble, who won't
follow directions from net control. What a mess. I thought I would
join Skywarn when I became a ham, but not now.

About this old gal does a fabulous job.

==========K8JHR ==========

1100. 10 Open Wed Oct 19, 2011 1:58 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-10-19 19:00:48 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1100 Message: 1100

My Qth N/W In near Chicago
10 Meters Open Good Hearing Ireland on 28.394 Over S-9 EI9J

73 De Don KA9QJG

1101. 10 Meter/Observations

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-10-21 02:05:36 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1101 Message: 1101

It has been a long time maybe 20 yrs since I have heard such nice Strong
Signals on 10 Meters in the Way they are coming in Example , I live in
the Midwest NW In Near Chicago I started listening around 2 Pm CDT
I Worked Brazil , Mexico , Rio de Janeiro
New Zealand, Alaska, Hawaii, and Japan , All over S-9 What is
Strange this was Wide Spread and I was Hearing other Stations trying to
Make Contacts Close in States I do not normally hear, I was running 100
Watts and a Vertical in a Tree

My weather Rain and Strong winds 51 Deg

If the Band stays like this some of the New Hams can get on the Air and
Work all States if they wish and lots of Foreign Countries

Have Fun

PS when 10 Is Open Check 12 too

73 De Don KA9QJG

1102. Re: [CQCQCQ] 10 Meter/Observations

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-10-21 05:56:45 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1101 Message: 1102

Yeah... man. I worked Arizona from Michigan ON AM today.

That seems like a long way on a measly dipole at 25 feet up.

========== James -K8JHR ==========

On 10/20/2011 10:05 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:

> Strong Signals on 10 Meters in the Way they are coming in

1103. SOUTH FLORIDA HAMFEST, 11/5/2011, 7:00 am

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-10-22 10:56:45 UTC
From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 1103 Message: 1103

Reminder from: CQCQCQ Yahoo! Group
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/cal

SOUTH FLORIDA HAMFEST
Saturday November 5, 2011
7:00 am - 1:00 pm
(The next reminder for this event will be sent in 9 days, 3 minutes.)
Location: DELRAY BEACH, FLORIDA
Street: 16700 Jog Road
City State Zip: Delray Beach, Fl 33446
Phone: 954-481-5327

Notes:
SOUTH FLORIDA HAM FEST
NOVEMBER 5th, 2011 8am - 1pm

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1104. SOUTH FLORIDA HAMFEST, 11/5/2011, 7:00 am

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-10-31 10:55:05 UTC
From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 1103 Message: 1104

Reminder from: CQCQCQ Yahoo! Group
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/CQCQCQ/cal

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1105. Reminder Ft.Wayne Hamfest Nov 19-20 2011

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-03 07:34:08 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1105 Message: 1105

Just a Reminder and Sat it the Better Day , Beware of Of Course it works it belonged to My Grandfather , Non smoker . Forgot the Manual , and NO you cannot plug it in

Enjoy

73 De Don KA9QJG

Fort Wayne Hamfest
& Computer Expo
November 19 - 20, 2011

Sponsored by the Allen County Amateur Radio Technical Society
The 2011 Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo and the 2011 Indiana State A.R.R.L. Convention will be held on November 19th and 20th at the Allen County War Memorial Coliseum and Exposition Center, located at 4000 Parnell Avenue in Fort Wayne (at the corner of Parnell and Coliseum Blvd). Click here <http://www.acarts.com/hf_managers.htm> to see a contact list of this years hamfest general chairman and various managers. A little history about our 2010 event .... This past year we enjoyed many fine forums and exhibits, along with a flea market of almost 600 tables, which included the following manufacturers: Ameritron, MFJ, HyGain, Mirage, Vectronics, ICOM and Yaesu. We had both new and used dealers for radio equipment, computers, electronics and general computer and electronic supplies. And our plans for 2011 ....
The 2011 Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo, and Indiana ARLL State Convention will be open to the public from 9 AM to 4 PM on Saturday November 19th, and from 9 AM to 3 PM on Sunday, November 20th. Admission is only $6.00 per person (good for both days), or $4.00 for just Sunday, and there is plenty of parking in a large, paved parking lot, but please note that the Coliseum charges a $4.00 parking fee. Children 11 and under are free with an adult.
We will once again be offering VE testing. See the Forums/VE test <http://www.acarts.com/forums.htm> page for details.

We have several forums each day, on many subjects relating to amateur radio and electronics.

We will also be welcoming several representatives from the American Radio Relay League.

Download our 2 page hamfest flyer here
<http://www.acarts.com/images/2011%20Hamfest%20Flyer.pdf> !
And in the future ....
Mark your calendars for these future Fort Wayne Hamfest & Computer Expo's:

2012: Nov 17-18 2013: Nov 16-17 2014: Nov 15-16
For More Information on most any aspect of the hamfest, just select one of the hamfest links on the left. If you still haven't found the answers you're looking for, you can email your question to our Hamfest Chairman <mailto:chairman@...> , or call our Hamfest line at 260-579-2196, where you can leave a message and we'll return your call as soon as possible. If your questions relate specifically to tables or table sales, you can email our Table Chairman <mailto:tables@...m> , or leave a message on the Hamfest Information line.

1106. Time Falls back 1 Hour

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-05 03:49:42 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1106 Message: 1106

FYI

Just a Reminder Back at 2 Am

73 De Don KA9QJG

When we change our clocks

Beginning in 2007, most of the United States begins Daylight Saving Time at 2:00 a.m. on the second Sunday in March and reverts to standard time on the first Sunday in November. In the U.S., each time zone switches at a different time.
Spring forward, Fall back
During DST, clocks are turned forward an hour, effectively moving an hour of daylight from the morning to the evening.

Date change in 2007
On August 8, 2005, President George W. Bush signed the Energy Policy Act of 2005. This Act changed the time change dates for Daylight Saving Time in the U.S. Beginning in 2007, DST will begin on the second Sunday in March and end the first Sunday in November. The Secretary of Energy will report the impact of this change to Congress. Congress retains the right to resume the 2005 Daylight Saving Time schedule once the Department of Energy study is complete.
Spelling and grammar
The official spelling is Daylight Saving Time, not Daylight SavingS Time.

Saving is used here as a verbal adjective (a participle). It modifies time and tells us more about its nature; namely, that it is characterized by the activity of saving daylight. It is a saving daylight kind of time. Because of this, it would be more accurate to refer to DST as daylight-saving time. Similar examples would be a mind-expanding book or a man-eating tiger. Saving is used in the same way as saving a ball game, rather than as a savings account. Nevertheless, many people feel the word savings (with an 's') flows more mellifluously off the tongue. Daylight Savings Time is also in common usage, and can be found in dictionaries.
Adding to the confusion is that the phrase Daylight Saving Time is inaccurate, since no daylight is actually saved. Daylight Shifting Time would be better, but it is not as politically desirable.
When in the morning?

In the U.S., clocks change at 2:00 a.m. local time. In spring, clocks spring forward from 1:59 a.m. to 3:00 a.m.; in fall, clocks fall back from 1:59 a.m. to 1:00 a.m. In the EU, clocks change at 1:00 a.m. Universal Time. In spring, clocks spring forward from 12:59 a.m. to

2:00 a.m.; in fall, clocks fall back from 1:59 a.m. to 1:00 a.m.
In the U.S., restaurants and bars have various closing policies. In many states, liquor cannot be served after 2:00 a.m. But at 2:00 a.m. in the fall, the time switches back one hour. So, can they serve alcohol for that additional hour in October? The official answer is that the bars do not stop serving liquor at 2:00 a.m., but actually at 1:59 a.m. So, they have already stopped serving when the time changes from Daylight Saving Time into Standard Time. In practice, however, many establishments stay open an extra hour in the fall.
In the U.S., 2:00 a.m. was originally chosen as the changeover time because it was practical and minimized disruption. Most people were at home and this was the time when the fewest trains were running. It is late enough to minimally affect bars and restaurants, and it prevents the day from switching to yesterday, which would be confusing. It is early enough that the entire continental U.S. switches by daybreak, and the changeover occurs before most early shift workers and early churchgoers are affected.
Some U.S. areas

For the U.S. and its territories, Daylight Saving Time is NOT observed in Hawaii, American Samoa, Guam, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands, and Arizona . The Navajo Nation participates in the Daylight Saving Time policy, even in Arizona, due to its large size and location in three states.
A safety reminder
Many fire departments encourage people to change the batteries in their smoke detectors when they change their clocks because Daylight Saving Time provides a convenient reminder. "A working smoke detector more than doubles a person's chances of surviving a home fire," says William McNabb of the Troy Fire Department in Michigan. More than 90 percent of homes in the United States have smoke detectors, but one-third are estimated to have dead or missing batteries.

73 De Don KA9QJG

1107. Re: [CQCQCQ] Time Falls back 1 Hour

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-05 19:49:23 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1106 Message: 1107

Nice reminder of all the details, Don.

========== JHr ==========
On 11/4/2011 11:49 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:
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> FYI
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> Just a Reminder Back at 2 Am

1108. Emergency-Alert-System-Nationwide-Test

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-06 06:15:56 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1108 Message: 1108

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

[Emergency Alert System Nationwide Test]

At the Federal Communications Commission's June 9, 2011 Agenda meeting, Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau Chief Jamie Barnett, joined by representatives from FEMA and the National Weather Service, announced that the first nationwide test of the Emergency Alert System (EAS) would take place at 2:00 PM (Eastern Standard Time) on November 9, 2011. The purpose of the test is to assess the reliability and effectiveness of the EAS as a public alert mechanism. EAS Participants currently participate in state-level monthly tests and local-level weekly tests, but no top-down review of the entire system has ever been undertaken. The Commission, along with the Federal Emergency Management Agency, will use the results of this nationwide test to assess the reliability and effectiveness of the EAS as a public alert mechanism, and will work together with EAS stakeholders to make improvements to the system as appropriate.

Public Service Announcements
· Video Public Service Announcements (PSAs)

* English - Open Captioned:
15-Second .MOV
<http://transition.fcc.gov/pshs/eas/15SEC_EAS_PSA_open%20C.mov> |
15-Second .MPG
<http://transition.fcc.gov/pshs/eas/15SEC_EAS_PSA_open-C1.mpg>
Other Nationwide EAS Test Releases
· Public Notice Announcing the First EAS Nationwide Test:
Word
<http://transition.fcc.gov/Daily_Releases/Daily_Business/2011/db0609/DA-\
11-1030A1.doc> | Acrobat
<http://transition.fcc.gov/Daily_Releases/Daily_Business/2011/db0609/DA-\
11-1030A1.pdf>

· FCC Third Report and Order, Part 11 Rules Governing the
Emergency Alert System (Amended Feburary 2011): Word
<http://fjallfoss.fcc.gov/edocs_public/attachmatch/FCC-11-12A1.doc> |
Acrobat
<http://fjallfoss.fcc.gov/edocs_public/attachmatch/FCC-11-12A1.pdf>

· PSHSB Chief Jamie Barnett's Comments on the Need for a
Nationwide Test: Blog Post
<http://www.fcc.gov/blog/first-nationwide-test-eas>

· Nationwide EAS Test Frequently Asked Questions (as below):
Word
<http://transition.fcc.gov/pshs/eas/EAS%20National%20Test%20FAQs.doc> |
Acrobat
<http://transition.fcc.gov/pshs/eas/EAS%20National%20Test%20FAQs.pdf>

FEMA Resources
· Nationwide EAS Test Information and FAQs: Link
<http://www.fema.gov/emergency/ipaws/eas_info.shtm>

· EAS Discussion Forum: Link
<https://nationaldialogue-emergencyalertsystem.ideascale.com/>

Frequently Asked Questions Regarding the First Nationwide EAS Test
What is the EAS?

Main Article: Emergency Alert System (EAS)
<http://www.fcc.gov/encyclopedia/emergency-alert-system-eas>

The Emergency Alert System (EAS) is a media communications-based alerting system that is designed to transmit emergency alerts and warnings to the American public at the national, state and local levels. The EAS has been in existence since 1994, and its precursor, the Emergency Broadcast System (EBS), began in 1963. Television and radio broadcasters, satellite radio and satellite television providers, as well as cable television and wireline video providers all participate in the system (collectively, EAS Participants). EAS Participants broadcast thousands of alerts and warnings to the American public each year regarding weather threats, child abductions, and many other types of emergencies. As such, the EAS will continue to function as one key component of a national alert and warning system that will provide alerts over multiple communications platforms, including mobile communications devices.

How does the EAS work?

An EAS alert is based on an audio protocol defined in the FCC's rules. In the EAS, an alert originator at the local, state, or national level inputs an EAS alert into the system using specific encoding equipment. Specially designated stations then broadcast this alert to the public in their listening areas. Other EAS Participants (television and other radio broadcasters, cable and wireline video service providers, radio and television satellite service providers, and others) monitor the specially-designated stations for EAS alerts. When these other EAS Participants receive the EAS alert, they, in turn, broadcast it to the public in their listening areas. This group of EAS Participants may be monitored by other EAS Participants too far away to receive the EAS message from the first group of transmitting broadcasters. This next group of EAS Participants, in turn, broadcasts the alert to the public in the vicinity of their stations, as well as to any other stations that may be monitoring them.

When is the EAS used? When would a national EAS alert be sent?

The EAS alerting architecture is frequently used by state and local emergency managers to send alerts to the public about emergencies and weather events. While the requirements for carrying a national-level EAS alert differ in some respects from state and local alerts, the national EAS test will test the underlying architecture that also supports state and local alerting. Ensuring that the EAS architecture functions properly will benefit emergency alerting at all levels of government.

The EAS provides the ability to send messages regionally or nationally, though it has never been activated at these levels. But a major disaster like an earthquake or tsunami could necessitate the use of the EAS on a regional or national basis to send life-saving information to the public. We cannot anticipate which communications infrastructure will withstand a particular disaster, but the EAS is one of the tools we have to send alerts, warnings, and information to the American people. The national EAS test will help us improve its capabilities should it ever be needed at the regional or national level in an actual emergency.

Why do we need a nationwide test of the EAS?

Pursuant to the FCC's rules, local and state components of the EAS are tested on a weekly and monthly basis, respectively. Although the EAS has been in existence for over 15 years, there has never been an end-to-end, nationwide test of the system, and we need to know that the system will work as intended should public safety officials ever need to send an alert or warning to a large region of the United States. Only a top-down, simultaneous test of all components of the EAS can provide an appropriate diagnosis of system-wide performance.

How will the nationwide EAS test be conducted?

The nationwide EAS test will be conducted jointly by the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) through its Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), the Federal Communications Commission (FCC), and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's (NOAA) National Weather Service (NWS), the three federal agencies that have EAS management responsibilities. FEMA is the arm of the DHS primarily responsible for developing national alert and warning functions. The FCC is an independent agency that grants licenses to or otherwise oversees EAS Participants. FCC rules regulate the transmission of EAS alerts. The NWS is a key player in the dissemination of local warnings via the EAS. The great majority of EAS alerts are NWS weather-related alerts.

On November 9, at 2 PM EST, FEMA will transmit the EAS code for national level emergencies to Primary Entry Point (PEP) stations in the national level of the EAS. The PEP stations will then rebroadcast the alert to the general public in their broadcast vicinity, as well as to the next level of EAS Participants monitoring them. This should continue through all levels of the system, until the national alert has been distributed throughout the entire country.

Pursuant to the FCC's rules, all EAS Participants must report back to the FCC on the results of this test, including whether, and from whom,

they received the alert message and whether they rebroadcast it. FEMA and the FCC will study these results to determine if there are problems with the system and, if so, how best to remedy them. We anticipate that a nationwide test will be conducted periodically to ensure that the EAS is, and remains, functional.

FEMA and the FCC have already twice tested the EAS national code on a more limited basis, in the state of Alaska. The lessons learned from the Alaska tests will inform how the agencies conduct the nationwide test.

What will people hear and see during the test?

Although the Nationwide EAS Test may resemble the periodic, monthly EAS tests that most Americans are already familiar with, there will be some differences in what viewers will see and hear, which is one reason for conducting a nationwide EAS test. Although the activation will include an audio message indicating that this is a test, a visual message indicating that "this is a test" may not appear on every television channel, especially for cable subscribers. This is due to the use of a "live" national code ☐ the same code that would be used in an actual emergency. FEMA and the FCC are conducting outreach to the public, especially the deaf and hard of hearing, in advance of the test. Outreach will include specific information tailored to the needs of the deaf and hard of hearing and will be readily available at online sites. In addition, FEMA and the FCC will continue to work with EAS Participants to explore possible solutions to address this limitation.

How long will the test last?

We anticipate that the test will last approximately 30 seconds.

Why is the national test being conducted at this particular date and time?

While EAS tests may be disruptive, they are important to ensure that the EAS is functional and that EAS Participants are prepared to issue alerts, and it is our intent to minimize disruption and confusion to the extent possible. The November 9 date is near the end of hurricane season and before the severe winter weather season begins in earnest. The 2 PM EST broadcast time will minimize disruption during rush hours, while ensuring that the test occurs during working hours across the United States.

What is the source of FEMA's and the FCC's authority for conducting the national EAS test?

Pursuant to the FCC's rules, EAS Participants must take part in nationwide tests of the EAS. The Department of Homeland Security (DHS), which administers the EAS, has the authority to ensure the conduct of training, tests, and exercises of the EAS by Executive Order.

Are broadcasters and other EAS Participants ready for the test? What if their equipment does not function properly?

FEMA and the FCC will continue to work with EAS Participants to prepare for the nationwide test and provide technical assistance and best practices with respect to equipment configuration. We expect that all EAS Participants will participate in the nationwide test and that they will have equipment in place to conduct the nationwide EAS test that they already test regularly pursuant to the FCC's rules governing required weekly and monthly EAS tests. We would therefore expect such equipment to be in good working order.

Where does media communications-based alerting fit within the development of next generation alerting systems like PLAN and the availability of social networking sites as tools for emergency alerting?

Because we cannot anticipate what systems might be affected by an emergency, it is important to have a redundant, multi-platform alerting system. The EAS is designed to work when other methods of disseminating emergency alerts are unavailable. While there is no guarantee that any form of communications will withstand major disasters, various elements of the EAS are hardened to withstand such calamities. Moreover, the EAS uses technology that is widely accessible to the public. Almost everyone has access to a radio (for example, in a car or via a battery-powered handheld device) and/or a television receiver.

While our ultimate goal is to have an integrated public alert and warning system that will use multiple communications technologies, the EAS will serve as a primary method for transmitting national emergency alerts and warnings for the foreseeable future.

How can EAS Participants, as well as the public, keep up with developments in connection with nationwide EAS tests?

Visit this web page at http://www.fcc.gov/nationwideeastest <http://www.fcc.gov/nationwideeastest> . The FCC will post announcements of all significant developments affecting nationwide testing for both EAS Participants and the general public here.

Bureaus & Offices: Public Safety & Homeland Security <http://www.fcc.gov/public-safety-homeland-security-bureau>

* Printer-friendly version <http://www.fcc.gov/print/32429>

1109. Confusion after US emergency alert test

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-10 07:21:07 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1109 Message: 1109

FYI
I Missed it but I have read a lot of info like this
73 De Don KA9QJG

Confusion after US emergency alert test

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The first national test of a US national alert system left many Americans confused and some said the system failed in its goal to reach all broadcasters in the country.

Many people watching television at 1900 GMT heard the familiar scratchy noises followed by the test announcement -- designed to alert Americans of national emergencies -- but others apparently did not.

In the western state of Oregon, KVAL television said it was among several stations in the area which missed the test.

"KVAL TV did show a frame warning that there would be a test, but the test itself was never received," the station said.

Some viewers in New York said they saw no message at the prescribed time. In the capital city Washington, viewers watching CNN saw the 30-second test and then were inexplicably switched to a shopping channel for several seconds before returning to the all-news station.

Phil Petree, president of the Florida-based safety alert group NeighborhoodWatchAlerts.com, said he monitored several radio and TV stations and found some did not broadcast the alert, and others did it later than the planned airing at 2:00 pm local time.

"One station carried the alert at 2:04, the radio station did it at 2:07 and one station didn't carry it at all," he told AFP.

"I don't know if did this not get carried on purpose or because of an equipment failure."

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) said the test "was the first time we have tested the reach and scope of this technology and what additional improvements that should be made to the system as we move forward."

"Only through comprehensively testing, analyzing, and improving these technologies can we ensure an effective and reliable national emergency alert and warning system," a FEMA statement said.

The test is part of the Emergency Alert System designed to transmit, via TV and radio, emergency alerts and warnings regarding weather threats, child abductions and other types of emergencies, according to officials.

While state and local tests already take place frequently, a simultaneous, nationwide test of the national EAS "emergency action notification" code has never occurred before.

Petree said the government is slow in implementing a new system called IPAWS (Integrated Public Alert and Warning System) which can disseminate warnings via newer technologies including the Internet.

"These messages could be on Facebook, or GoogleTalk could push them out," he said.

"If you're talking about reaching people with an emergency message... there's a big part of the population that is not watching television."

1110. ARRL Committee Seeks Microwave Band Plan Input

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-11 07:18:09 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1110 Message: 1110

FYI
73 De Don KA9QJG

Attention microwavers! An ARRL Ad Hoc Committee has been tasked by the Board of Directors with recommending updates to the ARRL band plans for the amateur bands between 902 MHz and 3.5 GHz. If you are now active on any of these bands or are developing plans to do so, the committee would like to hear from you.

The band plans for these bands may be found here <http://www.arrl.org/band-plan-1> :

* 902-928 MHz
* 1240-1300 MHz
* 2300-2310 and 2390-2450 MHz
* 3300-3500 MHz

You can find additional background and a form for submitting information here <http://www.arrl.org/microwave-band-plan-input-form> and at the links below. Please respond by December 15, 2011.

http://www.arrl.org/news/arrl-committee-seeks-microwave-band-plan-input
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1111. Veterans Day is on Friday, November 11, 2011

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-11 08:03:10 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1111 Message: 1111

Just wanted to Say Thanks to all the Vets for Your Service

73 De Don KA9QJG

USN 63-69 In Bed in Boot Camp 17 ½ Yrs Old When Kennedy got Killed

For the Hams General and above Midcars 7.258 Will be taking Check ins

http://www.midcars.net/ <http://www.midcars.net/>

http://www.va.gov/opa/vetsday/ <http://www.va.gov/opa/vetsday/> Free
Diners ETC
http://tinyurl.com/7h8nob6 <http://tinyurl.com/7h8nob6>

1113. RE: [CQCQCQ] AO-51 21:30 - 21:45 UTC

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-12 05:24:23 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1113 Message: 1113

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I Did play a little Ham ATV And Gad a BIG C/KU Band Dish and Receiver Searching the Skis looking for Live un cut News Feeds

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Bruce Leslie
Sent: Friday, November 11, 2011 2:44 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] AO-51 21:30 - 21:45 UTC

I'll be hitting AO-51 at 21:30 UTC today. Give me a shout

K5HYL - EM13

1114. RE: [CQCQCQ] AO-51 21:30 - 21:45 UTC

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-12 19:32:17 UTC
From: Bruce
Topic: 1113 Message: 1114
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Hi Don,

I'm using my multi-band HT and an Arrow antenna. http://arrowantennas.com/arrowii/146-437.html K7AGE has several videos on working satellites. You can find plans to build one of these antennas on the internet for under $10. I was lazy and bought a ready-made one.

I'm new at this, but it was pretty easy to figure out once I had all the info. I would recommend www.amsat.org for starters. If you use HRD, there is a good satellite tracking program with that. You can download a program called Orbitron (free) that tracks the satellites and predict when they will be within your range. I use both.

It took me a few tries to even hear anyone, but I've been able to make several contacts on a good pass. If you put your call sign and grid aout there, lots of people will try to reach you,

Have fun. I'm not an expert, but if you have questions, give me a shout. I may be able to point you somewhere to find the answer.

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Bruce

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg
Sent: Friday, November 11, 2011 23:24
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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-12 19:35:27 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1113 Message: 1115

Thanks Bruch , I have a Few other Ham Friends who have tried a lot of the Modes and Have a TS-2000 We wanted to try I hope I do not hear the CB Crap I hear on 75 /80

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Bruce
Sent: Saturday, November 12, 2011 1:32 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
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1116. Intruder problem on 10m/27 mhz

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-12 22:42:45 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1116 Message: 1116

28 MHz intruder problem worsens

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Monitor the short wave bands on-line with a web based SDR receiver
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IARU Monitoring System

[``The Real Ham``]
http://www.iaru-r1.org/index.php?opt...d=39&Itemid=8
<http://www.iaru-r1.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&layou\
t=blog&id=39&Itemid=87>

1117. Ham Radio Licenses at an All-Time High

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-23 02:51:51 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1117 Message: 1117

Great to see the interest in Amateur Radio is increasing all of us need
to promote it more

http://tinyurl.com/bsnh6qh <http://tinyurl.com/bsnh6qh>

[http://a57.foxnews.com/video.foxnews.com/thumbnails/111811/640/360/640/\
360/jrp_hamradio_111811.jpg]

73 De Don KA9QJG

1118. Happy Thanksgiving 2011

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-23 22:55:15 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1118 Message: 1118

Just wanted to say Happy Thanksgiving.

It's just one of 365 days in the year that we should be Thankful. If you know of someone who may not have Food to eat please Share

CLICK http://tinyurl.com/3gkerl

73 De

Don KA9QJG

1119. 28 MHz intruder problem worse

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-25 04:17:37 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1119 Message: 1119

After Listening to Amateur Radio News line and Reading the Article Below , I recall a little Research I did in N/W Indiana Chicago Area ,and thought I would share My Findings , Many times I have been on 10 Meters and lost Contacts because of a Non Lic Radio Operator interfering AM FM And SSB , Of course Legally As Lic Amateur Radio Operators We cannot key up and have a QSO And Tell them anything Because We are in Violation .

One time this had Happened and I recognized a Familiar Voice I called Him and he was Ham Radio Operator on CB Using a Radio He had tuned up , it was Putting a Harmonic on 10 Meters So he quit using it

Well today I was on 10 Meters the band was open and I only have 100 Watts and a Homemade Wire Dipole I was waiting for the right opportunity to work a JA Station, I finally saw an Opening and put My call out in the Pile up and when I un-keyed I heard The JA give My call then immediately I heard Some type of strong signal, I switched over and it was Someone on AM Talking. So I missed the Contact

So I did some testing to try and locate it, I live near a couple of miles from a large expressway So I Left My Kenwood TS-2000 On 10 Meters around 28.375 And I turned another Receiver on the low End of the 11 Meter Band 2600 to 28.000 and When I got to 27.185 I could hear The Same CB Radio Op I was Hearing on 28.375 AM

So that tells Me the CB radio was putting out a Harmonic , So Even if I had illegally got upset and told Him on 10 Meters He would of Never Heard me, So now that I know what is going on I did some Testing and Found this all over the Bands 25.000-30.000 Mhz

A few yrs back I was at a Large local truck stop and was in the CB gift shop Area and Two Truck drivers were talking about buying a Export CB To have more Private Channels, I said in a Nice way I was a Ham Radio Operator and Sometimes I hear Truck drivers driving down the Expressway Interfering on out 10 Meter Ham band just above the CB Band. They stated they had no idea they would just buy the Radios have them peaked and tweaked and find a Clear spot to Talk AM/FM SSB whatever they wanted to do. I informed them about getting a Amateur Radio lic and the ARRL.

So All this leads me to actually believe that a lot of the Interference We get on out 10 Meter Ham Bands it not always Intentional, or known , It is Because of all the Cheap Export Non FCC Type CB Equipment on the Market, Not just top pick on the CB And other Users Let's Talk about Some Hams who also Buy this type of Equipment You are also putting Harmonics all over the Place too. And By trying to save a few Dollars If We are a Lic Ham radio Operator I for one Do NOT Want My call

letters going out over any Freq that I "am not lic for . But unfortunately we all know some who really could care less what they do ,,The Radios are used Worldwide I just wonder How many other have no Idea or Care where they are Transmitting

Sorry for the long Post but it was bugging me and I did miss the JA Contact

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t=blog&id=39&Itemid=87>

1120. Re: [CQCQCQ] 28 MHz intruder problem worse

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-25 15:50:02 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1119 Message: 1120

At 10:17 PM 11/24/2011, you wrote in part:

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Not really...

I do from time to time listen between our 10 meter band (lower limits)
and the top end of the CB band.

That section is what they (the CB'ers) call "free band"

And is heavily used by many many very hi powered stations.
All for the purpose of what we call "casing DX".

You really should listen some time. Just once at least.
Even check the FCC web site to see "who" and for what
was "busted" ...

http://transition.fcc.gov/eb/rfo/ActAct.html

About 60 miles south of me there was this person
busted for the 3rd time running hi power and out of
the CB band.

So far I have not see anything on the court docket
in the Federal court system but people in the area say the
house has been sold and now empty.

John, W0JAB

1121. Re: [CQCQCQ] 28 MHz intruder problem worse

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-25 16:05:02 UTC
From: VE3FAL-Fred
Topic: 1119 Message: 1121

Listen to 27.555 USB and you will know when teh band is open.
I use that as a propagation tool on 10 meters, although I have heard
activity there and nothng on 10 which tells me no one is calling cause
chances are good I would hear something.
27.185 is also a good tool for prop on the band.
I have both frequencies in my scanner as well as 6 meter FM calling
frequency to let me know when there is an opening.
If you monitor 27.555 long enough you will hear some govt ALE and STANAG on
or near that frequency.
Some of those guys on 555 have some pretty neat setups and websites.

Just my 2 cents worth.

Fred
YouKits Canada Rep.
http://www.youkits.com
CIW649/VE3FAL
CFARS Member
SATERN Member
SATERN Amateur Radio Liaison Officer Great Lakes Region
http://www.satern.org
DEC Amethyst District ARES
http://www.thunderbay.emergencyradio.ca/

On Fri, 25 Nov 2011 09:50:02 -0600
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Yahoo! Groups Links

1122. Dimple Knob

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-11-26 08:53:28 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1122 Message: 1122

When I did My Post on The 10 Meter Interference , A Ham in Taiwan BX2ABT made a U-Tube Video about some of the interference 10 Meters ,, BUT What caught My eye was the Knob with the finger hole on His Kenwood TS-440S , having that radio and the Kenwood TS-850 , I did not know they were made So I E-mailed Him and got the following Info and thought I would share with the group for some who might have the older Radios ,

If you have never had a Knob like this it does make a difference They are cheap enough I will order 2 and one with the crank on it for My Old Heathkit tuner.

The Video in case you want to watch it http://tinyurl.com/7yf4jhh <http://tinyurl.com/7yf4jhh>

And the Knob info
http://www.fingerdimple.com/main/page_fingerdimple.html
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73 De Don KA9QJG

1123. From Norm/Kb9ygd to group 12-6-11/20:29 utc/zulu...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-06 20:30:01 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1123 Message: 1123

This is my ham radio nation dracula`s revenge award which i earned by contacting 10 romanian amateur radio stations and submitting an *.adi file as proof of contacts.I have infact logged many more romanian calls both cw and ssb and digital.

Work DX..Its out there!

1124. RE: [CQCQCQ] From Norm/Kb9ygd to group 12-6-11/20:29 utc/zulu...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-06 21:25:45 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1123 Message: 1124

Congratulations Norm You can post this to The KA9QJG Group Too Does this Mean you are a Bloodsucker

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Tuesday, December 06, 2011 2:30 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
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Work DX..Its out there!

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1125. Reply to Don from Norm 12-6-11 22:49 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-06 22:52:18 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1123 Message: 1125

Ya ok Don well its late now but i will post it to the Ka9qjg repeater
group tommorrow.Ah ha ha ya im a bloodsucker [:-&] and i called u on
7.215 lsb at about 2pm or something cause i wanted to see how ur new
antenna works but i will try again tommorrow.73,Norm [:))]
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1126. RE: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Don from Norm 12-6-11 22:49 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-06 23:21:00 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1123 Message: 1126

Ant works great Norm we had to move to 7.217 QSB SWR On 40 meter dipole is
1.1 at 7.3 and 1.2 at 7.2 I could adjust it but no tuner needed that is
fine with Me

73 All KA9QJG

PS And for the Group Let Me explain what happened , I bought a Used 1.1
Current Balum at a Hamfest , and I did Not check to see if the Eyelets'
on the top were Tight , I attached the Wires and put it up and I noticed
it gradually got worse with SWR ,, I took it down took a dremel and took
it apart the Wind on the Wire and the Eyelet loose twisted off the Center
conductor wire inside the balum , So I rebuilt the whole thing and learned
a valuable lesson ALWAYS New or Used check the Eyelets going into the PVC

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1128. REPORTS ON NUCLEAR TEST&DETONATION

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-08 10:25:50 UTC
From: FRANCISCOB
Topic: 1128 Message: 1128

http://franciscobarcellos.wordpress.com/2011/12/06/reports-on-nuclear-testdetonation/

1129. Kb9ygd arrl 10 meter contest log

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-12 21:49:20 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1129 Message: 1129

Oh.. I was busy over the weekend and worked many stations in the arrl
10 meter ssb contest with many new stateside stations and DX stations
for my log which is posted below...Are YOU in it [:-?]

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START-OF-LOG: 2.0
CREATED-BY: Kb9ygd ARRL 10 Meter Contest Log 3.1
ARRL-SECTION: IN
CONTEST: ARRL-10
CALLSIGN: KB9YGD
CATEGORY: SINGLE-OP 10M LOW MIXED
CLAIMED-SCORE: 11200
OPERATORS: KB9YGD
CLUB: n/a
NAME: Norman P.Triantafilos
ADDRESS: 2634 Warren Street
ADDRESS: Lake Station,In.46405
ADDRESS: (e-mail) kb9ygd(at)gmail(dot)com
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/NoonTimeFourm/post?postID=ct56nlz5HJVxnHf\
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SOAPBOX: tu fb 10m test agn de yr es 73 de kb9ygd
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SON
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705
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UT
QSO: 28000 PH 2011-12-10 1845 KB9YGD 59 IN LS1D 59
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AZ
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QSO: 28000 PH 2011-12-10 1904 KB9YGD 59 IN KP2A 59
1711
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740
QSO: 28000 PH 2011-12-10 1944 KB9YGD 59 IN HI3TEJ 59
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QSO: 28000 PH 2011-12-10 1948 KB9YGD 59 IN LW6DG 59
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WA
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QSO: 28000 PH 2011-12-10 2014 KB9YGD 59 IN N7FLT 59
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CA
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``The Real Ham``

1130. OT Comedian Tim Allen Stars as Radio Amateur on New TV Show 12/12/2011

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-17 22:56:07 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1130 Message: 1130

I know this is a little off topic and early but with the Holidays coming, Which I wish Everyone and their Family the Very Best of the Holiday Season , Some may want to put this on the calendar to watch Looks like it may be interesting anything We can do to promote Ham Radio in a good way is Great Also I was told

There is an article in cq this month that talks about it.

73 De Don KA9QJG

Comedian Tim Allen Stars as Radio Amateur on New TV Show 12/12/2011

Ham Radio in Hollywood: Comedian Tim Allen Stars as Radio Amateur on New TV Show 12/12/2011

Tim Allen -- star of Home Improvement, Toy Story, The Santa Clause and Galaxy Quest, just to name a few -- stars in Last Man Standing, an ABC comedy airing at 8 PM (EST) on Tuesday nights. Allen plays Mike Baxter, KA0XTT, a married father of three and the director of marketing at an outdoor sporting goods store in Colorado whose life is dominated by women. While Amateur Radio has not been prominently featured in the first episodes, according to John Amodeo, NN6JA -- the producer of Last Man Standing -- it is a part of the show and an important part of Mike's character.

The episode that will establish Mike as a radio amateur is currently scheduled to air in mid-January.

"Tim's character Mike is involved in creating the sales strategy for the store, including their catalog and Internet identity," Amodeo told the ARRL. "The store is like Bass Pro Shops or Cabelas. There is a strong self-sufficiency overtone to Mike's approach to life. Ham radio fits in the story as a means of emergency communication. It's not directly featured in the foreground story, but at the moment, it's a background element on the home set. Once I allow something to be put on the set, there's a chance the writers will feature it. Now that we have actually established Mike Baxter as KA0XTT, we can do more things featuring Amateur Radio."

To make Mike a ham, Amodeo needed Mike to have a call sign. So he contacted ARRL Media and Public Relations Manager Allen Pitts, W1AGP, to help him out. "In film and TV, we create fictitious telephone numbers, addresses and brands," Amodeo explained. "We do this mostly to avoid being sued by real brands and to avoid complications with advertisers. As a producer and a ham, I was torn between wanting the show to be

accurate and needing to keep my studios out of trouble. An accurate and positive portrayal of ham radio on TV would be a good thing." Many TV shows and movies use telephone numbers with a 555 exchange (such as 555-1212), as that exchange is not valid.

Together with Pitts, and with input from Tim Allen, Amodeo created a call sign for Mike Baxter: KA0XTT. Since the show is set in Colorado, they wanted Mike to have a call sign with a 0 in it. "We wanted a call sign that sounded real, but was not valid," Amodeo said. "The call sign is a 2×3 format with an X suffix. A call sign in this format is an experimental call sign and is not assignable to a radio amateur except in special circumstances. We especially liked the suffix, as it is a play on Tim's character from his former show, Home Improvement: `ex-Tim Taylor.'"

Amodeo told the ARRL that both his studio (Fox) and ABC were "delighted to have a useable call sign. In the past, TV shows just made up some crazy call or used someone else's without permission. And because we've had so much talk about Amateur Radio here on the show, a few of my production assistants took their Technician exam." Amodeo applied to be an ARRL Volunteer Examiner so he could help administer the exams. On October 6, Amodeo and two other ARRL VEs administered the Technician exam to seven prospective hams. All seven passed, with two making perfect scores.

Since Mike Baxter is a ham, he needed a shack. So Amodeo and the set designers installed an Amateur Radio station in the corner of Mike's set office. Allen, as Baxter, uses an ICOM IC-9100 HF/6 meter/2 meter transceiver and an IC-92AD handheld transceiver, both provided to the show courtesy of ICOM America. Amodeo told the ARRL that he has plans to add vintage equipment to the shack in the future. "The radio equipment was originally intended to be used as props and set dressing items," Amodeo told the ARRL. "But since eight of the show's staff members are radio amateurs, it didn't take long before we made the radio equipment `practical,' which is to say, actually capable of making radio calls live from the stage when we're not shooting." He said that radios will always be on and lit whenever they are shooting scenes in the office.

Pitts and ARRL News Editor S. Khrystyne Keane, K1SFA, have been working with Amodeo to make sure that Amateur Radio is correctly portrayed in the show. Keane also provided ARRL and Amateur Radio-related materials that are used on the set, such as issues of QST, NCJ and QEX, as well as a call sign map, a 2012 ARRL Handbook, a 2012 ARRL calendar and various ARRL stickers (look for one on the HF rig). "We also sent fake versions of DXCC, Worked All States and Worked All Continents certificates, as well as a Morse Code Proficiency Certificate," Keane explained. "Each certificate bears the name Mike Baxter and has KA0XTT as the call sign. All the certificates have issue dates of December 25, playing upon Tim Allen's role in The Santa Clause movie series."

Amodeo told the ARRL that he also installed a Comet CHV-5X HF dipole and GP-1 antenna for 2 meters and 70 cm (courtesy of NCG/Comet) "up high, about 50 feet, inside the sound stage. The ultimate goal is to have the hams on our staff make contacts from our stage during down times."

Last Man Standingalso stars Nancy Travis (Three Men and a Baby) as Mike's wife and Hector Elizondo Pretty Woman, The Princess Diaries, Monk) as Mike's boss. Amodeo also produced the critically acclaimed Sports Night and Arrested Development.

1131. Re: [CQCQCQ] OT Comedian Tim Allen Stars as Radio Amateur on New TV Show 12/12/2011

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-18 04:32:38 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1130 Message: 1131

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Good press,... yes... popularizing it among the masses... disaster.

That is my take.... you be the Judge.

========== JHR ==========

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1132. RE: [CQCQCQ] OT Comedian Tim Allen Stars as Radio Amateur on New TV Show 12/12/2011

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-18 04:53:35 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1130 Message: 1132

YES , Very good Point the CB Craze Smokey and the Bandit really Killed what few good CB radio ops that were on the Air

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, December 17, 2011 10:33 PM
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Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] OT Comedian Tim Allen Stars as Radio Amateur on New TV Show 12/12/2011

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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-18 13:36:02 UTC
From: FRANCISCOB
Topic: 1128 Message: 1133

http://franciscobarcellos.wordpress.com/2011/12/02/ernest-o-lawrence-radiation-laboratory-2/

1134. New Crew to ISS

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-19 20:10:58 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1134 Message: 1134

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

MEDIA ADVISORY: M11-251

STATION CREW SET TO LAUNCH TO A NEW HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS

HOUSTON -- Just in time for the holidays, the residents of the International Space Station will welcome three new crew members.

NASA Flight Engineer Don Pettit, Russian Soyuz Commander Oleg Kononenko and European Space Agency Flight Engineer Andre Kuipers of the Netherlands are set to launch in their Soyuz TMA-03M spacecraft from the Baikonur Cosmodrome in Kazakhstan at 7:16 a.m. CST on Wednesday, Dec. 21 (7:16 p.m. local time).

NASA Television will air video of prelaunch activities at 5:45 a.m.

and provide live coverage of the launch beginning at 6:30 a.m.

On Friday, Dec. 23, the trio will dock to the Rassvet module of the station at 9:22 a.m. The new crew will join station Commander Dan Burbank of NASA and Russian Flight Engineers Anton Shkaplerov and Anatoly Ivanishin, who have been aboard the orbital laboratory since mid-November. NASA TV will provide live coverage beginning at 8:45 a.m. Hatch opening and the holiday welcoming ceremony will occur about three hours later.

Burbank has discussed what it will be like to spend the holidays in his home away from home, 240 miles above the Earth. Video is available online at:

http://go.usa.gov/NjD <http://go.usa.gov/NjD>

Space station sighting opportunities are available across the United States this week, mostly in the northern third of North America, including Alaska. To find sighting details by city, visit:

http://go.usa.gov/81R <http://go.usa.gov/81R>

NASA TV's scheduled coverage for launch includes (all times Central):

Wednesday, Dec. 21

5:45 a.m. -- Video file feed of the crew prelaunch launch day activities in Baikonur 6:30 a.m. -- Launch coverage (launch at 7:16 a.m.), including launch replays 9:30 a.m. -- Video file of prelaunch and launch video b-roll and postlaunch interviews Friday, Dec. 23

8:45 a.m. -- Docking coverage (docking at 9:22 a.m.) followed by the post-docking news conference from Mission Control in Korolev, Russia

11:45 a.m. -- Hatch opening and welcoming ceremony (hatch opening scheduled at 12:20 p.m.)

2 p.m. -- Video file of docking, hatch opening and welcoming ceremony

For NASA TV streaming video, downlink and scheduling information,

visit:

http://www.nasa.gov/ntv <http://www.nasa.gov/ntv>

For International Space Station information, visit:

http://www.nasa.gov/station <http://www.nasa.gov/station>

1135. April 2011 Tornado Outbreak - NWS Synopsis

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-22 06:55:47 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1135 Message: 1135

Just a little info I thought I would also share

Happy Holidays all

73 De Don KA9QJG

April 2011 Tornado Outbreak - NWS Synopsis

http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/assessments/pdfs/historic_tornadoes.pdf
<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/assessments/pdfs/historic_tornadoes.pdf>

1136. Re: [CQCQCQ] April 2011 Tornado Outbreak - NWS Synopsis

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-22 11:20:00 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1135 Message: 1136

Interesting, Don.

I ended up reading more of that than I at first figured on.

---------- JHR

On 12/22/2011 1:55 AM, ka9qjg1 wrote:
>
> April 2011 Tornado Outbreak - NWS Synopsis
>

1137. This May.. Interest You...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-22 19:41:10 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1137 Message: 1137

The links below are where you can search the KB9YGD log from qsl.net where if you are in it it will show the band/mode of the qso and there is also a table that shows a band,mode and number of qso`s table.

The club log link does the same but if you have the time you can research my electronic log as well [:-?]

Kb9ygd Log Search at Clublog http://www.clublog.org/logsearch/KB9YGD <http://www.clublog.org/logsearch/KB9YGD>

Kb9ygd Log Search at Qsl.net Complete Logbook <http://dx.qsl.net/cgi-bin/logform.cgi?kb9ygd>

[plane1.gif]

1138. Happy Holidays

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-23 03:17:01 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 928 Message: 1138

Dear Santa,

I don't want much for the Holidays I just want the person reading this to be happy. My Ham

Friends are the fruit cake of life --- some nutty, some soaked in alcohol, some

Sweet some just misunderstood but mix them together and they're all friends. On the Holidays you always

hear people talking about what they want & bought. This is what I want:

I want people who are sick with no cure, to be cured. I want children with no

Families to be adopted. I want people to never have to worry about food, shelter

& heat. I want peace on earth, goodwill and love for everyone! I want all My ham friends and family around the World to have Great DX and Happy Holidays to All

Click HERE <http://ak.imgag.com/imgag/product/preview/flash/bws8Shell_fps24.swf?iho\st=http://ak.imgag.com/imgag&brandldrPath=/product/full/el/&cardNum=/pro\duct/full/ap/3166187/graphic1> for your Holiday Card

73 De Don KA9QJG

1139. Reply to Don/Group from Norm 12-23-11 18:39 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-23 18:43:57 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1139 Message: 1139

Thank you Don for taking the time to make the very nice animated movie for the group and telling us all merry christmas in such a nice way.

I like it and i put the snowballs into position and watched them decorate it.

Merry Christmas and a happy and safe new year to you my friend and everyone in the group and on the repeater.

73,Norm/Kb9ygd

1140. Msg to Group from Norm Kb9ygd 12-23-11 18:46 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-23 18:47:29 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1140 Message: 1140

As some of you may or may not know..I have a website called ``Around Lake station`` and have a full featured chat room there and now i have added audio and video as well as the text chat.

So for those of you who have a decent internet connection and a webcam and/or microphone you are all set.

I also have a nice amateur radio page on this website.

To be whisked away to the ``Lake station Chat Room`` simply click the animated *.gif logo below.

[Click Here To Go To The Lake Station Chat Room]
<http://kb9ygd.tripod.com/id18.html>

1141. Re: [CQCQCQ] Msg to Group from Norm Kb9ygd 12-23-11 18:46 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-23 23:06:41 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1140 Message: 1141

Oh.... shoot...

For a moment, I thought it said, "whiskeyed" away... and that
sounded pretty good to me ! I'll drink to that ! ;-)

Happy Holidays, Norm (a REAL ham) and the rest of yous guys...

---------- James - K8JHR ----------

On 12/23/2011 1:47 PM, Norm wrote:

> *To be whisked away to the ``Lake station Chat Room`` simply click

1142. Msg to James/K8jhr and group from Norm/Kb9ygd 12-24-11 18:01 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-24 18:07:17 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1142 Message: 1142

Ah ha ha...ah no whiskey...Yes James merry christmas and happy new year to you also and to everyone in the group from Norm in lake station indiana kb9ygd 73 [B-)]

[3003_011.jpg]
<http://myplace.frontier.com/imagelib/sitebuilder/misc/show_image.html?linkedwidth=560&linkpath=http://mysite.ncnetwork.net/res868sp/sitebuilder\content/sitebuilderpictures/3003_011.jpg&target=_self>

1144. Merry Christmas

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-24 19:42:11 UTC
From: ab9qu
Topic: 1144 Message: 1144

Merry Christmas everyone and good DX in 2012.
73
Bill AB9QU

1145. RE: [CQCQCQ] Merry Christmas

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-24 19:43:43 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1144 Message: 1145

Yes the Very Best Holiday Season to All
http://www.millan.net/funp/cards/king.html

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ab9qu
Sent: Saturday, December 24, 2011 1:42 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Merry Christmas

Merry Christmas everyone and good DX in 2012.
73
Bill AB9QU

1146. To Group from Norm Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-24 20:37:25 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1146 Message: 1146

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1147. Re: [CQCQCQ] From Norm...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-25 11:30:23 UTC
From: harry slade
Topic: 1147 Message: 1147

A Merry Christmas Norm, and all, and a Happy New Year.

Harry G6WWM....

----- Original Message -----
From: Norm
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, December 24, 2011 7:06 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] From Norm...

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1148. Re: [CQCQCQ] To Group from Norm Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-27 02:49:44 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1146 Message: 1148

Thank you for the Christmas message and picture!

We have never met in person, but I have always enjoyed your company.
You ARE a "real ham."

Happy Trails.
---------- James - K8JHR ----------

On 12/24/2011 3:37 PM, Norm wrote:
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> triantafilosxmasagif.gif image by triantafilos
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1149. Tonight is Straight Key Night Sat Dec 31, 2011 1:10 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-31 19:11:43 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1149 Message: 1149

FYI

Here You Go for Our Members Who still like CW

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS Notice STRAIGHT KEY That Means Not to Many Hoilday Spirits then get on CW It is hard Enoug for some of us to understand ,,,When you are sober Can your Speech be Slured on CW Well I guess not lol

Tonight is Straight Key Night, all the details are found here. You do NOT have to be a ARRL member to join in on the fun.

http://www.arrl.org/straight-key-night
<http://www.arrl.org/straight-key-night>

What a great way to get a good jump on WAS 2012

1150. RE: [CQCQCQ] Tonight is Straight Key Night Sat Dec 31, 2011 1:10 pm

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2011-12-31 19:28:21 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1149 Message: 1150

Forgot to Add Hope You can still Pop the Balloons at Midnight LOL

73 De Don KA9QJG

Wishing Everyone a Happy ,Healthy and Safe New Year

http://tinyurl.com/6krsx

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg1
Sent: Saturday, December 31, 2011 1:12 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Tonight is Straight Key Night Sat Dec 31, 2011 1:10 pm

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1151. On the Air Light

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-04 23:04:19 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1151 Message: 1151

Living on a Small Fixed income it is Hard to sometimes buy all the Fancy Equipmet to keep up with some of our Members ,,,You know who you are LOL

Anyway with 18 Grand and 15 Greatgrankids and other Company I get ,, Somethimgs I may not want things to go out over the Air When I am in a Nicw QSO , I could not afford to Buy a Fancy On The Air Light so I made this one for ouside My Radio room just thought I wouod share the info

73 De Don KA9QJG

1152. Re: [CQCQCQ] On the Air Light

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-05 11:02:53 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1151 Message: 1152

Hi Don -- We all do what we can with what we have.

THAT is a ham tradition....

The good news is that you are ON the AIR -and you have all
that family to be proud of.

---------- James - K8JHR ----------

On 1/4/2012 6:04 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:

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> this one for ouside My Radio room just thought I would share the info
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1153. RE: [CQCQCQ] On the Air Light

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-06 02:09:28 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1151 Message: 1153

I would just like to clarify One thing This Was meant as a JOKE I got the Pica off the Net,, I got a Few E-Mails telling Me they would Buy and send Me a On the Air Light Well ,,,Thank you for That But I did Make My own and No PLEASE Do not Buy or Send Me one But Thanks for Your generous offer , once again I posted it as a Joke

Just goes to Show What a Bunch of Nice People We have on this Group

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg1
Sent: Wednesday, January 04, 2012 5:04 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] On the Air Light

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<http://www.radiosurvivor.com/wp-content/uploads/2011/12/037.jpg>

1154. Re: [CQCQCQ] Digest Number 401

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-06 15:43:11 UTC
From: VAN CARPENTER
Topic: 1154 Message: 1154

CQ CQ CQ Looking for a QSOHa! I like the light! Do you sell those in kit form? (joke)
WB5LAI
----- Original Message -----
From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Friday, January 06, 2012 3:38 AM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Digest Number 401

CQ CQ CQ Looking for a QSO
Messages In This Digest (2 Messages)
1a. Re: On the Air Light From: Richards
1b. Re: On the Air Light From: ka9qjg
View All Topics | Create New Topic Messages
1a. Re: On the Air Light
Posted by: "Richards" jruing@... jruingggg
Thu Jan 5, 2012 3:02 am (PST)

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that family to be proud of.

---------- James - K8JHR ----------

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1b. Re: On the Air Light
Posted by: "ka9qjg" KA9QJG@WOWWAY.COM ka9qjg1
Thu Jan 5, 2012 6:09 pm (PST)

I would just like to clarify One thing This Was meant as a JOKE I got the
Pica off the Net,, I got a Few E-Mails telling Me they would Buy and send
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1155. The Dawn of Digital Communications in the Amateur Radio World

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-08 05:52:21 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1155 Message: 1155

The Dawn of Digital Communications in the Amateur Radio World
Please download and enjoy the PDF copy of the Yaesu discussion of modern Digital Communications - "A Digital Communications Guide for Amateur Radio Operators".

2012 will be a historic year that sees Yaesu lead Amateur Radio into the modern era of Digital Communications.

http://tinyurl.com/78hzgmg

73 De Don KA9QJG

1156. Re: [CQCQCQ] The Dawn of Digital Communications in the Amateur Radio World

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-08 15:02:36 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1155 Message: 1156
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Don could you please post the URL.
My security system will not let me use the tiny site
due to all the reading and writing they do.

And I really don't have time to sit her and hi "OK"
all day long.

John, W0JAB

At 11:52 PM 1/7/2012, you wrote:

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1157. RE: [CQCQCQ] The Dawn of Digital Communications in the Amateur Radio World

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-08 19:57:23 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1155 Message: 1157

John it is a long URL That is Why I convert it to the smaller one I
hope it works for you

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73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
John Becker
Sent: Sunday, January 08, 2012 9:03 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] The Dawn of Digital Communications in the Amateur
Radio World

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1158. RE: [CQCQCQ] The Dawn of Digital Communications in the Amateur Radio World

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-08 20:11:44 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1155 Message: 1158

At 01:57 PM 1/8/2012, you wrote:

>John it is a long URL That is Why I convert it to the smaller one I hope it works for you

Worked with no problem.
Sorry for asking.

1159. RE: [CQCQCQ] The Dawn of Digital Communications in the Amateur Radio World

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-08 20:29:07 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1155 Message: 1159

No Problem

Take Care and have a Healthy Happy And safe New Year

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
John Becker
Sent: Sunday, January 08, 2012 2:12 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] The Dawn of Digital Communications in the Amateur
Radio World

At 01:57 PM 1/8/2012, you wrote:

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works for you

Worked with no problem.
Sorry for asking.

1160. NAQP starts in 1 hour 18:00 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-14 17:24:33 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1160 Message: 1160

North American QSO Party, CW: 1800Z, Jan 14 to 0600Z, Jan 15 Mode:CW
Bands:160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m Classes:Single Op (QRP/Low)
Multi-Two (Low) Max operating hours:Single Op: 10 hours
Multi-Two: 12 hours Max power:LP: 100 watts
QRP: 5 watts Exchange:NA: Name + (state/province/country)
non-NA: Name Work stations:Once per band QSO Points:NA station: 1 point
per QSO
non-NA station: 1 point per QSO with an NA station Multipliers:Each US
state (including KH6/KL7) once per band
Each VE province/territory once per band
Each North American country (except W/VE) once per band Score
Calculation:Total score = total QSO points x total mults Submit logs
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4225 Farmdale Avenue
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1161. Kb9ygd NAQP CW log 1-14-12...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-15 20:53:45 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1161 Message: 1161

I made 100 qso`s on 80,40,20,15 and 10 meters and had a ball.I also uploaded my log to LOTW,Clublog and Dx Qsl.net and you can also search my logbook from within my qrz.com website...at Link: http://www.qrz.com/db/KB9YGD <http://www.qrz.com/db/KB9YGD> Are you in it [:-?]

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START-OF-LOG: 2.0
CREATED-BY: N3FJP's NAQP Contest Log 2.4
CONTEST: NAQP-CW
CALLSIGN: KB9YGD
CATEGORY: SINGLE-OP ALL LOW
CATEGORY-ASSISTED: NON-ASSISTED
CLAIMED-SCORE: 5500
OPERATORS: KB9YGD
NAME: Norman P.Triantafilos
ADDRESS: 2634 Warren Street
ADDRESS: Lake Station,In.46405
ADDRESS: (e-mail) kb9ygd@... <mailto:kb9ygd@...>
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QSO: 28000 CW 2012-01-14 1848 KB9YGD NORM IN K6AM
JOHN CA
QSO: 28000 CW 2012-01-14 1850 KB9YGD NORM IN W6YI
JIM CA
QSO: 28000 CW 2012-01-14 1855 KB9YGD NORM IN KF6T
JACK CA
QSO: 28000 CW 2012-01-14 1908 KB9YGD NORM IN N6TV
BOB CA
QSO: 28000 CW 2012-01-14 1913 KB9YGD NORM IN KI6VC
VIC CA
QSO: 28000 CW 2012-01-14 1920 KB9YGD NORM IN K6SRZ
ALAN CA
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QSO: 28000 CW 2012-01-14 1929 KB9YGD NORM IN N5KO
TREY CA
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 1942 KB9YGD NORM IN KO7AA
BILL AZ
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 1947 KB9YGD NORM IN VY2SS
ROB PEI
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 1955 KB9YGD NORM IN N7IP
BOB MT
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 2002 KB9YGD NORM IN N9RV
PAT MT
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 2008 KB9YGD NORM IN NK7U
JOE OR
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 2018 KB9YGD NORM IN K9QVB
JOHN IL
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 2031 KB9YGD NORM IN N7ZG
GUY WA
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 2037 KB9YGD NORM IN K7BG
MATT MT
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 2044 KB9YGD NORM IN N7XU
DICK OR
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 2047 KB9YGD NORM IN N6RT
DOUG CA
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 2053 KB9YGD NORM IN K7GS
GARY WA
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 2056 KB9YGD NORM IN NF5Y
BOB NM
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 2105 KB9YGD NORM IN AA5B
BRUCE NM
QSO: 21000 CW 2012-01-14 2220 KB9YGD NORM IN K7ZSD
JON OR
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2224 KB9YGD NORM IN W4BQF
TOM GA
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2232 KB9YGD NORM IN K0UK
TIM CO
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2241 KB9YGD NORM IN KK7S
ED WA
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2242 KB9YGD NORM IN K8IA
BOB AZ
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2245 KB9YGD NORM IN W0UO
JIM TX
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2248 KB9YGD NORM IN N7WA
DINK WA
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2251 KB9YGD NORM IN N7XU
DICK OR
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2258 KB9YGD NORM IN N7IP
BOB MT
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2301 KB9YGD NORM IN N4UU
JON FL
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2303 KB9YGD NORM IN K6RB
ROB CA

QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2305 KB9YGD NORM IN W4CU
TOM FL
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2309 KB9YGD NORM IN K5WA
BOB TX
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2312 KB9YGD NORM IN N7DR
DOC CO
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2315 KB9YGD NORM IN K7QQ
REX WA
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2317 KB9YGD NORM IN K7BG
MATT MT
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2319 KB9YGD NORM IN W6AEA
GEO WA
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2332 KB9YGD NORM IN N6HC
ARNE CA
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2334 KB9YGD NORM IN N6RZ
DAVE CA
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2337 KB9YGD NORM IN N7ZG
GUY WA
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2341 KB9YGD NORM IN W6NN
ANNA CA
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2347 KB9YGD NORM IN K7HP
HANK AZ
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2350 KB9YGD NORM IN VA7HU
HEWITT BC
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2353 KB9YGD NORM IN NK7U
JOE OR
QSO: 14000 CW 2012-01-14 2355 KB9YGD NORM IN K7IA
DAN NM
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-14 2359 KB9YGD NORM IN AA3B
BUD PA
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0002 KB9YGD NORM IN K5GO
STAR AR
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0004 KB9YGD NORM IN AB3CX
MICHAEL NY
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0012 KB9YGD NORM IN K4RO
KIRK TN
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0014 KB9YGD NORM IN N5RZ
GATOR TX
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0017 KB9YGD NORM IN K7SV
LAR VA
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0019 KB9YGD NORM IN N3KS
KAM MD
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0022 KB9YGD NORM IN N2NC
JOHN NJ
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0034 KB9YGD NORM IN AD4EB
JIM TN
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0037 KB9YGD NORM IN K0SR
STEVE MN
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0039 KB9YGD NORM IN W5MX
TOM KY

QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0043 KB9YGD NORM IN K4DZR
JERRY TN
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0045 KB9YGD NORM IN VA3WA
WILL ON
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0104 KB9YGD NORM IN VA1MM
AL NS
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0119 KB9YGD NORM IN W5KFT
ROB TX
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0123 KB9YGD NORM IN KU5B
BOB TX
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0126 KB9YGD NORM IN AA4NC
WILL NC
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0129 KB9YGD NORM IN W2TX
JOHN FL
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0132 KB9YGD NORM IN N7ZG
GUY WA
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0136 KB9YGD NORM IN W2EG
RICH NY
QSO: 7000 CW 2012-01-15 0138 KB9YGD NORM IN N2MM
CAROL NJ
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0143 KB9YGD NORM IN K4RO
KIRK TN
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0146 KB9YGD NORM IN N4PN
PAUL GA
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0202 KB9YGD NORM IN N3QE
TIM MD
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0207 KB9YGD NORM IN N9CO
CHARLES IL
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0223 KB9YGD NORM IN N5QQ
RON TX
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0225 KB9YGD NORM IN W3IUU
LLOYD MD
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0229 KB9YGD NORM IN W8TM
PAUL OH
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0230 KB9YGD NORM IN K7SV
LAR VA
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0240 KB9YGD NORM IN N9CK
STEVE WI
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0243 KB9YGD NORM IN N4UU
JON FL
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0245 KB9YGD NORM IN W0IZ
IZ OH
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0248 KB9YGD NORM IN N4OGW
TOR MS
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0250 KB9YGD NORM IN K0AD
AL MN
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0253 KB9YGD NORM IN W5MX
TOM KY
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0256 KB9YGD NORM IN AF8A
GARY OH

QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0258 KB9YGD NORM IN K4FXN
DAN KY
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0300 KB9YGD NORM IN KY4F
DOUG AL
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0301 KB9YGD NORM IN W2EG
RICH NY
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0304 KB9YGD NORM IN N8II
JEFF WV
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0333 KB9YGD NORM IN NA0N
PAT NC
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0337 KB9YGD NORM IN VE3EY
NICK ON
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0339 KB9YGD NORM IN W8WTS
JIM OH
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0341 KB9YGD NORM IN K3MD
JOHN PA
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0345 KB9YGD NORM IN N0NO
STEVE MN
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0346 KB9YGD NORM IN N8TK
JIM IL
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0348 KB9YGD NORM IN K5GN
DAVE TX
QSO: 3500 CW 2012-01-15 0351 KB9YGD NORM IN KJ4AOM
RAY KY
END-OF-LOG:

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1162. Mid-Winter Hamfest /St. Charles, IL --01/22/2012

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-18 22:47:42 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1162 Message: 1162

Hope Everyone is having a Great Start of the New Year ,,,Just a Reminder of the Mid-Winter Hamfest get out and Enjoy Yourself ,,, Not sure if I will be Going I have enough Junk

73 Be Safe

KA9QJG

Mid-Winter Hamfest
HAMFEST/CONVENTION

01/22/2012

Start Date: 01/22/2012
End Date: 01/22/2012
Location: Kane County Fairgrounds
525 South Randall Road
St. Charles, IL
Website: http://www.w9ccu.org <http://www.w9ccu.org/>
Sponsor: Wheaton Community Radio Amateurs
Type: ARRL Hamfest
Talk-In: 145.31 (PL 107.2) & 146.52
Public Contact: John Faber , WT9Y
1586 Scottdale Circle Wheaton, IL 60189
Phone: 630-605-8027
Email: wt9y@... <mailto:wt9y@...>

1163. ARRL January VHF Sweepstakes, 1900 UTC Saturday, 1/21 - 0359 UTC Monday, 1/23

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-19 07:23:25 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1163 Message: 1163

FYI

De Don KA9QJG

http://www.arrl.org/january-vhf-sweepstakes
<http://www.arrl.org/january-vhf-sweepstakes>

ARRL January VHF Sweepstakes, 1900 UTC Saturday, 1/21 - 0359 UTC Monday, 1/23

Full Contest Details
1. Objective: To work as many amateur stations in as many different 2 degrees x 1 degree grid squares as possible using authorized frequencies above 50 MHz. Foreign stations work W/VE amateurs only.

2. Date and Contest Period: The date will be announced annually by the ARRL but will generally be the third or fourth weekend in January. Begins 1900 UTC Saturday, ends 0359 UTC Monday (January 21-23, 2012).

3. Entry Categories:

1. 3.1. Single Operator.

1. 3.1.1. Low Power

2. 3.1.2. High Power

2. 3.2. Single Operator Portable

3. 3.3. Rover.

1. 3.3.1. Rover

2. 3.3.2. Limited Rover

3. 3.3.3. Unlimited Rover

4. 3.4. Multioperator.

5. 3.5. Limited Multioperator.

4. Exchange: Grid-square locator (see April 1994 QST, p 86).

1. 4.1. Exchange of signal report is optional.

5. Scoring:

1. 5.1. QSO points:

1. 5.1.1. Count one point for each complete 50- or 144-MHz QSO.

2. 5.1.2. Count two points for each 222- or 432-MHz QSO.

3. 5.1.3. Count four points for each 902- or 1296-MHz QSO.

4. 5.1.4. Count eight points for each 2.3 GHz (or higher) QSO.

2. 5.2. Multiplier: The total number of different grid squares worked per band. Each

3. 2 degrees x 1 degree grid square counts as one multiplier on each band it is worked.

4. 5.3. Final score: Multiply the total number of QSO points from all bands operated by the total number of multipliers for final score.

5. 5.4. Rovers only: The final score consists of the total number of QSO points from all bands times the sum of unique multipliers (grid squares) worked per band (regardless of which grid square they were made in) plus one additional multiplier for every grid square from which they successfully completed a contact.

1. 5.4.1. Rovers are listed in the contest score listings under the Division from which the most QSOs were made.

6. Reporting:

1. 6.1. Electronic submissions may be emailed to JanuaryVHF@... <mailto:JanuaryVHF@...> and hand-written paper logs or diskettes mailed to January VHF, ARRL, 225 Main St, Newington, CT06111.

2. 6.2. Entries that have been electronically generated must submit their log file in the Cabrillo file format. Paper printouts of electronic files are not acceptable substitutes.

3. 6.3. Entries must be emailed or postmarked no later than 0400 UTC Wednesday, February 22, 2012.

4. 6.4. Entries may be submitted using the web applet at www.b4h.net/cabforms <http://www.b4h.net/cabforms>

5. 6.5. Rovers who submit scores for the club competition must submit a second summary sheet indicating QSOs and score if they make any contacts from outside of the club territory. Indicate clearly on the summary sheet and in log if the log is the total entry or that portion to be counted for the club score.

7. Miscellaneous:

1. 7.1. Stations may be worked for credit only once per band from any given grid square, regardless of mode. This does not prohibit working a station from more than one grid square with the same call sign (such as a Rover).

2. 7.2. Only one signal per band (6, 2, 11/4, etc) at any given time is permitted, regardless of mode.

3. 7.3. Multi-operator stations may not include QSOs with their own operators except on frequencies higher than 2.3 GHz. Even then, a complete, different station (transmitter, receiver and antenna) must exist for each QSO made under these conditions.

8. Awards: Certificates will be awarded in the following categories:

1. 8.1. Single operator.

1. 8.1.1. Top single operator in each ARRL/RAC Section for high and low power.

2. 8.1.2. Top single operator on each band (50, 144, 222, 432, 902, 1296 and 2304-and-up categories) in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Note: Since the highest score per band will be the award winner for that band, an entrant may win a certificate with additional single-band endorsements.) For example, if KA1RWY has the highest single-operator all-band score in the CT Section and her 50- and 222-MHz scores are higher than any other CT single operator's, she will earn a certificate for being the single-operator Section leader and endorsements for 50 and 222 MHz.

2. 8.2. Top single-operator portable in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Single operator portable entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

3. 8.3. Top rover in each ARRL Division and Canada where significant effort or competition is evident. (Rover entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

4. 8.4. Top multi-operator score in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

5. 8.5. Top limited multioperator in each ARRL/RAC Section where significant effort or competition is evident. (Limited multioperator entries are not eligible for single-band awards.)

6. 8.6. Top DX stations where significant effort or competition is evident.

9. Other:

1. 9.1. See "General Rules for All ARRL Contests <http://www.arrl.org/general-rules-for-all-arrl-contests> " and "General Rules for ARRL Contests on bands above 50 MHz (VHF) <http://www.arrl.org/general-rules-for-arrl-contests-above-50-mhz> " in November 2001 QST

2. 9.2. For more information contact contests@... <mailto:contests@arrl.org> or (860) 594-0232 .

1164. Huge Solar Storm Is Pounding Earth Now!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-01-25 06:25:13 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1164 Message: 1164

FYI
<http://news.yahoo.com/photos/major-solar-storm-headed-to-earth-13273740\
33-slideshow/>

I do not know how this will affect our Ham Bands HF and VHF/UHF I do
know 40 Meters this Afternoon was Great
<http://news.yahoo.com/photos/major-solar-storm-headed-to-earth-13273740\
33-slideshow/>

73 De Don KA9QJG
<http://news.yahoo.com/photos/major-solar-storm-headed-to-earth-13273740\
33-slideshow/>

Good DX or Lack of Unknown
<http://news.yahoo.com/photos/major-solar-storm-headed-to-earth-13273740\
33-slideshow/>

<http://news.yahoo.com/photos/major-solar-storm-headed-to-earth-13273740\
33-slideshow/>

http://news.yahoo.com/space-hurricane-huge-solar-storm-pounding-earth-no\
w-174402987.html
<http://news.yahoo.com/space-hurricane-huge-solar-storm-pounding-earth-n\
ow-174402987.html>

<http://news.yahoo.com/photos/major-solar-storm-headed-to-earth-13273740\
33-slideshow/>

[This handout image provided by NASA, taken Sunday night, Jan. 22,
2012, shows a solar flare erupting on the Sun's northeastern
hemisphere. Space weather officials say the strongest solar storm in
mor]

1165. 05 MAR 2012 New FCC 5MHz Rules 00:01 local time

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-05 03:45:33 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1165 Message: 1165

FYI

Here is some Great Info on Our 60 Meter Band changes ,I did E-Mail Bonnie KQ6XA Who Wrote thisand ask for Her permission to post it And She said OK , Nice info in Her on QRZ KQ6XA

73 De Don KA9QJG

05 March 2012: New FCC 5MHz Rules start at 0001 hours local time

-an article by Bonnie Crystal KQ6XA

USA's FCC changed its rules for the Amateur Radio Service <http://www.fcc.gov/document/amateur-radio-service-5-mhz> at 5MHz. Here is a basic overview of the changes and rules in plain language, as they apply to the Amateur Radio Service in USA.

* The new rules take effect at 0001 hours Local Time in each of the USA time zones, on 05 MARCH 2012. Note: This is late at night (just after midnight) on the evening of Sunday 04 March 2012, early morning Monday 05 March 2012.
* The FCC adopted the use of the name "60 meter band", to refer to 5MHz amateur radio in the frequency range 5330.5-5406.4 kHz, but USA hams are still only allowed to transmit on 5 specific channels in the band <http://hflink.com/5mhz/#USAchannels> .
* The FCC changed the rules to allow: Phone (Upper Sideband), RTTY, Data, and CW; with specific new limitations on the use of these modes.
* Amateur radio is a "secondary user" in this band, and must not cause harmful interference to other services! Amateur Radio Service must accept interference from primary, other services, and other nations services.
* Operators transmitting data or RTTY must exercise care to limit the length of transmission so as to avoid causing harmful interference to US Government stations.
* General, Advanced, or Amateur Extra Class license only.
* The maximum allowed power level is 100 Watts PEP (ERP) effective radiated power referenced to a halfwave dipole. If another type of antenna is used, the station licensee must maintain a record of either the antenna manufacturer's data on the antenna gain or calculations of the antenna gain.
* Upper SideBand Phone, Data, or RTTY transmissions may use dial (VFO) USB suppressed carrier frequency as listed. Transmissions must not exceed the 2.8kHz bandwidth channel. RTTY modes such as PSK31 must not exceed 60Hz necessary bandwidth. Data modes must not exceed 2.8kHz bandwidth. CW bandwidth must not exceed 150Hz bandwidth and the CW frequency must be at the center of the channel.

* Section § 97.221 automatically controlled digital station,
excludes the 5MHz channels.
* For compliance purposes, please rely only upon the actual FCC rules
<http://www.fcc.gov/document/amateur-radio-service-5-mhz> . More info
about FCC rulemaking <http://hflink.com/5mhz/#FCCrulemaking>

USA 60 meter band 5MHz Channel List

Suppressed Carrier
Frequency
USB VFO Dial

Center of Channel
Frequency

Notes

Common Use
(unofficial Bandplan)

5330.5 kHz USB

5332.0

USB QSO
USB EMCOMM NETS
CW QSO

5346.5 kHz USB

5348.0

USB EMCOMM NETS
USB QSO

5357.0 kHz USB

5358.5

New Channel
05 MAR 2012

DATA EMCOMM NETS
DATA QSO

5366.5 kHz USB

5368.0

DELETED 2012

USB EMCOMM NETS

5371.5 kHz USB

5373.0

DISASTER EMCOMM NETS
DATA INTERNATIONAL EMCOMM NETS

5403.5 kHz USB

5405.0

CALLING CHANNEL
CW & USB
USB INTERNATIONAL EMCOMM NETS

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Operating Guide for USA 60 meter Band - Modes

Type or Content

Maximum Transmit
Bandwidth

Sideband

Frequency

Requirements
or Limitations

Emission Designator

Phone

2.8kHz
or less

USB
Upper Sideband Only

May set VFO dial toSuppressed Carrier Frequency:
5330.5 USB
5346.5 USB
5357.0 USB
5371.5 USB
5403.5 USB

Voice USB only.
Do not interfere with other services traffic. Use USB to monitor all
other modes and services.
Use LBT Listen- Before- Transmit.

2K80J3E
example:
Use a narrow transmit IF filter such as 2.4kHz.

<http://hflink.com/5mhz/index.html#voice>

Data

2.8kHz
or less

USB

May set VFO dial toSuppressed Carrier Frequency:
5330.5 USB
5346.5 USB
5357.0 USB
5371.5 USB
5403.5 USB

Must exercise care to limit the length of transmission so as to avoid
causing harmful interference to US Government stations.
Use LBT Listen- Before- Transmit. Data signal should be near center of
channel (approximately 1500Hz audio).

2K80J2D
example:
PACTOR3 or similar data transfer modes

RTTY

60Hz
or less

USB

May set VFO dial toSuppressed Carrier Frequency to:
5330.5 USB
5346.5 USB
5357.0 USB
5371.5 USB
5403.5 USB

Must exercise care to limit the length of transmission so as to avoid
causing harmful interference to US Government stations.
Use LBT Listen- Before- Transmit. Data signal should be near center of
channel (approximately 1500Hz audio).

60H0J2B
example:
PSK31 or similar direct printing text modes

CW

150Hz
or less

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Set CW transmit Frequency to Center of Channel Frequency:
5332.0 CW
5348.0 CW
5358.5 CW
5373.0 CW
5405.0 CW

Use LBT Listen- Before- Transmit.
Before and during CW transmissions:
Listen carefully for Upper Sideband signals on
5330.5 USB
5346.5 USB
5357.0 USB
5371.5 USB
5403.5 USB
and do not interfere with other services traffic

150HA1A
Morse CW Telegraphy

Maximum Power Limit: 100 Watts PEP at the feedpoint of a halfwave dipole antenna, or the equivalent.

Use 5MHz Operating Techniques click here
<http://hflink.com/5mhz/index.html#techniques> .
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BANDWIDTH
Operating with a 2.5kHz filter, an Upper Sideband transmitter set at 1.5kHz below the center-of-channel frequency, with a typical voice bandpass of 300Hz to 2800Hz, the signal will just barely meet the requirements of the FCC rules for the 2.8kHz channel.

[2.5kHz Filter Transmit Voice in 2.8kHz USB Channel]
<http://hflink.com/5mhz/2_8kHzChannelVoiceB.jpg>

Behind the FCC rule changes: about the FCC 5MHz Rulemaking and governmental process... A report from FCC on the rule changes sent to the US Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation was assigned Executive Communication number EC-4237 in December 2011, and a communication from the Chief of the Policy and Rules Division, Office of Engineering and Technology, Federal Communications Commission
<http://www.fcc.gov/encyclopedia/office-engineering-and-technology-oet-o\
rganization-chart> , transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Parts 2 and 97 of the Commission's Rules to Facilitate Use by the Amateur Radio Service of the Allocation at 5 MHz" (FCC 11-171) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on December 5, 2011; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation
<http://commerce.senate.gov/public/index.cfm?p=CommunicationsTechnologya\
ndtheInternet> . The summary of report and order was published in the published in the Federal Register

<https://www.federalregister.gov/articles/2012/02/03/2012-2477/amateur-r\
adio-use-of-the-allocation-at-5-mhz> on 03 February 2012. The Table of
Frequency Allocations for the 5.06-5.45 MHz segment was amended:
[ZOOM: FCC Table of Frequency Allocations 5MHz as Amended]
<http://hflink.com/5mhz/FCC_Table_of_Frequency_Allocations_5MHz_amended_\
744_05MAR2012.jpg>

1166. Test Post

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-05 23:48:07 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1166 Message: 1166

This is a Test to see if The Link will work to the CW Guys on the Jay Leno Show

http://www.kkn.net/~n6tv/Text_vs_Morse_Leno_2005_05_13.wmv
<http://www.kkn.net/~n6tv/Text_vs_Morse_Leno_2005_05_13.wmv>

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1167. Russian Psk-31,63,125 contest...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-15 17:58:55 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1167 Message: 1167

Hello Dear PSK Contesters! This contest can help you improve your bpsk-31,bpsk-63 and bpsk-125 qso count,We invite all fans of digital modes to take part in Russian WW PSK Contest from21.00 UTC on Friday 17th February till 21:00 UTC on Saturday 18th February, 2012. Types of modulation: BPSK31, 63, 125. The output power should not exceed 10 watts on 160 meters and 100 watts on other bands. Only one transmitted signal is permitted at any time. Bands: 160 m, 80 m, 40 m, 20 m, 15 m, 10 m. Categories: SOAB, SOSB, MOAB. The Russian participants should send RST(Q) plus 2-letter abbreviation of Russian Area (oblast) Code (example for Moscow region ☐ 599 MA). Foreign participants should send RST(Q) plus QSO number, starting 001 (example - 599 001). The numeration on bands is current. General call - "CQ RUTEST". The repeated contacts are permitted on different bands and different modes providing that a contact will be made not earlier than in 3 minutes. The contest awards will receive all beginners of PSK-contesting. The plaque will be raffled for the thousandth participant of the contest... We invite all radio amateurs all over the world to take part in Russian WW PSK - 2012 and represent both themselves and their countries in air adequately. Read more about the rules of the contest at:http://www.epc-ru.ru/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=562&It\emid=192 <http://www.epc-ru.ru/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=562&Item\id=192> Adjustment of MixW for Russian WW PSK Contest: http://www.epc-ru.ru/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=568&Itemi\d=192 <http://www.epc-ru.ru/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=568&Item\id=192> We wish you great success and enjoyable participation in our contest! 73! RUSSIAN WW PSK Contest Committee

1172. Ham not Spam Sorry

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-21 19:36:54 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1172 Message: 1172

I Have NO Idea how that SPAM Got in about PG Because I sure did NOT Aprove it ,,,, I will Try and watch thngs more closely If it is Brought to My ateention , and in this case Somehow I got Bypassed Hackers and Spammers are getting Smarter It could of Been a lot worse a Picture of Me or Our Member Norm

Sorry

73 De Don KA9QJG

1173. Re: [CQCQCQ] Ham not Spam Sorry

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-21 20:46:40 UTC
From: mark zelesky
Topic: 1172 Message: 1173

was that the email about the pregnancy test i saw this morning???? I dont need one.....if i could get pregnant, i would be a very rich man!

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From: ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, February 21, 2012 1:36 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Ham not Spam Sorry

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Yahoo! Groups Links

http://docs.yahoo.com/info/terms/

1174. RE: [CQCQCQ] Ham not Spam Sorry

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-21 21:06:48 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1172 Message: 1174

YES Mark , that was it I did not Catch it Because a Members E-Mail was Hijacked and it went straight out,,, A Fellow Member John let Me know I will check and let that Person Know

PS

I Know You Very Well Mark for over 30 Yes So PLEASE If You do get PG Do not name it after Me but I will help you share your Wealth Ha Ha

73 De DON ka9qjg

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of mark zelesky
Sent: Tuesday, February 21, 2012 2:47 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Ham not Spam Sorry

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1175. Re: [CQCQCQ] Ham not Spam Sorry

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-21 21:17:10 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 1172 Message: 1175

uh ro, which email was hijacked? I hope it wasn't mine.

From: ka9qjg <KA9QJG@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, February 21, 2012 4:06 PM
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] Ham not Spam Sorry

YES Mark , that was it I did not Catch it Because a Members E-Mail was Hijacked and it went straight out,,, A Fellow Member John let Me know I will check and let that Person Know

PS

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1176. 60 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-21 21:24:55 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1172 Message: 1176

Just in case you have not tried 60 meters.

Just about sunset it seems to be at it's hottest.

Seems that so far not to many in the USA have
been using it.

Heard a G station about the time XYL started calling me
(was more of a "yell" really)

John, W0JAB
Louisiana, Missouri

1177. RE: [CQCQCQ] 60 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-21 21:43:33 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1172 Message: 1177

Hello John , thanks for posting about 60 Meters it is about the Only Place in Ham Radio We will hear the Word Channels I know We have some Pending changes in the 60 Meter Band Here is a Link

http://hflink.com/5mhz/

I posted to My other Group Lots of Great info on 60 Meters and as always We must give Credit to all who do the hard work and shares it

PS I have not worked 60 But When I do listen It seems like the Hams conduct themselves a little Better then I hear on 75/80 Meters , Maybe because it is Shared wilt Others and they want to set a good example,, Heck that should be done By us all Everywhere Never know who is listening and May wish to get into this Wonderful Communications Hobby ,

I have got Letters/QSL from Non Ham listeners and I always Send them back a QSL Card and Encourage them to Get their Lic ,,,,Heck We have Lic Hams I have sent a $1.00 and a SASE To get a QSL needed for WAS Etc. and Still did not get one from them

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of John Becker
Sent: Tuesday, February 21, 2012 3:25 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] 60 meters

Just in case you have not tried 60 meters.

Just about sunset it seems to be at it's hottest.

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been using it.

Heard a G station about the time XYL started calling me
(was more of a "yell" really)

John, W0JAB
Louisiana, Missouri

1178. RE: [CQCQCQ] Ham not Spam Sorry

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-21 21:58:15 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1172 Message: 1178

I know some are wondering if it was their E-Mail ,,,,So I checked and it was RAHMANK And I did Not post the Rest of That but That will let Everyone except Him it was not Them,,,, I did send the Below Message

73 De Don KA9QJG

Hello From Don KA9QJG

Someone has Hijacked Your E-Mail and sending SPAM,,, Thought I would Make you aware of this And I will Moderated and STOP Messages until Fixed

Thanks,,,, We did lose a couple of Members because of this And I will give you the benefit of Doubt that it was not intentional

73 De Don KA9QJG

1179. Indiana QSO Party

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-23 18:48:49 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1179 Message: 1179

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Hello,

It is getting closer to the first Saturday in May, when the Indiana QSO Party will be on the air. This year that is May 5th. The Indiana QSO Party is a short 12 hour contest.

I am writing to ask that you go to the Hoosier DX and Contest Club website and download the Publicity Package and show it at your club or group meeting.

It is a PowerPoint presentation made by Mel, KJ9C. You can adapt it to fit your group in order to make it more personal for your members.

We would like to see all clubs in Indiana, as well as all counties, be on the air this year to celebrate ham radio in Indiana.

Besides the awards for the most points achieved, don t forget about the Work All Indiana Award. You can find out more about this award on the website as well.

http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/publicity.html
<http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/publicity.html>

Thanks, and I look forward to making contact with you on May 5th during the Indiana QSO Party.

73

John Poindexter, W3ML

Indiana Section Manager

ARRL, the national association for Amateur Radio

ARRL Indiana Section

Section Manager: John M Poindexter, W3ML w3ml@...
<mailto:w3ml@...>

1180. Re: [CQCQCQ] 60 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-25 14:45:54 UTC
From: worksntv@aol.com
Topic: 1172 Message: 1180

I have an Icom 706 MK2G---How do I 'unlock" it to run 60?

73'

Bob Reynolds
WB3DYE

In a message dated 2/21/2012 4:26:10 P.M. Eastern Standard Time,
w0jab@... writes:

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Just about sunset it seems to be at it's hottest.

Seems that so far not to many in the USA have
been using it.

Heard a G station about the time XYL started calling me
(was more of a "yell" really)

John, W0JAB
Louisiana, Missouri

Yahoo! Groups Links

1181. Re: [CQCQCQ] 60 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-25 15:07:39 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1172 Message: 1181
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I got a lot of hits on google from on 60 meter mod for
icom 706.

I did not look at any since I only have Yaesu.

Remember tuning

5332 kHz - 5330.5 kHz Amateur Tuning Frequency
5348 kHz - 5346.5 kHz Amateur Tuning Frequency
5368 kHz - 5366.5 kHz Amateur Tuning Frequency
5373 kHz - 5371.5 kHz Amateur Tuning Frequency
5405 kHz (US & UK) 5403.5 kHz Amateur Tuning Frequency

John, W0JAB

At 08:45 AM 2/25/2012, you wrote:

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>>Yahoo! Groups Links
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1182. This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-29 19:54:02 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 523 Message: 1182

[Body unavailable in the source archive]

1183. This may interest you...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-29 19:56:44 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 523 Message: 1183

ATTA Boy NORM!!!!
73
Bill ab9qu

1184. Reply to Bill/Group Ab9qu from Norm Kb9ygd 2-29-12 20:01 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-29 20:05:48 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 523 Message: 1184

Norm Say`s:

Thanks Bill well i hav more the 12m and 17 m but i didnt want to put to many at one time as there are still people who use a dialup internet connection

Keep ur ear on 17 meters bill as there is a lot of dx on ssb/cw...

73

Norm/Kb9ygd [:))]

Bill Said:

ATTA Boy NORM!!!!
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Bill ab9qu

1185. This may interest you also...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-29 20:10:14 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1185 Message: 1185

This is the KB9YGD wac (worked all continents) award certificate from HRN for working all continents on 12 meters/24 mhz

This is the KB9YGD wac (worked all continents) award certificate from HRN for working all continents on 17 meters/18 mhz

1186. Re: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Bill/Group Ab9qu from Norm Kb9ygd 2-29-12 20:01 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-29 20:20:32 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 523 Message: 1186

At 02:05 PM 2/29/2012, you wrote in part

>Thanks Bill well i hav more the 12m and 17 m but i didnt want to put to many at one time as there are still people who use a dialup internet connection

It's not what you post but how you post it.

If a person uses "common sense" and deletes what we have all seen
a number of time there will be no harm.

It's when you get down to the end of a post and the lines began
with >>>>>>>>> you can but the poster either has no delete key
or no clue how to use it.

BUT thanks for remembering that some do indeed have a meter running.

John, W0JAB

1187. Re: Reply to Bill/Group Ab9qu from Norm Kb9ygd 2-29-12 20:01 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-29 20:22:49 UTC
From: ab9qu
Topic: 523 Message: 1187

Hi Norm,
I just loaded a few of mine to my album here on this group page.
73 bill

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com, "Norm" <mr_norm_1999@...> wrote:
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1188. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: Reply to Bill/Group Ab9qu from Norm Kb9ygd 2-29-12 20:01 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-29 20:29:50 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 523 Message: 1188

Congratulation Norm Some of us can dream But You Got it Done Keep up the Great Work We never get to old to Enjoy this Wonderful Hobby

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ab9qu
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 2:23 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Re: Reply to Bill/Group Ab9qu from Norm Kb9ygd 2-29-12 20:01 utc/zulu

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1189. Re: Reply to Bill/Group Ab9qu from Norm Kb9ygd 2-29-12 20:01 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-29 20:34:52 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 523 Message: 1189

Ah very good Bill and i will go look at them as soon as i send this
reply msg to you.

I also posted all the HRN awards and my phase shifter award to my
facebook page.

Wow i was looking at your awards and you have more than me i will to get
movin` a tad faster hi hi [:-?]

73

Norm/Kb9ygd [O:)]

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1190. RE: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you also...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-02-29 23:48:57 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1185 Message: 1190

Rock on! Congrats. I was just wondering this may be a really dumb question but what does HRN stand for?

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"

James H. Cameron Jr.

KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Wednesday, February 29, 2012 2:10 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] This may interest you also...

This is the KB9YGD wac (worked all continents) award certificate from HRN for working all continents on 12 meters/24 mhz

<https://lh3.googleusercontent.com/-WKxiJzxfU68/T05kCta-wUI/AAAAAAAAL30/WNszxU9MMVU/s576/KB9YGD-WORKEDALLCONTINENTS12Meters.jpg>

This is the KB9YGD wac (worked all continents) award certificate from HRN for working all continents on 17 meters/18 mhz

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1191. Recent Weather Observations

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-01 05:32:38 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 523 Message: 1191

I got this From another Group I Moderate, So since I approved the Post, and This could also happen in the Future in our Area I would Post it here too. My Daughter and Grandkids live in Branson Mo. She slept through this ,,,,But 2 Blocks away Some homes were leveled She works for the Power Co over 5000 Customers without service .

What I head on the News makes Since So think about it Most of us are Sound asleep at 3 in the Morning But We have Ham Repeaters ,TV ,And Radio stations rebroadcasting the NWS Warnings We will never Hear if Sleeping,,,, So My Advice to all and I will be Sending My daughter one BUY a NWS Weather Alert Receiver ,,, almost every store as low as $20.00 ,,At least that will WAKE You7 up and give some kind of Warning ,,,,,The only bad thing is Sometimes Even that is not Fast enough also call your Family and Friends

Please Be Safe Think Ahead

I do hope all our Members of this Group are all OK

73 De Don KA9QJG

Details on Tuesday night's tornado and severe weather event

A line of severe thunderstorms produced damage across parts of southeast Missouri, southern Illinois, southwest Indiana, and western Kentucky during the overnight hours. Several reports of tornadoes were received by the National Weather Service in Paducah. At least 7 fatalities and dozens of injuries occurred with the overnight storms, with the southern Illinois community of Harrisburg the hardest hit area.

Following are details from damage assessment surveys conducted by the National Weather Service in Paducah on Wednesday. Additional surveys will be conducted on Thursday as well:

EF-4 Tornado - Saline County, IL:

...HARRISBURG TORNADO...PRELIMINARY INFORMATION ONLY...ASSESSMENT ONGOING...

THE FOLLOWING IS AN UPDATE FROM A NWS DAMAGE ASSESSMENT ONGOING FOR THE FEBRUARY 29 HARRISBURG ILLINOIS TORNADO.

* EVENT DATE - WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 29 2012

* EVENT TIME - 456 AM CST (HARRISBURG)
451 AM CST (CARRIER MILLS)

* EVENT TYPE - EF4 TORNADO

* FATALITIES - 6 CONFIRMED

* INJURIES - APPROXIMATELY 100

* PEAK WIND - ESTIMATED 180 MPH (ADJUSTED UPWARD FROM 170 MPH
EARLIER ESTIMATE. BASED ON ADDITIONAL DAMAGE)

* AVERAGE PATH WIDTH - 250 YARDS

* TRACK LENGTH - 7 PLUS MILES FROM 1 MILE NORTH OF CARRIER MILLS TO
2 MILES EAST OF HARRISBURG ALONG HIGHWAY 13.

*** NOTE THE DAMAGE TRACK HAS ONLY BEEN SURVEYED TO 2 MILES EAST
OF HARRISBURG AND LIKELY EXTENDS FURTHER ENE. AN NWS SURVEY TEAM
WILL RESUME SURVEYING THIS AREA THURSDAY***

* DISCUSSION/DAMAGE - OVER 200 HOMES AND ABOUT 25 BUSINESSES WERE
DESTROYED OR HEAVILY DAMAGED...INCLUDING A STRIP MALL ON THE
EAST SIDE OF HWY 45. AT LEAST 10 HOMES OR OTHER BUILDINGS WERE
LEVELED...WITH SEVERAL HOME STRUCTURES DISPLACED FROM THEIR
FOUNDATIONS. HUNDREDS OF LARGE TREES SNAPPED OR UPROOTED ALONG
WITH MANY POWER LINES DOWN.
Tornado track across Harrisburg, Illinois (Image courtesy of Google Earth)

(Above image courtesy of Google Earth)

EF-1 Tornado - Warrich County, IN:

THE FOLLOWING IS THE PRELIMINARY DAMAGE ASSESSMENT FOR
NEWBURGH.

* EVENT TYPE.....EF1 TORNADO

* EVENT DATE.....TUESDAY FEBRUARY 28 2012

* EVENT TIME.....6:03AM-6:06AM

* EVENT LOCATION.....OFF OF THE OHIO RIVER INTO NEWBURGH AT THE
INTERSECTION OF STATE AND WATER AND ENDING IN OAK MOT CT.

* PEAK WIND.....90 MPH

* AVG. PATH WIDTH....100 YARDS

* PATH LENGTH.....2 MILES

* INJURIES.....NONE

* FATALITIES.....NONE

* DAMAGE DETAIL.....1 GARAGE LEVELED, DOZENS OF TREES UPROOTED,
15-20 HOMES WITH PARTIAL ROOF DAMAGE, 2 HOMES WITH ROOFS
COMPLETELY REMOVED, 2 BUSINESSES WITH PARTIAL ROOF DAMAGE, 1
BUSINESS WITH BRICK DAMAGE ON THE SECOND FLOOR, APPROX 12 PHONE
POLES BLOWN OVER.

EF-1 Tornado - Henderson County, KY:

THE FOLLOWING IS THE PRELIMINARY DAMAGE ASSESSMENT FOR
HENDERSON.

* EVENT TYPE.....EF1 TORNADO

* EVENT DATE.....TUESDAY FEBRUARY 28 2012

* EVENT TIME.....APPROXIMATELY 6 AM

* EVENT LOCATION.....HENDERSON KENTUCKY ON THE NORTH BANK OF THE
OHIO RIVER ALONG NUGENT ROAD

* PEAK WIND.....90 MPH

* AVG. PATH WIDTH....100 YARDS

* PATH LENGTH.....1 MILE

* INJURIES.....NONE

* FATALITIES.....NONE

* DAMAGE DETAIL.....3 RIVER CABINS PARTIALLY DESTROYED AND 1
CABIN COMPLETELY DESTROYED. CABINS WERE POORLY CONSTRUCTED. 6
TO 7 PHONE POLES BLOWN OVER.

EF-2 Tornado - Ballard & McCracken County, KY / Pulaski & Massac County,
IL:
THE FOLLOWING IS THE PRELIMINARY DAMAGE ASSESSMENT FOR
PULASKI-BALLARD-MCCRACKEN-MASSAC TORNADO.

* EVENT TYPE.....EF2 TORNADO

* EVENT DATE.....WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 29TH 2012

* EVENT TIME.....5:00 AM CST (TIME APPROXIMATE)

* EVENT LOCATION.....THE TORNADO TOUCHED DOWN JUST SOUTHWEST OF
MOUNDS (PULASKI COUNTY ILLINOIS)...AND MOVED EAST NORTHEAST
THROUGH MOUNDS AND CROSSED OVER INTERSTATE 57 NEAR EXIT 8. THE
TORNADO CROSSED THE OHIO RIVER NEAR THE TOWN OF AMERICA. THE
TORNADO THEN MOVED ACROSS NORTHERN BALLARD AND MCCRACKEN
COUNTIES IN KENTUCKY...IMPACTING TOWNS SUCH AS OSCAR...BANDANA
AND RAGLAND. THE TORNADO CROSSED THE OHIO RIVER AGAIN AND
LIFTED ABOUT 2 MILES NORTHWEST OF METROPOLIS JUST EAST OF THE
METROPOLIS MUNICIPAL AIRPORT.

* PEAK WIND.....120 MPH

* AVG. PATH WIDTH....125 YARDS

* PATH LENGTH.....26.5 MILES

* INJURIES.....4 INJURIES (1 MAJOR, 3 MINOR)

* FATALITIES.....NONE

* DAMAGE DETAIL.....MANY HUNDREDS OF TREES EITHER UPROOTED OR SNAPPED. FOUR MOBILE HOMES DESTROYED. NUMEROUS BARNS AND SHEDS EITHER DESTROYED OR DAMAGED IN SOME WAY WITH DEBRIS CARRIED SEVERAL HUNDREDS YARDS AND LOFTED IN TREES. NUMEROUS HOMES WITH MINOR TO MODERATE ROOF DAMAGE. MANY HOMES HAD SIDING/GUTTER DAMAGE. SEVERAL POWER POLES SNAPPED. TWO SEMI TRAILERS FLIPPED ON THEIR SIDE. A FEW UNMANNED STATIONARY VEHICLES WERE MOVED 50-75 YDS FROM THEIR ORIGINAL POSITION. SEVERAL CAR PORTS COLLAPSED. SEVERAL CHICKEN HOUSES EITHER DAMAGED OR DESTROYED.

EF-2 Tornado - Muhlenberg County, KY:

THE FOLLOWING IS THE FINAL DAMAGE ASSESSMENT FOR THE GREENVILLE TO CLEATON TORNADO.

* EVENT TYPE.....EF2 TORNADO

* EVENT DATE.....WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 29 2012

* EVENT TIME.....845 AM CST TO APPROXIMATELY 850 AM CST

* EVENT LOCATION.....SOUTHEASTERN GREENVILLE NEAR PRITCHETT DRIVE TO HIGHWAY 431 AT CLEATON

* PEAK WIND.....120 MPH

* AVG. PATH WIDTH....180 YARDS

* PATH LENGTH.....5.4 MILES

* INJURIES.....1 MALE

* FATALITIES..... NONE

* DAMAGE DETAIL.....MOBILE HOME COMPLETELY DESTROYED...IT ROLLED NUMEROUS TIMES WITH AN OCCUPANT IN IT. MINOR SIDING DAMAGE TO HOMES. BARN LOST ITS ROOF. NUMEROUS LARGE PINE AND CEDAR TREE TRUNKS SNAPPED OFF. MUHLENBERG SOUTH MIDDLE SCHOOL LOST A SIGNIFICANT SECTION OF ITS ROOF. METAL BLEACHERS TOSSED.

EF-1 Tornado - Muhlenberg County, KY:

THE FOLLOWING IS THE FINAL DAMAGE ASSESSMENT FOR A VERY BRIEF MUHLENBERG COUNTY TORNADO.

* EVENT TYPE.....EF1 TORNADO

* EVENT DATE.....WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 29 2012

* EVENT TIME.....845 AM CST

* EVENT LOCATION.....SOUTHWESTERN GREENVILLE KY NEAR INTERSECTION OF H.C. MATHIS AND REYNOLDS DRIVES.

* PEAK WIND.....95 MPH

* AVG. PATH WIDTH....100 FEET

* PATH LENGTH.....700 FEET

* INJURIES.....NONE

* FATALITIES.....NONE

* DAMAGE DETAIL.....APARTMENT BUILDING LOST SOME OF ITS ROOF DECKING AND OVERHANG. MINOR DAMAGE TO SIDING OF A FEW HOUSES. LARGE BRANCHES SNAPPED OFF TREES. SOME CONVERGENT PATTERNS APPARENT IN DEBRIS. BARN LOST PART OF ROOF.

Below is a preliminary listing of storm reports.

PRELIMINARY LOCAL STORM REPORT...SUMMARY
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE PADUCAH KY
1210 PM CST WED FEB 29 2012

..TIME... ...EVENT... ...CITY LOCATION... ...LAT.LON...
..DATE... ....MAG.... ..COUNTY LOCATION..ST.. ...SOURCE....
..REMARKS..

1113 PM HAIL WADESVILLE 38.10N 87.79W
02/28/2012 E1.00 INCH POSEY IN TRAINED SPOTTER

0323 AM HAIL VAN BUREN 37.01N 91.01W
02/29/2012 E0.75 INCH CARTER MO LAW ENFORCEMENT

0325 AM TORNADO PATTON 37.44N 90.04W
02/29/2012 BOLLINGER MO EMERGENCY MNGR

6-8 HOMES HAVE ROOF DAMAGE ALONG HIGHWAY 72. 10 LARGER BARNS DESTROYED OVER A 5 MILE AREA. TREE DAMAGE IS WIDESPREAD. NUMEROUS POWER POLES DOWN.

0330 AM TSTM WND DMG 5 E ELLSINORE 36.93N 90.66W
02/29/2012 WAYNE MO TRAINED SPOTTER

ANTENNA RIPPED OFF OF HOME. LATE REPORT.

0333 AM HAIL ELLSINORE 36.93N 90.75W
02/29/2012 M1.50 INCH CARTER MO TRAINED SPOTTER

PING PONG SIZE HAIL ALONG HIGHWAY V IN TOWN. WIND GUST 30 TO 40 MPH ASSOCIATED WITH THE STORM.

0341 AM HAIL SEDGEWICKVILLE 37.52N 89.91W
02/29/2012 M2.50 INCH BOLLINGER MO LAW ENFORCEMENT

POWER OUTAGES REPORTED AS WELL

0349 AM TSTM WND DMG 2 SE SEDGEWICKVILLE 37.49N 89.88W
02/29/2012 BOLLINGER MO EMERGENCY MNGR

BARN BLOWN AWAY ALONG HIGHWAY 72 NEAR THE BOLLINGER AND
CAPE GIRARDEAU COUNTY LINE.

0357 AM TSTM WND GST SEDGEWICKVILLE 37.52N 89.91W
02/29/2012 E0.00 MPH BOLLINGER MO TRAINED SPOTTER

OUT BUILDINGS DAMAGED.

0359 AM TSTM WND DMG OAK RIDGE 37.50N 89.73W
02/29/2012 CAPE GIRARDEAU MO EMERGENCY MNGR

NUMEROUS HOME STUCTURE DAMAGE. WIDESPREAD TREES AND
POWERLINES DOWN. DAMAGE OBSERVED BY FIRE RESCUE TEAMS AND
RELAYED TO E0C. POSSIBLE TORNADO. NO INJURIES REPORTED AT
THIS TIME.

0400 AM TSTM WND DMG OAK RIDGE 37.50N 89.73W
02/29/2012 CAPE GIRARDEAU MO EMERGENCY MNGR

*** 1 INJ *** EMERGENCY MANAGER REPORTING WIDESPREAD
DAMAGE ACROSS THE NORTHERN THIRD OF CAPE GIRADEAU COUNTY.
MANAGER IS ASKING FOR NO ONE TO ENTER THE AREA TO ALLOW
EMERGENCY SERVICES TO REPSOND. POSSIBLE TORNADO. 1 MAN
INJURED AFTER HOME COLLAPSED ON HIM.

0415 AM TSTM WND DMG BROWNWOOD 37.08N 89.95W
02/29/2012 STODDARD MO EMERGENCY MNGR

EM REPORTS PATH OF DAMAGE BETWEEN OTTAWILD AND
BROWNWOOD.LATE REPORT.

0418 AM TSTM WND DMG OAK RIDGE 37.50N 89.73W
02/29/2012 CAPE GIRARDEAU MO EMERGENCY MNGR

LINE OF DAMAGE FROM OAK RIDGE TO POCAHANTAS MISSOURI.
NUMEROUS STRUCTURAL AND TREE DAMAGE. POWER OUTAGES. NO
INJURES REPORTED AT THIS TIME. POSSIBLE TORNADO.

0422 AM HAIL 4 S CARBONDALE 37.67N 89.22W
02/29/2012 M1.00 INCH JACKSON IL EMERGENCY MNGR

QUARTER SIZE HAIL. POWER OUTAGES REPORTED IN THE AREA.

0430 AM TSTM WND DMG MARION 37.73N 88.94W
02/29/2012 WILLIAMSON IL EMERGENCY MNGR

MARKET STREET HAS SOLID GARAGE DESTORYED. TREES DOWN.
DAMAGE IS IN A PATH ALONG THE STREET. LATE REPORT.

0430 AM HAIL DONIPHAN 36.62N 90.82W
02/29/2012 M0.75 INCH RIPLEY MO EMERGENCY MNGR

DIME SIZE HAIL REPORTED WITH HEAVY RAIN.

0430 AM TSTM WND DMG DEXTER 36.79N 89.96W
02/29/2012 STODDARD MO TRAINED SPOTTER

NUMEROUS POWER OUTAGES WITH LARGE AMOUNT OF TREE DEBRIS.
WINDS ESTIMATED 55 MPH.

0436 AM TSTM WND DMG 2 S MARION 37.70N 88.94W
02/29/2012 WILLIAMSON IL TRAINED SPOTTER

WIDESPREAD POWER OUTAGES REPORTED.

0440 AM HAIL 6 S MARION 37.65N 88.94W
02/29/2012 M0.75 INCH WILLIAMSON IL TRAINED SPOTTER

DIME SIZE HAIL REPORTED SOUTH OF MARION ILLINOIS.

0441 AM HAIL NEELYVILLE 36.56N 90.51W
02/29/2012 M1.75 INCH BUTLER MO TRAINED SPOTTER

GOLF BALL SIZE HAIL REPORTED NEAR THE COMMUNITY OF
NEELYVILLE.

0443 AM TSTM WND DMG 2 S MARION 37.70N 88.94W
02/29/2012 WILLIAMSON IL TRAINED SPOTTER

POSSIBLE TORNADO. POWER FLASHES SOUTH OF MARION ILLINOIS
APPEARS TO BE ELECTRICAL TRANSFORMERS BLOWING UP.

0450 AM TSTM WND DMG 2 E BENTON 37.10N 89.53W
02/29/2012 SCOTT MO LAW ENFORCEMENT

POSSIBLE TORNADO. BARN AND CHICKEN FARM DESTROYED. HOUSE
DAMAGED. WIDESPREAD TREE AND POWER LINE DAMAGE ALONG
HIGHWAY 408 NEAR THE INTERSECTION OF HWY 403. LATE
REPORT.

0456 AM TORNADO 2 SW HARRISBURG 37.72N 88.58W
02/29/2012 SALINE IL TRAINED SPOTTER

CONFIRMED TORNADO BY TRAINED SPOTTER. APPROACHING THE
SOUTH SIDE OF HARRISBURG.

0503 AM TSTM WND DMG MOUNDS 37.11N 89.20W
02/29/2012 PULASKI IL EMERGENCY MNGR

POSSIBLE TORNADO DAMAGE NORTH AND WEST OF MOUNDS AND NEAR
EXIT 8 ALONG INTERSTATE 57. SPOTTER HAD A CROSS ARM
RIPPED OFF A RAILROAD SIGN AND MISSLED THROUGH HIS
VEHCILE.

0506 AM TSTM WND DMG RIDGWAY 37.80N 88.26W
02/29/2012 GALLATIN IL TRAINED SPOTTER

WIDESPREAD TREES AND POWER LINES DOWN. NUMEROUS HOMES AND
ONE CHURCH DAMAGED. LATE REPORT.

0516 AM TSTM WND DMG LA CENTER 37.07N 88.97W
02/29/2012 BALLARD KY TRAINED SPOTTER

POWER POLE SNAPPED AND LAYING ACROSS A MOBILE HOME.
INDIVIDUALS TRAPPED INSIDE. WIND GUSTS ESTIMATED 60 MPH.
NO INJURIES REPORTED AT THIS TIME.

0518 AM TSTM WND DMG HARRISBURG 37.74N 88.55W
02/29/2012 SALINE IL EMERGENCY MNGR

HIGHWAY 45 IS CLOSED SOUTH OF THE COMMUNITY.

0518 AM TSTM WND DMG BANDANA 37.17N 88.97W
02/29/2012 BALLARD KY TRAINED SPOTTER

LATE REPORT...POSSIBLE TORNADO. DAMAGE PATH BETWEEN
BANDANA AND RAGSDALE. 1 MOBILE HOME AND 1 FARM DESTROYED
NEAR BANDANA. 1 MOBILE HOME DESTORYED IN RAGSDALE ALONG
OSCAR TURNER ROAD.

0520 AM TSTM WND DMG RAGLAND 37.16N 88.89W
02/29/2012 MCCRACKEN KY TRAINED SPOTTER

*** 5 INJ *** MOBILE HOME DESTORYED ALONG OGDEN LANDING
ROAD. LATE REPORT.UPDATE...A MIX OF 6 HOMES/MOBILE HOMES
DAMAGED/DESTORYED. 5 INJURIES REPORTED WITH 1 SERIOUS.

0525 AM TSTM WND GST ROUND KNOB 37.22N 88.73W
02/29/2012 E60.00 MPH MASSAC IL EMERGENCY MNGR

60 PLUS MPH WINDS REPORTED AND DIME SIZE HAIL

0535 AM TORNADO METROPOLIS 37.15N 88.71W
02/29/2012 MASSAC IL EMERGENCY MNGR

OFFICE OF EM REPORTING TORNADO NEAR METROPOLIS ILLINOIS.
SEEING POWER FLASHES FROM TRANSFORMERS ALSO.

0537 AM TORNADO HARRISBURG 37.74N 88.55W
02/29/2012 SALINE IL EMERGENCY MNGR

SOUTHEAST PORTION OF TOWN EXPERIENCED MAJOR DAMAGE.
POSSIBLE ONE DEATH BUT NO COMFIRMED. SEARCH AND RESCUE IN
PROCESS AT THIS TIME.

0540 AM TSTM WND DMG OSCAR 37.14N 89.03W
02/29/2012 BALLARD KY EMERGENCY MNGR

A FEW BARNS AND A MACHINE SHED BLOWN DOWN. PORCH BLOWN
OFF OF HOME.

0600 AM TSTM WND DMG 2 N HENDERSON 37.87N 87.58W
02/29/2012 HENDERSON KY BROADCAST MEDIA

*** 2 INJ *** POSSIBLE TORNADO...NEAR ELLIS PARK 3 TO 4
RIVER HOMES DESTROYED WITH 2 INJURES REPORTED. LATE
REPORT.

0600 AM TSTM WND DMG NEWBURGH 37.95N 87.40W
02/29/2012 WARRICK IN AMATEUR RADIO

NUMEROUS TREES DOWN ALONG HIGHWAY 66.

0603 AM TSTM WND GST 2 S ZION 37.79N 87.48W
02/29/2012 M60.00 MPH HENDERSON KY TRAINED SPOTTER

DIME SIZE HAIL REPORTED WITH THE STORM.

0605 AM TORNADO NEWBURGH 37.95N 87.40W
02/29/2012 WARRICK IN EMERGENCY MNGR

UPDATE REPORT...2 HOMES DESTORYED ON PEACHTREE ST. OTHER
HOMES DAMAGED ALONG WEST CHESTER DRIVE. PATH OF DAMAGE
APPEARS TO GO THROUGH DOWNTOWN JUST OF THE LOCK AND DAM.

0605 AM TORNADO NEWBURGH 37.95N 87.40W
02/29/2012 WARRICK IN LAW ENFORCEMENT

TORNADO REPORTED BY STATE TROOPER NEAR THE COMMUNITY OF
NEWBURGH. WIDESPREAD DAMAGE THROUGHOUT THE CITY PROPER.
RESCUE TEAMS ARE RESPONDING.

0614 AM TSTM WND GST HEBBARDSVILLE 37.78N 87.38W
02/29/2012 E60.00 MPH HENDERSON KY TRAINED SPOTTER

0627 AM FUNNEL CLOUD 2 NE CHRISNEY 38.03N 87.01W
02/29/2012 SPENCER IN EMERGENCY MNGR

FUNNEL CLOUD REPORTED NORTHEAST OF THE COMMUNITY.

0640 AM TSTM WND DMG MADISONVILLE 37.34N 87.51W
02/29/2012 HOPKINS KY EMERGENCY MNGR

A ROOF OFF OF A GARAGE ON POOLE ROAD. 1 METAL FRAME
STRUCTURE DAMAGED. 2 OUTBUILDINGS BLEW ONTO HIGHWAY
41.SIX MATURE TREES DOWN ON SOUTH END OF MADISONVILLE.

0640 AM TSTM WND DMG MADISONVILLE 37.34N 87.51W
02/29/2012 HOPKINS KY TRAINED SPOTTER

SEVERLY DAMAGED HOME BLOCKING ROADWAY.

0640 AM TORNADO MADISONVILLE 37.34N 87.51W
02/29/2012 HOPKINS KY TRAINED SPOTTER

TORNADO ON THE GROUND REPORTED AT EXIT 44 ALONG THE
PENNYRILE PARKWAY.

0640 AM HAIL MADISONVILLE 37.34N 87.51W
02/29/2012 M0.75 INCH HOPKINS KY TRAINED SPOTTER

DIME SIZE HAIL REPORTED IN THE COMMUNITY.

0645 AM HAIL 5 N HANSON 37.49N 87.47W
02/29/2012 M1.00 INCH HOPKINS KY TRAINED SPOTTER

QUARTER SIZE HAIL REPORTED.

0657 AM HAIL BREMEN 37.36N 87.22W
02/29/2012 M1.00 INCH MUHLENBERG KY TRAINED SPOTTER

QUARTER SIZE HAIL REPORTED IN THE COMMUNITY.

0728 AM HAIL BENTON 36.85N 88.36W
02/29/2012 E1.00 INCH MARSHALL KY EMERGENCY MNGR

0836 AM FUNNEL CLOUD GRACEY 36.88N 87.63W
02/29/2012 CHRISTIAN KY TRAINED SPOTTER

REPORTED NORTH OF THE INTERSECTION OF HWYS 68 WEST AND
3186.

0849 AM TSTM WND DMG GREENVILLE 37.21N 87.18W
02/29/2012 MUHLENBERG KY EMERGENCY MNGR

REPORTS OF ROOFS BLOWN OFF HOMES AND 1 SCHOOL.

0908 AM HAIL 1 N ALMO 36.71N 88.28W
02/29/2012 E0.25 INCH CALLOWAY KY EMERGENCY MNGR

PEA SIZE HAIL N OF ALMO

0910 AM HAIL DEXTER 36.74N 88.30W
02/29/2012 E1.00 INCH CALLOWAY KY TRAINED SPOTTER

0915 AM HAIL 5 N CADIZ 36.94N 87.82W
02/29/2012 E0.25 INCH TRIGG KY TRAINED SPOTTER

PEA SIZE HAIL N OF CADIZ BETWEEN HWY 139 AND 276

0924 AM HAIL AURORA 36.78N 88.14W
02/29/2012 E1.00 INCH MARSHALL KY EMERGENCY MNGR

0936 AM HAIL ENERGY 36.83N 88.05W
02/29/2012 E1.00 INCH TRIGG KY TRAINED SPOTTER

QUARTER SIZE HAIL IN THE LBL AREA.

0936 AM HAIL CADIZ 36.87N 87.82W
02/29/2012 E1.00 INCH TRIGG KY TRAINED SPOTTER

QUARTER SIZE HAIL AT THE AIRPORT.

0940 AM HAIL CADIZ 36.87N 87.82W
02/29/2012 E1.00 INCH TRIGG KY TRAINED SPOTTER

QUARTER SIZE HAIL IN CADIZ.

0948 AM HAIL GRACEY 36.88N 87.63W
02/29/2012 E1.50 INCH CHRISTIAN KY TRAINED SPOTTER

0951 AM TSTM WND GST GRACEY 36.88N 87.63W
02/29/2012 E70.00 MPH CHRISTIAN KY TRAINED SPOTTER

0955 AM TSTM WND GST CADIZ 36.87N 87.82W
02/29/2012 M71.00 MPH TRIGG KY MESONET

0958 AM TORNADO 3 NW HOPKINSVILLE 36.89N 87.53W
02/29/2012 CHRISTIAN KY PUBLIC

UNCONFIRMED REPORT OF A TORNADO ON THE GROUND IN A FIELD
BY NORTH SINKING FORK ROAD.

1005 AM TSTM WND GST HOPKINSVILLE 36.85N 87.49W
02/29/2012 E70.00 MPH CHRISTIAN KY TRAINED SPOTTER

ALSO...DIME SIZE HAIL REPORTED

1014 AM HAIL CADIZ 36.87N 87.82W
02/29/2012 E1.00 INCH TRIGG KY TRAINED SPOTTER

1024 AM TSTM WND GST GRACEY 36.88N 87.63W
02/29/2012 E55.00 MPH CHRISTIAN KY TRAINED SPOTTER

1028 AM HAIL HOPKINSVILLE 36.85N 87.49W
02/29/2012 E1.00 INCH CHRISTIAN KY TRAINED SPOTTER

1030 AM TSTM WND DMG HOPKINSVILLE 36.85N 87.49W
02/29/2012 CHRISTIAN KY EMERGENCY MNGR

LARGE BARN ON THE GROUND WITH TIN ROLLED UP ON ADJACENT
ROOF. APPEARS TO BE STRAIGHT LINE WINDS.

1034 AM FLASH FLOOD GRACEY 36.88N 87.63W
02/29/2012 CHRISTIAN KY TRAINED SPOTTER

SPOTTERS REPORT DITCHES ARE FULL OF WATER AND OVERFLOWING
ONTO ROADS

1038 AM HEAVY RAIN CADIZ 36.87N 87.82W
02/29/2012 M2.30 INCH TRIGG KY MESONET

1040 AM HAIL 6 NE HOPKINSVILLE 36.92N 87.41W
02/29/2012 E1.50 INCH CHRISTIAN KY TRAINED SPOTTER

1046 AM FLASH FLOOD HOPKINSVILLE 36.85N 87.49W
02/29/2012 CHRISTIAN KY EMERGENCY MNGR

WATER OVER THE ROAD DAWSON SPRINGS ROAD JUST SOUTH OF
PLEASANT GREEN ROAD.

1108 AM FLASH FLOOD HOPKINSVILLE 36.85N 87.49W
02/29/2012 CHRISTIAN KY EMERGENCY MNGR

HOUSE ON SANDERSON DRIVE IS SURROUNDED BY WATER

1109 AM FLOOD CADIZ 36.87N 87.82W
02/29/2012 TRIGG KY EMERGENCY MNGR

LAW ENFORCEMENT WATER RESCUE AUTOMOBILE ON HOPKINSVILLE
ROAD.

1192. Reply to Jimmy/Kc9pxz from Norm/Kb9ygd 3-1-12 18:07 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-01 18:07:42 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1192 Message: 1192

Norm`s Reply:

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1193. RE: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Jimmy/Kc9pxz from Norm/Kb9ygd 3-1-12 18:07 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-01 20:33:30 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1192 Message: 1193

Hi Norm,

Wow, That□s some site. Love it. I signed up. Pretty cool.

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"

James H. Cameron Jr.

KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-01 20:52:09 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1192 Message: 1194

Ok Jimmy im glad and i will go there now and send you a friends request
and a welcome msg.73 Norm/Kb9ygd
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1195. An opertunity for you to improve ur DX station count...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-02 20:27:32 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1195 Message: 1195

ARRL Inter. DX Contest, SSB: 0000Z, Mar 3 to 2400Z, Mar 4 Mode: SSB
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m Classes: Single Op All Band
(QRP/Low/High)
Single Op Single Band
Single Op Unlimited (Low/High)
Multi-Single (Low/High)
Multi-Two
Multi-Multi Max power: HP: 1500 watts
LP: 150 watts
QRP: 5 watts Exchange: W/VE: RS + (state/province)
non-W/VE: RS + power Work stations: Once per band QSO Points: 3
points per QSO Multipliers: W/VE: Each DXCC country once per band
Non-W/VE: Each state, District of Columbia, VE province/territory once
per band Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total
mults Submit logs by: 2359Z April 3, 2012 E-mail logs to:
DXPhone[at]arrl[dot]org Mail logs to: ARRL Intl DX Contest, Phone
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/arrl-dx
<http://www.arrl.org/arrl-dx>

1196. My current station

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-02 22:43:21 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1196 Message: 1196

Hi,

I am not sure I ever shared what my current station set up is with the group. (or at least I do not remember doing it)

I live in Wisconsin I got my ticket in 2009 then in 2010 upgraded to general. I am hoping to up grade to
Extra before June. I enjoy working the Birds, ARES/RACES, rag chewing on the local repeaters and skywarn/weather spotting. I just started getting on HF in Oct. For UHF/VHF I run, an I-COM IC28H feed with RG8 to a Diamond 510 dual band antenna at 50 ft. For UHF I run a Realm SLU-40 6 channel. I also own the Realm SLV-25 2 meter. Most if the time on my IC-28H (nice little rig) for 2 meter nets and repeaters. As I said, just getting my feet wet with HF. I
run a Kenwood 440s witch is an awesome radio. Feed with RG-213 to a Radio Wavz 80 meter DX OCFD at about 50 feet. My first rig was a HTX 202 That I still have. Works great. I may add (ordering today) a Beofang UHF/VHF HT. I have never owned a dual bander and the price is right for my budget. I am not sure how I feel about contesting yet. I do
know that I am a lot less mic shy on a contest weekend. I am a member of handihams. My being in a wheelchair HTs. work best mobile or if I am around town. I drive with hand controls so only work mobile when the XYL or my daughter is driving. I think I may set up an echo link node to be able to check into handiham nets and the like on echo link using my HT. I have a wire interface and it worked great and the simplex node was temperately set up a while ago. I just got sick of unplugging it if I wanted to use phone on a local repeater. So I need o look into something that will allow me to switch from my wire interface when using the node to using the rigs mic when I want to work phone on one of the local repeaters. I think I may enjoy traffic handling but for now working on getting my WAS. I found WAS nets? On the internet, I will have to look more into that. I am studying to upgrade to extra using the extra class license manual, A 72 part lecture series done by the handi ham systems & WA0TDA Patrick (pat) Tice, and the current extra class question pool in audio format.
Well just wanted to post what I enjoy about ham radio.

PS, How do you guys that are members of HRN get the about me and all that on your profile, pay? (the site is massave) one top ham radio web site. Thanks Norm.

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"
James H. Cameron Jr.
KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

1197. RE: [CQCQCQ] An opertunity for you to improve ur DX station count...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-02 22:43:21 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1195 Message: 1197

Cool beans Norm. I and changing from MX log to HRD as I found out the HRN have a deal thing for HRD that sorts contacts for you for HRN awards.

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"

James H. Cameron Jr.

KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Friday, March 02, 2012 2:28 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] An opertunity for you to improve ur DX station count...

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1198. Re: My current station

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-02 23:00:54 UTC
From: ab9qu
Topic: 1196 Message: 1198

HRN is free. They take donations.

Bill AB9QU

Here is link to my page.

http://hamradionation.com/profile.php?user=AB9QU

1199. Re: [CQCQCQ] My current station

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-02 23:27:19 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1196 Message: 1199

Nice Jim.

Just a GENERAL here since 1976.
I got into the digital modes early on so never did up grade
altho I worked as a TV & RADIO (am & fm) broadcast engineer
for many years. Holding the 1st class radiotelephone ticket.

John, W0JAB

1200. RE: [CQCQCQ] An opertunity for you to improve ur DX station count...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-03 16:59:20 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1195 Message: 1200

Hi,

Well I am going to put the juice to my 440s abo9ut 11Pm. Hopefully HRD log book is finished downloading and installed and I can figure out hope to install the □award sorter□ thing installed. If for what ever reason I don□t O have lots of pager log sheets. Hope ta work you gents and ladies.

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"

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1201. Reply to Jimmy from Norm Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-03 23:27:32 UTC
From: norman triantafilos
Topic: 1195 Message: 1201

Well writelog is the best logging software there is and costs 30 dollars.For contesting i would suggest either writelog or n1mm logger or n3fjp`s suite of contest specific contest logging programs which i use its about 70 dollars.
At HRN all you have to do is choose the award u want and then upload ur log in .adi file format to Ken K9ken and he will sort it all out but you must have the qso`s in the log to qualify for whatever award u are appling for.
HRD and it logbook is ok but not to my liking for serious contest work as it lacks some things i must have but at least its free.HRD+ DM-780 is my favorite for most digital other than hf packet where i use Mixw which copies soundcard packet better than a hardware TNC.
Remember that in general computer logging u import/export in the adif (amateur radio interchange file) file format (.adi) but in order to submit a log to a contest sponcer after a contest .adi wont do you must have a program that will export it as *.cbr (cabrillo file format) and also save it as an .adif for importing into your general logbook program.
Norm/Kb9ygd

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1202. Aug 1 -3 2011 Tropo Opening

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 01:50:09 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1195 Message: 1202

Hello hope Everyone is Doing Well,,,,Thought I would take a break and found a Great Tropo Band opening Video If You go to Frame/Tme 0335 You will hear our Member Lionel W9LLO Working it

Enjoy

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VY2dMmlXH3U&feature=player_embedded#!>
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73 De Don KA9QJG

Ps Some had No Idea about this kind of DX

1203. RE: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Jimmy from Norm Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 02:51:38 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1195 Message: 1203
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Hi Norm,

Thanks for the reply. I have used n3fjp’s logs before I liked them. I downloaded what I thought was just HRD log book turns out it was the whole program. I must have misunderstood something. Well I am on dial up and used a download manager to down load it. It downloaded and I entered in my station info. So its ready to go (I think). I have never heard of writelog so I will have to google it. I will try it next week sometime. Thank you for your advise, my old machine died so I had to download and set up the software for LoTW. I am waiting on the cerf. I noticed that I have a few states but when I looked at my stuff on LoTW site once I logged in I noticed that there was nothing listed under my WAS account. I am not sure why. Sometimes I am not the most computer savvy person Hi Hi. I really like HRN, the resources on there a great. I did know that its based here in Wi, I thought that was pretty cool. I download the Ham Radio Deluxe HRN Award Definitions. I was thinking to interface my 440s I guess all I need is one cable. I am not looking CAT just yet as I understand one needs to buy a chip set to do that. Well I am going to spend a bit of time with my XYL then its off to the HF bands and play radio for the contest.

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"

James H. Cameron Jr.

KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of norman triantafilos
Sent: Saturday, March 03, 2012 5:28 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Jimmy from Norm Kb9ygd

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Norm/Kb9ygd

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Family Website--->
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1204. HRD Log book/LoTW

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 15:52:07 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1204 Message: 1204

Hi,
Just a quick question, I downloaded and installed HRD logbook. Can I import my LoTW into it? (the enters I Mean) If I can do, do I generate a report from LoTW then import that into HRD log book? Also I am using a new Machine. I had to request a cert. so that I can sign my upload to LoTW So I did that. Does I bot send those because I am still waiting, I did this yesterday. If a person does it then there is the answer I won't get it until Monday or Tue then, (does my question make since) I hate setting up PC'S but once it's done it's done. This time I am backing every thing up on a thumb drive. One never thinks that something will happen till it does.

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"
James H. Cameron Jr.
KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

1205. DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 17:00:04 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1195 Message: 1205

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Friday, March 02, 2012 2:28 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] An opertunity for you to improve ur DX station count...

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1206. Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 17:17:26 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1195 Message: 1206
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

He may be asking for the wrong thing.

John, W0JAB

At 11:00 AM 3/4/2012, you wrote:

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1207. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 17:19:56 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 1195 Message: 1207
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Jimmy,

If I am understanding you question right, the station □kept asking for your prefix□. If that is right, then it the first 2 letters of your call, KC. I may be wrong, and others can correct me, but if it is your prefix, then it is KC.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Jim Cameron
Sent: Sunday, March 04, 2012 11:00 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

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1208. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 17:24:51 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1195 Message: 1208

I finely got him. The exchace is stat right? He did ask me that that last, gave my call & state RST and he gave me mine. Maybe he just was not coping my all that great.

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"

James H. Cameron Jr.

KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of John Becker
Sent: Sunday, March 04, 2012 11:17 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

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John, W0JAB

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1209. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 17:56:49 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1195 Message: 1209

Hard to say.
Your prefix would be KC....

He may have meant "state"

1210. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 17:13:20 UTC
From: Hank Lambert
Topic: 1195 Message: 1210

For contesters in the states, you do give your state, for instance Foxtrot Lima (FL) for me. As for the prefix, he is looking for KC9 for you. Sometimes they don□t hear the complete callsign, and might ask for your callsign prefix or suffix.

Hope this helps.

73,

Hank Lambert

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1211. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 20:17:49 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1195 Message: 1211

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From: CQCQCQ@...m [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Hank Lambert
Sent: Sunday, March 04, 2012 11:13 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

For contesters in the states, you do give your state, for instance Foxtrot Lima (FL) for me. As for the prefix, he is looking for KC9 for you. Sometimes they don□t hear the complete callsign, and might ask for your callsign prefix or suffix.

Hope this helps.

73,

Hank Lambert

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1212. Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 21:07:42 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 1195 Message: 1212

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1213. contesting

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 22:05:49 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1213 Message: 1213

Well, I made a few US contacts so I have a few more states all on 20 meters. I tried from 80 to 10 meters. I will try again some more this evening. I said that I was not sure how I felt about contesting. I have figured this much out, its much easier to find a clear freq. to work split and call CQ, and let the contacts come to you. or maybe I just don☐t know the HF bands that well or there is something I am not doing right. So we will try again later, I don☐t know what the next HF contest is or when but we'll try that one. I heard some thing I learned was a no no. I heard a lot of 3 letter calls I always thought you should give your full call once or twice. It seemed to take more time if people gave 3 letters to complete the contact than those that gave full calls from the beginning (witch is what I thought/think the right way is (legal) way was. Also lost of contacts in the extra segments of the bands. So the other goal is to upgrade to extra as soon as I can. There were contacts that were rapid fire from what I heard in the extra segments. I stayed in the general segments but I was like Damn it all! Hi hi =). So hence getting my extra just for that reason I did work really hard for about a hour, to get this guy in the Azores. I did not get him but that in it self is worth trying again. That was fun. Do this do that try and try again.

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1214. Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 22:08:37 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1195 Message: 1214

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1215. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 22:25:30 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1195 Message: 1215

There was allot of that I heard to, I was on 20 most of the day. I am thinking they want points so they are willing to skimp on readability and understanding for it.

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1216. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 22:36:37 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1195 Message: 1216

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That way if I do get lucky and make the Contact I will have all the info ,, Sometimes if You wait to long the Band will fade and You may not get it .

PS If You do not Have a Big Gun station,, Ant,, Power Etc. You will learn from experience that it is Not necessary to need all that it has a lot to do With listening to that station and developing a

(Technique) of your own with that info and Get in ,,, WOW that was a big word for Me I thought I may Need Richards help , But spell checker worked lol

73 Great DX

Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Sunday, March 04, 2012 4:09 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
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1217. Re: [CQCQCQ] contesting

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 22:51:23 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1213 Message: 1217

On 3/4/2012 5:05 PM, Jim Cameron wrote:

I have
> figured this much out, its much easier to find a clear freq. to work split
> and call CQ, and let the contacts come to you. or maybe I just don?t know

Not sure you wanna work split in a domestic contest...
I believe most guys will be working and listening
on a single frequency and may miss that YOU are split.
I have only done a few contests, but have placed as high
as 5th in the US, 1st in my State and 1st in my "section"
and helped set a record in the MI QSO Party... and I
have never worked split on a contest. A DX station
may work split to manage a big pileup, but I have
not experienced any DX working split in any of the
contests I have been in.

Thus... you may have put yourself out beyond reach
of the other ops...

I heard some thing I learned was a no no. I heard a lot
> of 3 letter calls I always thought you should give your full call once or
> twice. It seemed to take more time if people gave 3 letters to complete the
> contact than those that gave full calls from the beginning

Well... that is correct... however, some contestants
will state only their two or three letter suffix to cut
down the noise in a pileup, thinking it will make it
easier for the calling station to pick them out
of the pileup. Usually, they will state their full call
once they are recognized and acknowledged by
the calling station. But you are right, if they are
not clear when giving their full call sign, it will take
longer because the calling station then has to ask
for the full call sign, which may not be necessary
had the respondent used his entire call sign in the
first place.

> "Aonaibh RI Ch?ile,"

Oh... and I am sorry you are in distress
from eating chile...
;-)

Have fun and stay safe, Jimmy !!

========== Richards -K8JHR ==========

1218. Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 22:55:36 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1195 Message: 1218

No confusion here, Jimmy... I think the other op was repeating what he THOUGHT he heard to be your full call sign, and was also asking for you to re-say the prefix to confirm the part he was not sure about.

Although I joined a contest group... with a big station and loads of big antennas, I do like to do casual contesting like you did this weekend, where I search and pounce on stations to help them make more contacts - It is real rush and makes you think fast.

========== Richards -K8JHR ==========

On 3/4/2012 3:17 PM, Jim Cameron wrote:
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1219. Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 23:07:04 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1195 Message: 1219

Yes... there can be multiple contests on any given day.

The serious contestants are looking to MOVE FAST. They want to talk little and save their voices and be as efficient as possible. Some will abbreviate their call sign or the CQ routine - especially if there is a pileup. A bit station can just camp on a frequency and the other stations will come to it. They will often say very little to cue up the next contact. Sometimes they are not giving their call sign, but just a portion of another op's call sign to indicate to the pile up who is being acknowledged as "next." Sometimes they say something as simple as "QRZ" which means "who is calling me?" This signals the other op(s) to state their call sign. After awhile it can be confusing because the big station calling CQ has not given his call sign for awhile, and new respondents don't know who he is. A good contestant will say something like this to end a call, "QSL" (to acknowledge he received the last guy's exchange) and "Thanks, K8XXX context") to indicate he is looking to make the next new contact. Another way is to say, "73, K8XXX QRZ" but sometimes the caller will just say "73, KY" which means he is saying "best wishes" to the last op, and stating the suffix of a calling station, perhaps "AB9KY" and that cues that guy up to make the exchange.

What makes it difficult is that not all contestants use the same procedures, or mix the procedures from moment to moment.

The Absolute Best way to get on to all this is to just listen to how it is done for awhile, maybe for a half hour, before diving into any contest. That will get you in the groove and in the mood for how the particular contest is going.

========== K8JHR ==========

On 3/4/2012 4:07 PM, Angelica wrote:
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1220. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-04 23:29:23 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1195 Message: 1220

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1221. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-05 16:17:38 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 1195 Message: 1221
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Jimmy,

There is a yahoo group for the Kenwood 440. I actually have one myself. I am not sure, but I think that in order for the HRD Logbook, you would actually need to have the Chipset installed. But to verify, I would join the 440m group, and ask one of those fellows over there, as there are some real guru□s that know the radio a LOT better than I do.

Congrats on the contest, too

Like you, I also like the turning, and the real feel, of the knobs under my fingers. I have dome PSK with my radio, but haven□t done the chipset, cuz I figure that I will always prefer the real feel of the knobs, as opposed to the click of the keys and the pointing of the mouse.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
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PS If You do not Have a Big Gun station,, Ant,, Power Etc. You will learn from experience that it is Not necessary to need all that it has a lot to do With listening to that station and developing a

(Technique) of your own with that info and Get in ,,, WOW that was a big word for Me I thought I may Need Richards help , But spell checker worked lol

73 Great DX

Don KA9QJG

1222. Kb9ygd arrl idx ssb contest log 3-3/4 12...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-05 19:31:11 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1222 Message: 1222

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START-OF-LOG: 2.0

CREATED-BY: KB9YGD ARRL International DX Log 2.7

ARRL-SECTION: IN

CONTEST: ARRL-DX-SSB

CALLSIGN: KB9YGD ``The Real Ham`` [:))]

CATEGORY: SINGLE-OP ALL LOW

CLAIMED-SCORE: 34632

OPERATORS: KB9YGD

CLUB: n/a

NAME: Norman P.Triantafilos

ADDRESS: 2634 Warren Street

ADDRESS: Lake Station,In.46405

ADDRESS: (e-mail) kb9ygd(at)gmail(dot)com

SOAPBOX: tu all fb idx ssb agn de yr es 73 de kb9ygd

QSO: 28000 PH 2012-03-03 1706 KB9YGD 59 IN HI3TEJ 59
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K split 7.095/7.276

QSO: 7000 PH 2012-03-04 2359 KB9YGD 59 IN PJ4G 59
K split 7.100/7.238

END-OF-LOG:
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1223. first nad new rig

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-05 20:05:20 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1223 Message: 1223

Hay gang,

I just ordered my first new rig a Boafeng UV5R dual band H.T. I got the rig with the programming cable (I already downloaded the programming software.) A SMA to BNC adaptor So I can use my tri-band mag. mount. Also I can use it for the 440 side of the birds. I built two yagi antennas (the easy yagi's on AMSAT) last summer. So I will do that until I find a good cheap dual band homebrew design. I also already have the adaptors on a jumper of rg58 to hook it up to my tower. Its amazing the range 4 watts can get when the antenna is up 50 feet. For a few bucks more I got a extended 3 year repair replacement warranty. So it's covered for 4 years. Its my first new rig. Every thing else in the shack I got used. I guess it will be here around the 21st. Now to play with the software.

73
"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"
James H. Cameron Jr.
KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

1224. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-05 12:32:19 UTC
From: Hank Lambert
Topic: 1195 Message: 1224

I am a casual contester. I do not do contest to win, I do not calculate points, nor do I turn in logs for the contest. But I do enjoy getting the contacts. Not only do I add new countries to my log, it is the ultimate test in how my station is working if I make contacts in 3 different continents in 5 minutes.

This last weekend I was only able to work the contest on Saturday morning going to work and Saturday night coming home from work. In that 60 minute timeframe, I worked Costa Rica, Martinique, Guatemala, Columbia, Venezuela, Barbados, Brazil, Canary Islands, Argentina, and Jamaica. I also got a Nashville Tennessee, but I do that regularly while mobile, so it wasn't quite the same thrill ;)

This International DX Contest last weekend added 4 new countries to my mobile log. I now have 35 countries towards my DXCC just from my mobile station. This is why I enjoy the contests.

73,

Hank Lambert

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PGP Key: 0x9DFFC21E

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg
Sent: Sunday, March 04, 2012 5:37 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

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73 Great DX

Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Sunday, March 04, 2012 4:09 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Jimmy -- each contest has its own rules for the exchange. Best to check the contest rule page for each contest before engaging the other op. He will be anxious to make a super quick, immediate exchange and move to the next op, and may not be patient for the novice who does not understand - not your fault at all, but the other op is pressed for time. Some guys will work you and coach you, as once started, it IS a contact and they want contacts, but some guys will just blow you off in favor of a faster exchange. Again, not you fault, but that is how some guys work it.

So, check the web page for the contest you are going to work and make sure you get the exchange right or you are not helping anybody - this is the safest course to knowing the right move. Also, listen for a little while and verify the ops calling CQ for that contest are using what you think you read on the web page - sometimes they are a bit confusing to the new guy.

As for the particular situation you describe below... I think many guys say the "prefix" is that group of letters before the number in your call sign, and a "suffix" is the last group of letters that comes after your call sign. My Prefix is "K" and my suffix is "JHR."

Have fun !!!

========== Richards -k8JHr ==========

On 3/4/2012 12:00 PM, Jim Cameron wrote:

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> contest would be my state right? And what else? I keep hear te same guy
> we tried to work ea other he keep asking for my prefix ?

1225. Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-05 21:36:41 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 1195 Message: 1225

I am under the impressing the 9A1A was actually the call because I listened for a good 20 minutes and that's all I ever heard him say. It looks like it was out of Croatia based on a Google search. I think that is one of the farthest I spoken with.
Not sure where EC1DRE, also a country around Croatia too?

Oh, the DL's were DL0 not DLo :) I need to see where those were.

The first one I tried, which I see as unsuccessful, was also constantly asking for my prefix, even though I was giving my whole call sign. LOL

73 KD8HMS Angie

From: Jim Cameron <kc9pxz@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sunday, March 4, 2012 5:25 PM
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

There was allot of that I heard to, I was on 20 most of the day. I am thinking they want points so they are willing to skimp on readability and understanding for it.

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"
James H. Cameron Jr.
KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

From:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Angelica
Sent: Sunday, March 04, 2012 3:08 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

I have a dumb question too. I responded to three qsls for the contest on 20 meter. Two had a prefix of DL0, and one was 9A1A. There was two more I heard but I couldn't pull one in enough to talk (E1DRE) and the other was going so fast on the first part, all I heard was 4M(ichael) at the end. Is there more than one contest going on because they all said they were contesting?

73 KD8HMS aka Angie :)

From:Jim Cameron <kc9pxz@...m>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sunday, March 4, 2012 12:00 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Akk this might be dumb and yes I an rusty but the exchange for the contest would be my state right? And what else? I keep hear te same guy we tried to work ea other he keep asking for my prefix ? I give him Wi what am I missing here I looked on the ARRL so if im

missing something please let me know

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"
James H. Cameron Jr.
KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

From:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Friday, March 02, 2012 2:28 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] An opertunity for you to improve ur DX station count...

ARRL Inter. DX Contest, SSB: 0000Z, Mar 3 to 2400Z, Mar 4
  Mode: SSB
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op All Band (QRP/Low/High)
Single Op Single Band
Single Op Unlimited (Low/High)
Multi-Single (Low/High)
Multi-Two
Multi-Multi
  Max power: HP: 1500 watts
LP: 150 watts
QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: W/VE: RS + (state/province)
non-W/VE: RS + power
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 3 points per QSO
  Multipliers: W/VE: Each DXCC country once per band
Non-W/VE: Each state, District of Columbia, VE province/territory once per band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: 2359Z April 3, 2012
  E-mail logs to: DXPhone[at]arrl[dot]org
  Mail logs to: ARRL Intl DX Contest, Phone
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA
  Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/arrl-dx

1226. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-05 21:50:38 UTC
From: Brad Allen
Topic: 1195 Message: 1226

9A1A Croatia

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ZAGREB 10001

Croatia

The EC1 call is from Spain.

E2A-E2Z Thailand (Also See HS <http://www.ac6v.com/prefixes.htm#HSA#HSA>)
..... E2 Thailand (ITU Zone 49 CQ Zone 26)
E3A-E3Z Eritrea
..... E3 Eritrea (ITU Zone 48 CQ Zone 37) [lat 15.3 long 38.9] Only contacts made November 14, 1962, and before, or May 24, 1991, and after, count for this entity.
E4A-E4Z Palestine**
..... E4 Palestine (As of Oct. 1, 1999) (ITU Zone 39 CQ Zone 20) [lat 31.3 long 34.3] {start 2/1/99}
E7A-E7Z Bosnia and Herzegovina (Republic of) Was T9
..... E7 Bosnia Herzegovina (ITU Zone 28 CQ Zone 15) [lat 43.8 long 18.4] {start 10/15/91}
EAA-EHZ Spain (Also See AM-AO)
EA, EB, EC, ED, EE, EF, EG, EH Spain (ITU Zone 37 CQ Zone 14) [lat 40.4 long -3.7] {start 11/15/45}
EA1 Galicia: La Coruna-C, Lugo-LU, Orense-OR, Pontevedra-PO, Asturias: Oviedo-O.Cantabria: Santander-S, Castilla-Leon: Avila-AV, Burgos-BU, Leon-LE, Palencia-P, Salamanca-SA, Segovia-SG, Soria-SO, .. Valladolid-VA, Zamora-ZA, La Rioja: . Logrono-LO
EA2 Pays Vasco: Vizcaya,(Bilbao)-BI, Guipuzcoa (San Sebastian)-SS, Alava (Vitoria)-VI Navarra: Navarra-NA . Aragon: Huesca-HU,Teruel-TE, Zaragoza-Z
EA3 Catalunya: Barcelona-B,Gerona-GE, Lerida-L, Tarragona-T
EA4 Castilla-La Mancha: Albacete-AB, Ciudad Real-CR, Cuenca-CU, Guadalajara-GU, Toledo-TO Madrid: . Madrid-M Extremadura: Badajoz-BA, Caceres-CC
EA5 Comunidad Valenciana: Alicante-A, Castellon-CS, Valencia-V Murcia: Murcia-MU
EA6 Balearic Is Palma de Mallorca-PM (ITU 37 CQ 14) [lat 39.5 long 2.6] {start 11/15/45}
EA7 Balearic Andalucia: Almeria-AL, Cadiz-CA, Cordoba-CO, Granada-GR, Huelva-H, Jaen-J, . Malaga-MA, . Sevilla-SE (ITU 37 CQ 14)
EA8 Canary Is Gran Canaria-GC, S. Cruz de Tenerife-TF (ITU Zone 36 CQ Zone 33) [lat 28.4 long -15.3] {start 11/15/45}
EA9 Ceuta (ITU Zone 37 CQ Zone 33) [lat 35.6 long -3] {start 11/15/45}

ED Antarctica
EA stations use the EH prefix on 50 MHz. EA1YV = EH1YV

Brad KB2CHY

From: CQCQCQ@...m [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
Angelica
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2012 16:37
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

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Sent: Sunday, March 4, 2012 12:00 PM
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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Friday, March 02, 2012 2:28 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] An opertunity for you to improve ur DX station count...

ARRL Inter. DX Contest, SSB: 0000Z, Mar 3 to 2400Z, Mar 4

Mode:

SSB

Bands:

160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m

Classes:

Single Op All Band (QRP/Low/High)
Single Op Single Band
Single Op Unlimited (Low/High)
Multi-Single (Low/High)
Multi-Two
Multi-Multi

Max power:

HP: 1500 watts
LP: 150 watts
QRP: 5 watts

Exchange:

W/VE: RS + (state/province)
non-W/VE: RS + power

Work stations:

Once per band

QSO Points:

3 points per QSO

Multipliers:

W/VE: Each DXCC country once per band
Non-W/VE: Each state, District of Columbia, VE province/territory once per band

Score Calculation:

Total score = total QSO points x total mults

Submit logs by:

2359Z April 3, 2012

E-mail logs to:

DXPhone[at]arrl[dot]org

Mail logs to:

ARRL Intl DX Contest, Phone
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA

Find rules at:

<http://www.arrl.org/arrl-dx> http://www.arrl.org/arrl-dx

1227. Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 00:15:56 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 1195 Message: 1227

Thanks Brad.

Er it wasn't EC1 but E1. I mistyped when I was going between the emails. :(

From: Brad Allen <ballen@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, March 5, 2012 4:50 PM
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

9A1A Croatia
CROATIAN DX CLUB "CDXC"
P. O. BOX 108
ZAGREB10001
Croatia
The EC1 call is from Spain.
E2A-E2Z Thailand (Also See HS)
.....E2 Thailand (ITU Zone 49 CQ Zone 26)
E3A-E3Z Eritrea
.....E3 Eritrea (ITU Zone 48 CQ
Zone 37) [lat 15.3 long 38.9] Only contacts made November 14, 1962, and before,
or May 24, 1991, and after, count for this entity.
E4A-E4Z Palestine **
.....E4 Palestine (As of Oct. 1,
1999) (ITU Zone 39 CQ Zone 20) [lat 31.3 long 34.3] {start 2/1/99}
E7A-E7Z Bosnia and Herzegovina
(Republic of) Was T9
.....E7 Bosnia Herzegovina (ITU Zone 28 CQ Zone 15) [lat 43.8 long
18.4] {start 10/15/91}
EAA-EHZSpain
(Also See AM-AO)
EA, EB, EC, ED, EE, EF, EG, EH Spain (ITU Zone 37 CQ Zone 14) [lat
40.4 long -3.7] {start 11/15/45}
EA1 Galicia : La Coruna-C,
Lugo-LU, Orense -OR, Pontevedra-PO, Asturias:
Oviedo-O.Cantabria: Santander-S, Castilla-Leon: Avila-AV, Burgos-BU , Leon -LE,
Palencia-P, Salamanca-SA, Segovia-SG, Soria-SO, ..Valladolid-VA,
Zamora-ZA, La Rioja: .Logrono-LO
EA2 Pays Vasco: Vizcaya,(Bilbao)-BI, Guipuzcoa (San Sebastian)-SS, Alava (Vitoria
)-VINavarra: Navarra-NA .Aragon :
Huesca-HU,Teruel-TE, Zaragoza-Z
EA3 Catalunya: Barcelona-B,Gerona-GE, Lerida-L, Tarragona-T
EA4 Castilla-La Mancha: Albacete-AB, Ciudad Real-CR, Cuenca-CU, Guadalajara-GU,
Toledo -TO Madrid : .Madrid-M Extremadura: Badajoz-BA, Caceres-CC
EA5 Comunidad Valenciana: Alicante -A, Castellon-CS , Valencia -V
Murcia :

Murcia-MU
EA6 Balearic Is Palma de Mallorca-PM (ITU 37 CQ
14) [lat 39.5 long 2.6] {start 11/15/45}
EA7 Balearic Andalucia: Almeria-AL, Cadiz-CA, Cordoba-CO, Granada-GR, Huelva-H,
Jaen-J,.Malaga-MA, .Sevilla-SE (ITU 37 CQ 14)
EA8 Canary Is Gran Canaria-GC, S. Cruz de
Tenerife-TF (ITU Zone 36 CQ Zone 33) [lat 28.4 long -15.3] {start 11/15/45}
EA9 Ceuta (ITU Zone 37 CQ Zone 33) [lat 35.6
long -3] {start 11/15/45}
ED Antarctica
EA stations use the EH prefix on 50 MHz. EA1YV = EH1YV

Brad KB2CHY

From:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Angelica
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2012 16:37
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest
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225 Main St .
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1228. Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 01:09:47 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1195 Message: 1228

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came up and down and up and down, you would repeat the prefix and he might just get it as the band came up once or twice. If you repeat the whole call, there is greater likelihood you will say the prefix every time the band goes down, and he
won't hear it when it comes up. If you keep repeating the prefix over and over, it may come through as the band comes up and he will finally be able to get it.

That happened to me several times, and I was listening on two electrically phased 1500 ft Beverage antennas - very quiet receiving antennas - but the band would ebb and flow and it seemed like the band would ebb just as the guy said his call sign, and flow every time he gave the signal report. Now we all know the signal report is going to be 59... but you cannot always guess a call sign! So, asking him to repeat the call sign several times allows for enough times for him to say it when the band is momentarily up. Otherwise, Murphy's Law mandates the call sign will always be said on the ebb moment, and the perfunctory signal report always on the flow moment.

Make sense? Clear as mud, eh?

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1229. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 01:38:01 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1195 Message: 1229

Why did you repeatedly give your whole call sign when he asked only for the prefix?

It went like this, he asked my prefix, my reply kilo Charlie , kilo Charlie over. PXZ reptete what you prefix relpy, Kilo Charlie over. PXZ whats your call? So I gave it in full he asked say again so I did. Then again there for my prefix. And full call. Finely we were able to make the contact. I may have word my fist post weird. Sorr about that.

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"

James H. Cameron Jr.

KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2012 7:10 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
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1230. Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 06:38:50 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1195 Message: 1230

ER... um... thanks Jimmy... but, I was asking Angela.

========== JHR ==========

On 3/5/2012 8:38 PM, Jim Cameron wrote:
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1231. RE: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 14:04:03 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1195 Message: 1231

I am sorry, I could have swore that I read a snip of a email in your question that I posted. I am sorry to both of you.

73

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"

James H. Cameron Jr.

KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Tuesday, March 06, 2012 12:39 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

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1232. Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 15:36:54 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 1195 Message: 1232

Richards,

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73 KD8HMS Angie

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From: Richards <jruing@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, March 6, 2012 1:38 AM
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

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1233. LoTW

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 15:43:34 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1233 Message: 1233

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1234. Re: [CQCQCQ] LoTW

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 16:39:33 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1233 Message: 1234

If I understand you correct - you are trying to load a date "before" your "last" date. Sounds like if someone makes an mistakes their screwed.

I gave up on LoTW years ago for lack of getting any help with a problem I had.

John

At 09:43 AM 3/6/2012, you wrote:
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>I can sign my log submissions to LoTw. So I go to ARRL web site & find the
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1235. LoTW Update

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 20:14:23 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1235 Message: 1235

Hay gang,

Well I finely got L.o.T.W. to give me a nice gold ribbon (not sure what I did wrong or was doing wrong) I requested another cert. and it loaded. I have been trying for a few days. So I signed a few contacts from my log book & made a .tq8 file and uploaded it to L.o.T.W. I got the "queued for processing" message, so I guess it works. Now I wait for the Processing to be complete. To see if I did it right & if I have any confirmed contacts. I learned the hard way. I now back everything up on my thumb drive.
73

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"
KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

1236. Re: [CQCQCQ] LoTW Update

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 22:12:49 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1235 Message: 1236

At 02:14 PM 3/6/2012, you wrote:
>Hay gang,
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>Well I finely got L.o.T.W. to give me a nice gold ribbon (not sure what I
>did wrong or was doing wrong) I requested another cert. and it loaded. I
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Good to see that I totally gave up.

1237. RE: [CQCQCQ] LoTW Update

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 22:36:32 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1235 Message: 1237

HUH?

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"

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KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
John Becker
Sent: Tuesday, March 06, 2012 4:13 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] LoTW Update

At 02:14 PM 3/6/2012, you wrote:
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1238. RE: [CQCQCQ] LoTW Update

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 22:52:29 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1235 Message: 1238

At 04:36 PM 3/6/2012, you wrote:

>HUH?

If that was for me I was never ever able to get the log book thing to
work and just gave up.

1239. Re: [CQCQCQ] DX Contest question

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 23:08:23 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1195 Message: 1239

But, that is NOT what you said:

The first one .... I constantly asking for my
prefix, even though I was giving my whole call sign.

But, sure I will let it drop. In fact I wont answer any more of
your questions. Sheesh !

========== K8JHR ==========

On 3/6/2012 10:36 AM, Angelica wrote:
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1240. RE: [CQCQCQ] LoTW Update

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 23:09:52 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1235 Message: 1240

Ok, I was confused (keep in mind my head ached) from dealing with LoTW.
Never know maybe one more try and things will go right for you. Were did you
run into problems if I may ask?

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1241. RE: [CQCQCQ] LoTW Update

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-06 23:12:57 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1235 Message: 1241
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

dont remember - that was years ago.

At 05:09 PM 3/6/2012, you wrote:

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1242. Re: LoTW

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-07 02:07:51 UTC
From: james_nf8i
Topic: 1233 Message: 1242

If you have access to the original computer, you can export your cert to use with your new computer. Load the TQSLCert program, click your callsign, then "Certificate", and "Save". This will give you a .p12 file that you can load through TQSLCert on the new computer.

I wouldn't go through the process of another certificate request.

73 de NF8I,

~James

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1243. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: LoTW

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-07 02:39:00 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1233 Message: 1243

Thanks, no the old PC is dead. I did get things doing

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"

James H. Cameron Jr.

KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
james_nf8i
Sent: Tuesday, March 06, 2012 8:08 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Re: LoTW

If you have access to the original computer, you can export your cert to use
with your new computer. Load the TQSLCert program, click your callsign, then
"Certificate", and "Save". This will give you a .p12 file that you can load
through TQSLCert on the new computer.

I wouldn't go through the process of another certificate request.

73 de NF8I,

~James

--- In CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com <mailto:CQCQCQ%40yahoogroups.com> , "Jim
Cameron " <kc9pxz@...> wrote:
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> Hello,
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> Well I am dealing with a different PC so I needed to download trusted QSL
so
> I can sign my log submissions to LoTw. So I go to ARRL web site & find the
> PDF for installing you cert on a new PC. I did what the PDF said to do to
> the letter. Making the cert request is not the problem. The problem is
that
> when I upload the tq.5 file, I get a message about I have over lapping
dates
> and that's not allowed So any idea's. I even tried e mailing the tq.5
file.
> I also uninstalled every thing and strated from scratch same thing. I have
> no clue what I am doing wrong. I do not she a contact e mail on the ARRL
web
> site for problems like this. I am hoping I missed it an someone knows were
> or what it is. Any Idea's
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> "Aonaibh RI Chéile,"

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1244. Are You ``AG``...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-07 20:40:35 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1244 Message: 1244

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1245. Biggest solar storm in years nears Earth, may disrupt power

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-07 22:13:09 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1245 Message: 1245

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under water Sometimes this can Enhace and make the bands worse too

73 De Don KA9QJG

Enjoy http://tinyurl.com/74bgg4o <http://tinyurl.com/74bgg4o>

1246. Re: Biggest solar storm in years nears Earth, may disrupt power

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-07 22:18:33 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1245 Message: 1246

Yeah they just had that on the ch 7 news at 4pm Don i hpe we dont lose pwr,and the wind advisory has been xtended also Norm [#-o]
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1247. 60 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-07 22:33:01 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1245 Message: 1247

I'll be on 60 this evening scanning.
Starting at sunset.

John, W0JAB

1248. Re: 60 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-07 22:48:17 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1245 Message: 1248

Thanks John , Some May Not know of the New Rules So I thought I would Post Tehem

73 De Don KA9QJG

New Rules for 5 MHz (60 Meters) To Go Into Effect March 5 TAGS: 60 meter band <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:60%20meter%20band> , 60 meters <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:60%20meters> , additional emission designators <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:additional%20emission%20design\ators> , amateur <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:amateur> , Amateur Extra class <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:Amateur%20Extra%20class> , amateur radio service <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:amateur%20radio%20service> , amateur stations <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:amateur%20stations> , arrl <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:arrl> , current rules <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:current%20rules> , federal register <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:federal%20register> , fixed service <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:fixed%20service> , frequency allocations <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:frequency%20allocations> ,harmful interference <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:harmful%20interference> , new rules <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:new%20rules> , nprm <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:nprm> , petition <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:petition> , power amateur stations <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:power%20amateur%20stations> , report <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:report> , rulemaking <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:rulemaking> , secondary allocation <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:secondary%20allocation> , United States <http://www.arrl.org/news/search/Tag.name:United%20States>
02/03/2012
On November 18, the FCC released <http://www.arrl.org/news/fcc-releases-new-rules-for-60-meters> a Report and Order (R&O <http://transition.fcc.gov/Daily_Releases/Daily_Business/2011/db1118/FCC\-11-171A1.pdf>), defining new rules for the 60 meter (5 MHz) band. These rules are in response to a Petition for Rulemaking (PRM <http://fjallfoss.fcc.gov/ecfs/document/view?id=6518527442>) filed by the ARRL more than five years ago and a June 2010Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM

<http://hraunfoss.fcc.gov/edocs_public/attachmatch/FCC-10-76A1.pdf>).
In the February 3 edition of theFederal Register
<https://www.federalregister.gov/articles/2012/02/03> , the FCC
announced
<https://www.federalregister.gov/articles/2012/02/03/2012-2477/amateur-r\
adio-use-of-the-allocation-at-5-mhz> that these new rules will go into
effect at 12:01 AM (EST) on March 5, 2012.

In summarizing the new rules, the FCC explained that the new rules amend
the current rules to facilitate more efficient and effective use by the
Amateur Radio Service of five channels in the 5330.5-5406.4 kHz band
(the 60 meter band): "Specifically, and consistent with our
proposals in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in this proceeding, the
Commission replaces one of the channels with a less encumbered one,
increases the maximum authorized power amateur stations may transmit in
this band and authorizes amateur stations to transmit three additional
emission designators. The Commission also adopts an additional
operational rule that prohibits the use of automatically controlled
digital stations and makes editorial revisions to the relevant portions
of the Table of Frequency Allocations and our service rules."

The Amateur Radio Service in the United States has a secondary
allocation on 60 meters. Only those amateurs who hold General, Advanced
or Amateur Extra class licenses may operate on this band. Amateur
stations must not cause harmful interference to -- and must accept
interference from -- stations authorized by any administration in the
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1249. Re: [CQCQCQ] Biggest solar storm in years nears Earth, may disrupt power

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-08 02:59:50 UTC
From: Angelica
Topic: 1245 Message: 1249

Do you know how long the solar storm is supposed to last? I thought I would try to make a couple contacts this weekend. I miss making contacts :)

73 KD8HMS Angie

From: ka9qjg1 <KA9QJG@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wednesday, March 7, 2012 5:13 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Biggest solar storm in years nears Earth, may disrupt power

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1250. RE: [CQCQCQ] Are You ``AG``...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-08 16:03:16 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1244 Message: 1250

Yes Norm I am AUTHENTICITY GUARANTEED since June 2009.

"Aonaibh RI Chéile,"

James H. Cameron Jr.

KC9PXZ "Jimmy"

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Wednesday, March 07, 2012 2:41 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Are You ``AG``...

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1251. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: 60 meters

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-08 17:01:38 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1245 Message: 1251

For what its worth, I have fallen in love with 60 meter band.

It sure is nice. I really think if has become the "forgotten" band.
There is a few G stations that you can count on to be there
when the band is open.

John

1252. LoWT/EQSL & HRN Working for WAS

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-08 19:28:52 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1252 Message: 1252

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73
KC9PXZ Jimmy

1253. To Jimmy/Group from Norm 3-8-12 20:51 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-08 21:18:20 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1253 Message: 1253

The only way i know of to import ur .adi files from Eqsl to arrl LOTW is download the .adi files u uploaded to eqsl and then upload them to LOTW which makes no senceas you have to upload ur q`s to Eqsl in the 1st place.

LOTW is a qso matching system that generates a qsl record with a qsl record # and a qsl id # if you and the other ham had a contact and you both uploaded ur qso`s with the correct info this will result in a match.

As i make a lot of q`s and typically upload several hundred qso`s to LOTW,Eqsl,HRD online log and my logbook search at clublog,dx qsl.net i normally check the last qso i uploaded to LOTW then export from my general logger (AClog) just those qso and save them to a file i named .adi files in my documents and then sign them (encript) with the arrl trusted qsl software on my computer and save them to my tq8 file and then upload my LOTW tq8 file via the LOTW website and then upload the files i put in the folder .adi to Eqsl.After that the website`s softerware does the rest.I simply merge the .adi file to my HRD online log search via the HRD.org website also if ur use HRD log as ur main logbook program you can set it to this automatcally which i dont as HRD log is not the logbook program of my choice for many reason`s.. and wala...life is good.

I save my whole log (export it) as an .adi file from my general logbook program (AClog) to a folder i named logbook on my computer and then upload it to clublog and they email me the results with any problems in it such as a 0 where and o should be,etc.

I check my LOTW matche`s every day as i work a lot of DX and do a lot of contesting all modes and when is see several matches i am pleased.

Norm/Kb9ygd

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1254. using UTC time

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-08 21:21:26 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1252 Message: 1254

A while back we had a talk about what time to use.

I was just wondering how it is work out for all.

John, W0JAB

1255. To John from Norm 3-8-12 21:47 utc/Zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-08 21:53:00 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1255 Message: 1255

What is UTC or GMT Time?
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To obtain your local time here in the United States, you need to subtract a certain number of hours from UTC depending on how many time zones you are away from Greenwich (England). The table below shows the standard difference from UTC time to local time.

The switch to daylight saving time does not affect UTC. It refers to time on the zero or Greenwich meridian, which is not adjusted to reflect changes either to or from Daylight Saving Time.

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Norm/Kb9ygd

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1256. Re: [CQCQCQ] To John from Norm 3-8-12 21:47 utc/Zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-08 22:02:01 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1255 Message: 1256

At 03:53 PM 3/8/2012, you wrote:

>
>What is UTC or GMT Time?
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depends on what time zone you live in.

1257. RE: [CQCQCQ] To John from Norm 3-8-12 21:47 utc/Zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-08 22:45:45 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1255 Message: 1257

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Norm
Sent: Thursday, March 08, 2012 3:53 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] To John from Norm 3-8-12 21:47 utc/Zulu

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Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-08 23:07:39 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1255 Message: 1258

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1259. LoWT/EQSL & HRN Working for WAS

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-09 02:32:48 UTC
From: ab9qu@comcast.net
Topic: 1252 Message: 1259

Looked you up on HRN Jimmy and sent an invite.
73
Bill ab9qu

1260. RE: [CQCQCQ] To John from Norm 3-8-12 21:47 utc/Zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-09 05:27:53 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1255 Message: 1260

It☐s not. My point was that there are op aids out there

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1261. Reply to Jimmy from Norm 3-9-12 15:41 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-09 16:07:11 UTC
From: Norm
Topic: 1252 Message: 1261

Norm`s Reply

Well Jimmy i would suggest the 3.905 century club`s many WAS nets on many bands in most modes and as you are allready on track with with a logging program and LOTW you have set you`reself up for success as every thing you are doing in amateur radio is being documented and can be recalled.Pay close attn to the times and dates on all you qso`s as this is critical in getting a match in LOTW or any other means of contact confirmation.

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1262. RE: [CQCQCQ] Reply to Jimmy from Norm 3-9-12 15:41 utc/zulu

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-10 01:50:33 UTC
From: Jim Cameron
Topic: 1252 Message: 1262

Hi Norm,

Thanks for the tip. Checked out the web site. I liked what I read. Signed up for the groups and checked in to the 40 meter early net. Made a contact not only on my way to worked all states but my 3.905 century club`s first 100 pts.

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1263. W5YI - SK

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-03-30 18:41:10 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1263 Message: 1263

FYI

Our Prayers and Thoughts go out to all the Family and Friends

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From QRZ.COM

CQ columnist Fred Maia, W5YI, a leading amateur radio journalist, educator and pioneer of volunteer examining, passed away on March 28 after a battle with cancer.

Maia, 76, published "The W5YI Report," dubbed "America's Oldest Ham Radio Newsletter," from 1978 to 2003, and has been a CQ contributing editor since 1985. His regulatory affairs column, first titled "Ticket Talk," then "Washington Readout," offered news and perspective on FCC and ITU (International Telecommunication Union) actions, and helped untold numbers of hams wend their way through often-confusing mazes of the volunteer examining and vanity call sign systems.

"Fred was one of those unusual people who was more focused on doing the job than he was on getting credit for doing it," noted CQ Publisher Dick Ross, K2MGA. "His 'job' was to help this hobby grow, and he succeeded admirably."

Maia was also a driving force in amateur and commercial radio licensing and education materials since late 1970. He was the first Volunteer Examiner Coordinator appointed by the Federal Communications Commission in 1984, and his W5YI-VEC group grew into the nation's second-largest VEC after the ARRL. Fred served as President of the W5YI-VEC until his retirement in October of 2000. In 1986, he founded The W5YI Group to develop, publish and sell amateur and commercial radio license study materials. Fred also formed National Radio Examiners to provide examination services as a Commercial Operator License Examination Manager (COLEM), and co-wrote a commercial radio licensing study manual with Gordon West, WB6NOA.

As a longtime member of the National Conference of Volunteer Examiner Coordinators (NCVEC) and its Question Pool Committee (QPC), which develops and maintains the question pools for amateur radio license exams, Fred was deeply involved in many of the changes in amateur radio licensing over the past quarter century. This includes the phased elimination of Morse code requirements for amateur licenses and the current system of three license classes, Technician, General and Amateur Extra.

A resident of Arlington, Texas, Fred was a graduate of the U.S. Air Force Radio Operator's School, and was first licensed as an amateur radio operator as a teenager in Rhode Island, where he grew up. He is survived by his wife, Doris, and two daughters. A memorial service will be held, 3:00pm, Saturday March 31, 2012 at Moore Funeral Home, 1219 North Davis Dr. ,Arlington, TX 76012.

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73 de KB9BVN
Brian Murrey

1264. 2m Spring Sprint, Monday, 4/9, 7 - 11 pm (Local Time)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-04-03 18:39:54 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1264 Message: 1264

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PO BOX 73

PALATINE, IL 60078-0073

And remember that snail-mailed logs must be RECEIVED BY (NOT postmarked by) the specified deadline for each event.Questions ? Email springvhfuhfsprints@... <mailto:springvhfuhfsprints@...>
This page last updated March 4, 2012

1265. INQP 2012

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-04-07 18:40:53 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1265 Message: 1265

FYI

And I would also like to wish Eveyone Friends and Family a Happy Easter

http://www.terrisfp1.com/holidays/chick.html
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[Indiana QSO Party]

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Contact <mailto:inqp@...?subject=Web%20Site%20Contact>

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Worked All Indiana Award

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Stay in Touch

You are invited to join the INQP reflector. <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/inqp> Post your questions about the INQP, make suggestions for next year, or just jump in the general discussion with other participants and the organizers.

1266. Titanic special event Stations

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-04-11 07:02:17 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1266 Message: 1266

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http://www.arrl.org/ <http://www.arrl.org/>

put in the Search Right top Titanic

Lots of Good Info I will also be checking some out

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1268. Microwave (902+) Spring Sprint, Saturday, 5/5, 6 am - 1 pm (Local Ti

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-04-26 22:28:28 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
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1269. QRP Fox Hunt Home Page

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-05-05 00:14:09 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1269 Message: 1269

FYI

PS I thought all Fox Hunts were QRP

73 De Don KA9QJG

HF foxhunting and Low power operation?

Have you ever gone on a fox hunt without a gun?

http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/ <http://www.qrpfoxhunt.org/>

1270. Indiana QSO Party

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-05-05 00:15:10 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1179 Message: 1270

FYI

73 De Don KA9QJG

Tomorrow at 1600 UTC (noon EDT) starts the 12 hours of the Indiana QSO Party. There will be lots of Indiana stations on (see the activity map at

www.hdxcc.org/inqp <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp>) but if you're not on the map yet, don't worry... You can still join in the fun. (take a look at the rules for exchange info, etc)

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Even if you make but one contact, please send in a log.... Tim N9LF is a wizard at deciphering electronic logs, so you can even use Excel (as long as the QSO info is there). If three or more from the same Indiana club send in logs, the club is eligible for the top club plaque. (note... HDXCC is not eligible and SMC is not an Indiana club).

Hope to work a lot of folks from the midwest tomorrow.

Mel KJ9C

1271. Re: [CQCQCQ] QRP Fox Hunt Home Page

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-05-05 03:20:20 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1269 Message: 1271

Fox hunts in my bailiwick are all done with 1 to 5 watts - often less
depending on the transmitter. Never more. Not much of a challenge
looking for a 50 watt
rig.

--- JHR ---

On 5/4/2012 8:14 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:

> PS I thought all Fox Hunts were QRP
>

1272.] Indiana QSO Party, Saturday, 5/6, Noon (EDT)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-05-05 18:58:09 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1272 Message: 1272

FYI

Even if you are not part of this As least get on the Air and Give some Contacts to The Hams who are

73 De Don KA9QJG

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http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/rules.html
<http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp/rules.html>
CQ INQP CQ INQP
Sponsored by HDXCCthe Hoosier DX and Contest Club

2012 Indiana QSO Party Rules
Objective: For Amateurs worldwide to contact as many stations in Indiana as possible on the 160, 80, 40, 20, 15 and 10 meter Amateur bands.

Date and Contest Period: Contest starts at 1600 UTC Saturday and ends at 0400 UTC Sunday the first full weekend of May. (Saturday noon to midnight EDT or 11am to 11pm CDT.) For 2012, this is May 5-6. All stations may operate the full 12- hour period.

Entry Categories:
Single-operator (High Power, Low Power or QRP). One person performs all logging, spotting, and operating functions.
Low Power is transmitter output of 100 watts or less.
QRP is transmitter output power of 5 watts or less.
Multi-operator single transmitter (Multi-Single). Only one signal is permitted on the air at any time.
Multi-Operator Multi-transmitter (Multi-Multi). Fixed stations (only) may operate without limit on the number of operators, transmitters or signals per band.
Mobile. Mobile is defined as a self-contained single or multi-operator station, capable of legal motion (land, water or air), motion optional. A mobile station that at any time uses a larger antenna incapable of being used in motion is considered a rover (see below).
Portable. A single transmitter station set up in a temporary location with temporary antennas (Field Day style). Portable stations may be either single or multiple operator.
Rover. A portable, or a mobile station using larger (non-mobile) antennas, that operates from more than one location.
A portable station may move (in entirety -- antennas included) to a new county or county line, thereby becoming a rover.
Rover stations may be worked again when they change counties (same as mobile stations).
Operation while mobile is permitted.
A county line mobile, portable, or rover may operate from only one or two counties at a time. In other words, three and four county operations are not allowed.
Multi-Multi entrants may transmit any number of signals simultaneously. All others may transmit only one signal on the air at any given time.
There is no "Assisted" category. Therefore, stations using spotting assistance shall enter as Multi-Single or Multi-Multi. Self-spotting is not permitted.
Fixed stations must enter as Single-operator, Multi-Single or Multi-Multi only.

Contest Exchange:
Indiana stations send RS(T) plus Indiana county.
Non-Indiana stations in the USA and Canada send RS(T) and state, province or territory.
All others (DX) send RS(T) only or RS(T) plus "DX".

Scoring:
QSO points:
Count one point for each complete two-way phone QSO.
Count two points for each complete two-way CW QSO.

Stations may be worked once in each mode (CW/phone) on each band (160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10). The same fixed station could theoretically be worked twelve times. Exception: Mobile and rover stations may be worked in each county of operation. For example, you may rework the same mobile station in both modes on every band every time the mobile moves to a new county.
Stations on county boundaries may be worked for multiple county credit (stations need not physically move to declare a new county). Contacts with such stations should be logged as multiple QSOs. For example, a contact with a mobile parked on the boundary between two counties should be logged as two QSOs, one for each county.
Non-Indiana stations may work only Indiana stations.
Repeater, cross-band and cross-mode contacts are not allowed.

Multipliers:
Non-Indiana stations:
The 92 Indiana counties (see Section 9).
Indiana stations:
The 92 Indiana counties (see Section 9).
The other 49 U.S. states (District of Columbia counts as Maryland).
The 13 Canadian Provinces/Territories: NB, NS, QC, ON, MB, SK, AB, BC, NT, NL, YT, PE and NU.
Multipliers count once per mode (i.e. once on CW and once on phone). This means you can double your possible mults by working both modes.
Indiana stations may work DX stations for QSO point credit, but there are no DX multipliers.

Final Scoring:
Multiply QSO points by total multipliers.

Example #1: KX9IO (in Indiana) has 354 non-duplicate CW QSOs with stations in 39 states/provinces and 27 Indiana counties and 292 non-duplicate SSB QSOs with stations in 41 states/provinces and 32 Indiana counties.
Total score = ((354 x 2) + 292) x (39 + 27 + 41 + 32)
Total score = 1000 x 139
Total score = 139, 000
Example #2: WX5ZR (outside Indiana) has 103 non-duplicate CW QSOs with stations in 24 Indiana counties and 42 non-duplicate SSB QSOs with stations in 12 Indiana counties.
Total score = ((103 x 2) + 42) x (24 + 12)
Total score = 248 x 36
Total score = 8928
Club Competition:
In addition to individual awards, there is an award for the Indiana Amateur Radio Club whose members turn in the highest total aggregate score.
Clubs must be legitimate radio clubs, meeting FCC requirements for club licensing. Clubs need not have a club license or be members of the Indiana Radio Club Council to qualify. The sponsor of Indiana QSO Party, currently the Hoosier DX and Contest Club, is not eligible for this award.

Logs turned in by a club's members must be for contacts made from within the state of Indiana for the Indiana QSO Party.
Club members must CLEARLY indicate only one club affiliation when submitting logs. Cabrillo format logs should show club affiliation in the log header lines. Submissions using other log formats should be suitably marked.
To be eligible for the club competition award, at least three club members must participate. One of the following conditions must be satisfied:
at least three club members submit individual logs meeting the above requirements for single operator logs, or
the club submits a single log for a multi-operator single transmitter (multi-single) station with at least three club members shown as operators, or
the club submits a combination of single and multi-single station logs to meet the minimum participation requirement.
It is not necessary for a log to be from a station using a club's call sign, although the activation of club stations is encouraged.

Awards:
The top scoring fixed station (high power, low power, and QRP), portable, rover, and mobile in Indiana and the top scoring station outside Indiana will receive plaques.
Plaques for the top Indiana Multi-Op and Multi-Multi entries may be awarded if activity warrants.
Plaques may also be awarded for top single operator entries from W1 and W7 call areas (New England QSO Party and 7QP).
Sponsors for additional plaques are always welecome. Contact HDXCC for additional information.
The top scoring club (aggregate score of three or more members' logs from Indiana operations) will receive a plaque.
Certificates for each entry category, each Indiana county, each state/province/territory and each country will be awarded where significant effort or competition is evident.

Log Submissions:
Computer generated logs must be submitted as an ASCII text file with Cabrillo format strongly preferred. Logs may be sent via e-mail to inqp@hdxcc.org <mailto:inqp@...> . Please name both the log file and your summary sheet file with your call (e.g., KJ9D.SUM, KJ9D.LOG, etc.).
Paper logs can be submitted by mail to HDXCC, c/o Mike Goode N9NS, 10340 Broadway, Indianapolis, IN 46280-1344.
Logs should be submitted no later than June 15, 2011.

Suggested Frequencies:
CW: 1.805 MHz and 30 kHz up from the band edge on 80-10 meters. A window for only mobiles to call CQ should be observed from 35 to 40 KHz up.
SSB: 1.845, 3.820, 7.190, 14.250, 21.300 and 28.400 MHz.
Try 160 meters at 0200 UTC.

Web Site: www.hdxcc.org/inqp <http://www.hdxcc.org/inqp> Please visit the web site for additional information including:
A list of Indiana counties and abbreviations
Indiana county map
Notes on compatible logging software
Mobile and county expedition plans

1273. Re: [CQCQCQ]] Indiana QSO Party, Saturday, 5/6, Noon (EDT)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-05-05 19:26:11 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1272 Message: 1273

On 5/5/2012 2:58 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:

> PS Remember We have More than Corn in Indaina You got Me LOL

Golly... now THAT is an invitation to poke some fun...

YOU can sure serve up a lot of CORN ... !

;-)

---------- James- K8JHR ----------

1274. Memorial Day

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-05-25 22:25:51 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1274 Message: 1274

I would like to Wish Everyone and Their Family and Friends a Happy and Safe Memorial Day Weekend, Let us never forget the ones who have sacrificed their lives for the freedom we all share

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_dIZM944H5g
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http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Memorial_day
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Memorial_day>

73 De Don KA9QJG

1275. Re: [CQCQCQ] Memorial Day

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-05-27 10:48:26 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1274 Message: 1275

Amen, Bruddah... amen.

========== JHR ==========

On 5/25/2012 6:25 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:
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Let us never forget the ones who have
> sacrificed their lives for the freedom we all share
>_____

1276. Happy Fathers Day 2012

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-06-17 13:04:30 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1276 Message: 1276

Just like to Wish all our Members Happy Fathers Day ,,, most Males can Be a Dad ,,,But it takes a Real Man to be a Father ,,Do Not forget to Pay our Respects to the Fathers We have all lost.... And Even if You do not get along with the Father You have Tell them You love them Anyway,,, We do not get a Chance to say or show that after they are gone ,,, They brought us into this World of course with a Little Help from a higher place ,,,

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Father's_Day
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Father's_Day>

73 Don KA9QJG

1277. CQ Idaho

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-06-21 02:02:07 UTC
From: james_nf8i
Topic: 1277 Message: 1277

If there are any Idaho hams out there, I need an Idaho QSO with QSL via LOTW to finish up WAS Basic. I'd prefer 40m, using any digital mode, but I'll do any band or any mode (even CW, if you can tolerate my poor CW skills).

My QTH is Maryland, and I'm happy to sked with anyone who needs a Maryland QSO as well.

Tnx es 73 de NF8I,

~James

1278. Field Day 2012

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-06-23 02:43:56 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1278 Message: 1278

FYI

Do Not Foget Fielday weekend get on the Air and say Hello to the ones out Getting eat up by Bugs Also gives you a chance to check out our Equipment

73 De Don KA9QJG

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ARRL Field Day!
Field Day is June 23-24, 2012

Is Field Day a contest, an emergency preparedness exercise, a public relations demonstration, a great event for clubs, or just a fun way to get on the air? Field Day is ALL these things! Hams set up away from commercial power and normal installations for 24 hours in June.

[ARRL Field Day!]

http://www.arrl.org/field-day <http://www.arrl.org/field-day>

1279. Happy and Safe 4Th of July 2012

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-07-03 19:31:33 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1279 Message: 1279

Like to wish all the Members and their Family and Friends a Safe 4th Of July Impendence Day ,, As Everyone know it is very HOT try and stay Cool and Drink plenty of Healthy Liquids Beware With Fireworks Safety,, Especially now with all the Heat and Dry Weather ,, Let the Pros do it Go Watch or Stay home with the Garden Hose watching your House as the Drunk Neighbors and Kids Set off the Fireworks

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Independence_Day_(United_States)
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Independence_Day_(United_States)>

Be Safe Enjoy

73 De Don KA9QJG

1280. Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy and Safe 4Th of July 2012

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-07-03 19:44:15 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1279 Message: 1280

> Let the Pros do it Go Watch or Stay home with the Garden Hose watching
> your House as the Drunk Neighbors and Kids Set off the Fireworks

Living in a rural area my closest neighbor is about 1/4 away.
But I really would hate to see all the corn between us burn up
since the crop duster just did it's thing yesterday. Sure gave my dog's a fit.

Back to working on the water well. Just came in for rest form the heat for
a while.

1281. Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy and Safe 4Th of July 2012

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-07-03 22:26:40 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1279 Message: 1281

THANKS ! AND RIGHT BACK ATCHA.

HAPPY TRAILS AND STAY SAFE, OM.

========== James - K8JHR ==========

On 7/3/2012 3:31 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:
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> July Impendence Day ,

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1282. RE: [CQCQCQ] Happy and Safe 4Th of July 2012

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-07-03 23:06:34 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1279 Message: 1282

Richards , Great to Hear from You ,, Hope You and the Family are doing Well
You have been Missing in Action,,, I tell everyone Richards is a Great Guy
Just Misunderstood ,,, It is like the Movie with Tom Cruise A Few Good Man

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8hGvQtumNAY

We have some like that too LOL

73 Have a Great 4th

Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
Richards
Sent: Tuesday, July 03, 2012 5:27 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy and Safe 4Th of July 2012

THANKS ! AND RIGHT BACK ATCHA.

HAPPY TRAILS AND STAY SAFE, OM.

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On 7/3/2012 3:31 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:
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1283. RE: [HamRadioHelpGroup] Happy and Safe 4Th of July 2012

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-07-04 00:09:34 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 1283 Message: 1283
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

And I would like to echo Don□s sentiments. As well I would like to thank personally all the vet, active duty, guard and reserve men and women who have served so that we could celebrate this holiday. In your honor HOORAH!!!!

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
GMRS Licensee WQOW801

PopComm Monitoring Station KPC0JPO

John Murphy
"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

Am. Leg. Post 253, White Shield, ND

AFMARS Nothwest Area, Region 8

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Mountrail County (ND) ARES/RACES

Owner, Oil Country Radio□s

701-421-1134

New Town, ND 58763

Business Email: <mailto:ocr58763@mail.com> ocr58763@...

Personal Email: <mailto:jmurphy7411@...> jmurphy7411@...

From: HamRadioHelpGroup@yahoogroups.com
[mailto:HamRadioHelpGroup@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg1
Sent: Tuesday, July 03, 2012 2:59 PM
To: HamRadioHelpGroup@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [HamRadioHelpGroup] Happy and Safe 4Th of July 2012

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Be Safe Enjoy

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1284. Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy and Safe 4Th of July 2012

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-07-04 05:08:24 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1279 Message: 1284

Thank you, Don... you have a good take on it !

Things are going well. I worked a couple of special
remote events, including Museum Ship Weekend a month
ago, have been traveling, and have also working on a
few projects not ham related. Will be doing some car
shows with the MINI, and one with the Z-4 M roadster
during July, with a friend who is an engineer with
Chrysler. He says he is working on a project insiders
call the "big gas engine" -- say it fast and you'll
catch on... ;-)

So, staying busy and having fun in several directions.
Happy days to ya.

========== JHR ==========

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1285. 10-10 Phone Contest August 4-5, 2012

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-08-02 20:25:36 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1285 Message: 1285

FYI

10-10 International was set up yrs ago to Promote the Use of Ten Meters
As Most know the Band is Silent most of the Time,,, BUT A lot of times
because People believe that a Bunch will just set and Listen Example the
calling Freq 28.400 Then all of a sudden someone will call CQ C And Find
that Hey the band is Open

http://www.ten-ten.org/ <http://www.ten-ten.org/>

http://www.ten-ten.org/calendar.html
<http://www.ten-ten.org/calendar.html>

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS You work 10 10-10 Members and You get assigned Your Very own 10-10
Number Mine is 50699

Been awhile since I posted anything But we have had Record Breaking
Heat over 100 Deg in N/W Indiana ,, I hope others are doing OK and
Staying Healthy Check on all Your Friends and Relatives

1286. My life.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-09-08 08:51:49 UTC
From: Gary Lane
Topic: 1286 Message: 1286

I am sending this e-mail to everyone, since my daughter Karla decided to stick her nose in my buisness once again. Patty and I have had our share of problems, some of them are just as much my fault as well as a lot of help from people sticking their nose where it does not belong. There is a reason that I love her and always go back to her. That is our buisness, and our buisness only, we do not care who has a problem with it, we are happy. Thanks to my daughters, Pam forwarding her naked pictures and of course the follower Kat, I am done with facebook! If you are one of those who want to stir up trouble and talk bad about Patty, then there is no room for you in my life, please go away and worry about your own life. If you care enough about me to be happy for me, then thank-you for being a real friend. My real friends do not talk trash on the internet about the woman that I intend to marry! There will be no more internet contact, tired of the drama and lies about Patty, I have lied myself about her because I was mad. I intend to make up for that to her, that way no-one can accuse her of hacking or anything else. Guess my daughters will have to take up a new passtime!

1287. Re: [CQCQCQ] My life.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-09-08 18:53:46 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1286 Message: 1287

Obviously bogus spam...

but I used to see loads of this type of message when
I was a divorce lawyer...

At least it is something different for a change, eh fellers ?

========== K8JHR ==========

On 9/8/2012 4:51 AM, Gary Lane wrote:
> I am sending this e-mail to everyone, since my daughter Karla decided to ...

1288. Re: [CQCQCQ] My life.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-09-08 19:06:41 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1286 Message: 1288

Yes you are 100 per cent correct.
But just look at the address of the sender of that spam.

It's a web based email address (yahoo, gmail, hotmail)
that had been hijacked.

That is why you will never, ever find a member of any of
the list I control using such. They will use that ISP address
or they are gone.

I can not find a single ISP that does not also offer some type
of web based email. Therefor removing the need for a YAHOO,
GMAIL or HOTMAIL type account

Having said that there is no reason whatsoever to ask why my list
are spam free...

John, W0JAB

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>Yahoo! Groups Links
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1289. Re: My life.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-09-08 19:51:30 UTC
From: james_nf8i
Topic: 1286 Message: 1289

The reason, since you bring it up, is so that I can change ISPs without changing my email address. It is the same reason why they have laws regarding telephone number portability: freedom of choice.

This is exactly why I will never again use an email account provided by my ISP.

(Also, as a computer security professional, I have no idea what possible correlation there could be between a free, web-based service and a compromised password. Do people always use stronger passwords just because the email account is part of their ISP package?)

73 de NF8I,

~James

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>
> John, W0JAB

1290. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: My life.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-09-08 22:32:52 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1286 Message: 1290

As a "as a computer security professional" maybe you can come up with a
way to keep yahoo users from getting their account hijacked twice a day.

There is a lot of money to be made there. (hint hint)

Out of my field I'm a retired broadcast engineer. That includes many years in
the 2 way radio service. I just hold the 1st class radiotelephone with RADAR
endorsement not an AMATEUR EXTRA (but I do know and use CW) .

John, W0JAB

At 02:51 PM 9/8/2012, you wrote:
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>~James

1291. RE: [CQCQCQ] My life.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-09-09 02:26:12 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1286 Message: 1291

Sorry The Spam Came in Normally it is caught ,,,, I was out Working on a Repeater Ant No one Is Moderated Everyone is an Adult ,,

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, September 08, 2012 1:54 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] My life.

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1292. Re: [CQCQCQ] My life.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-09-09 04:44:11 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1286 Message: 1292

Ah.... shoot. Nobody is blaming you, Don. I only commented because
it was nice to see something different.

But I wonder whether it was really a serious message, intended for
different audience. I cannot imagine what purpose could be served by
spamming the list with that sort of drivel. Why would anybody send that
sort of blub to US ? Even as spam, it seems particularly worthless.

So, drive on, great one. Thanks for moderating a good group.

---------- K8JHR ----------

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1293. RE: [CQCQCQ] My life.

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-09-09 07:18:57 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1286 Message: 1293

You are Right Especially to a Bunch of Hams Most of us have a Reputation of Being Cheap,, We build our own things we know who has all the Money on this List Na names given to protect the innocent Ha Ha

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Saturday, September 08, 2012 11:44 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] My life.

Ah.... shoot. Nobody is blaming you, Don. I only commented because it was nice to see something different.

But I wonder whether it was really a serious message, intended for different audience. I cannot imagine what purpose could be served by spamming the list with that sort of drivel. Why would anybody send that sort of blub to US ? Even as spam, it seems particularly worthless.

So, drive on, great one. Thanks for moderating a good group.

---------- K8JHR ----------

On 9/8/2012 10:26 PM, ka9qjg wrote:
> Sorry The Spam Came in Normally it is caught ,,,, I was out Working on a
> Repeater Ant No one Is Moderated Everyone is an Adult ,,
>

1294. Boy Scout JOTA

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-10-01 21:24:43 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1294 Message: 1294

FYI

If You can Help E-Mail Him Direct RogerH rthavlick@...
<mailto:rthavlick@...>

I am just the Messenger

73 De Don KA9QJG

I am looking for a licensed HAM operator to assist with the JOTA (Jamboree on the Air) on Oct, 20, 2012 at the Green Valley Forest Preserve in Naperville Il. We will have two Boy Scout Troops working on the Radio Merit Badge and participating in the JOTA. We already have a licensed operator who is also a Radio Merit Badge Counselor. He will be conducting the class and teaching the boys about the world of Ham Radio. We will have a large group of boys and could use some assistance. The boys will be split in two groups. One group will be learning how to properly use the radio with hands on experience, while the other group is doing some class room work. They will then change places later in the day. If you are willing to volunteer you will be helping these boys gain an interest into your hobby. We will gladly provide lunch. Please re post this message on any local Ham Groups.

Roger

1295. Happy Thanksgiving

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-11-21 23:05:06 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1295 Message: 1295

I would just like to take a little Time and Wish Everyone and Their Family a Very Happy Thanksgiving Our Thoughts and Prayers go out to all on the East Coast who are Homeless due to the Storm and To all Our Service People around the World

Have a piece of Pie on Me but you cook it http://tinyurl.com/y2fg33\ <http://tinyurl.com/y2fg33/>

And a Turkey too http://tinyurl.com/3gkerl <http://tinyurl.com/3gkerl>

The Turkey is what gets stuffed not you

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Thankgiving <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Thankgiving>

73 De Don

KA9QJG

1296. Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy Thanksgiving

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-11-21 23:27:34 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1295 Message: 1296

Yeah same to ya.

I'll pass on the 'tinyurl" link.

My security system has had nothing but fits with them.
But again that just may explain why nobody uses them anymore.

John.

1298. FW:

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-12-10 22:05:07 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1298 Message: 1298

I Have NO IDEA What this is I got in My E-Mail I Will NOT Be clicking on
it But DELETEING IT I suggest If You get something like this Too DELETE It

Don

-----Original Message-----
From: Daniel Baker [mailto:km6cq@...]
Sent: Monday, December 10, 2012 3:47 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com; techbabe4u@...; KB9YGD@yahoogroups.com;
dnaitems@...; joeprice@...; ka9qjg@...;
dandollfbi@...; r.toby@...; h-sheets@...
Subject: FW:

1299. Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year. 2013

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2012-12-31 21:25:47 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1299 Message: 1299

I wish everyone a Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year.

Prayers and a Big Thank You to all our Service People around the World

73 De Don KA9QJG

Happy Scanning

Once the fireworks start you can add to it by moving your mouse around
and clicking on the screen.

http://www.icq.com/img/friendship/static/card_16961_rs.swf
<http://www.icq.com/img/friendship/static/card_16961_rs.swf>

1302. Re: [CQCQCQ] TS-990 Series to be launched next month

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-01-12 06:00:33 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1300 Message: 1302

What does it do that I cannot do with my current rigs?

---------- James -K8JHR ----------

On 1/11/2013 5:10 PM, ab9qu@... wrote:
>
>
> They had it at Dayton last year. I don't think many will have the cash
> for this one. I don't. Bill AB9QU
>
> ----------

1303. RE: [CQCQCQ] TS-990 Series to be launched next month

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-01-12 14:34:27 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 1300 Message: 1303
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Exactly!!!

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy

GMRS Licensee WQOW801

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Owner, Oil Country Radio’s

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Business Email: <mailto:ocr58763@...> ocr58763@...

Personal Email: <mailto:jmurphy7411@...> jmurphy7411@gmail.com

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Friday, January 11, 2013 11:01 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] TS-990 Series to be launched next month

What does it do that I cannot do with my current rigs?

---------- James -K8JHR ----------

On 1/11/2013 5:10 PM, ab9qu@... <mailto:ab9qu%40comcast.net> wrote:
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>
> They had it at Dayton last year. I don't think many will have the cash
> for this one. I don't. Bill AB9QU
>
> ----------

1304. (no subject)

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-01-29 22:40:16 UTC
From: Rick
Topic: 1304 Message: 1304

http://gazetevatan.co/emails.php?negative291.png

Best wishes,
n8nkn@aol.com
1/29/2013 11:40:15 PM

1305. RE: [CQCQCQ]

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-01-30 00:30:05 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1304 Message: 1305

DO NOT CLICK ON THIS I Have NO Idea What it is or How it Got In Be SAFE Just Delete

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Rick
Sent: Tuesday, January 29, 2013 4:40 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com; craigr@...; crcook@...
Subject: [CQCQCQ]

http://gazetevatan.co/emails.php?negative291.png

Best wishes,
n8nkn@... <mailto:n8nkn%40aol.com>
1/29/2013 11:40:15 PM

1306. Re: [CQCQCQ]

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-01-30 03:51:08 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1304 Message: 1306

I am sure it is just spam - somebody hijacked his email.
Rick N6NKN is a very stand up guy and would never send
anything knowingly. Perhaps an email heads up will
give him an opportunity to take preventive measures.

He is one of the best internet Elmers I know.

---------- James -K8JHR ----------

On 1/29/2013 7:30 PM, ka9qjg wrote:
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>
> *DO NOT CLICK ON THIS I Have NO Idea What it is or How it Got In Be SAFE
> Just Delete *
>
>_____

1307. RE: [CQCQCQ]

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-01-30 06:20:19 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1304 Message: 1307

Yes I agree I sent the Info To Him I Just Did NOT Want anyone to click on it

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Tuesday, January 29, 2013 9:51 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ]

I am sure it is just spam - somebody hijacked his email.
Rick N6NKN is a very stand up guy and would never send
anything knowingly. Perhaps an email heads up will
give him an opportunity to take preventive measures.

He is one of the best internet Elmers I know.

---------- James -K8JHR ----------

On 1/29/2013 7:30 PM, ka9qjg wrote:
>
>

1308. hey

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-01-31 15:32:14 UTC
From: luis mena
Topic: 1308 Message: 1308

hey have a look http://bit.ly/WhBsC4

luis

1309. Amateur radio frequency allocations

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-04 06:46:03 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1309 Message: 1309

FYI I hope Everyone is off to a Great and Healthy 2013 10 Meters DX has really been open in My ara N/W In Near Chicago

When you do Not have a Life Like Me Except Ham radio and Computers I have Plenty of Time to Search and Find things of Interest and Went I do I Share them with You

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS Now if Some read this When we get on the Air We can make People think We know What we are Talking about LOL And somemaylike it Better when i sllep late so you will Not get all this E-Mail PLEASE Do not shhot the Messenger

Amateur radio frequency allocations

Amateur radio frequency allocation <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Frequency_allocation> is done by national telecommunications authorities. Globally, the International Telecommunication Union <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/International_Telecommunication_Union> (ITU) oversees how much radio spectrum <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radio_spectrum> is set aside for amateur radio <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio> transmissions. Individual amateur stations are free to use any frequency within authorized frequency ranges; authorized bands may vary by the class of the station license.

Radio amateurs use a variety of transmission modes, including Morse code <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Morse_code> , radioteletype <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radioteletype> , data, and voice. Specific frequency allocations vary from country to country and between ITU regions <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ITU_region> as specified in the current ITU HF frequency allocations <http://life.itu.int/radioclub/rr/hfband.htm> for amateur radio. The modes and types of allocations within each range of frequencies is called a bandplan <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bandplan> , and may be set by international agreements, national regulations, or agreements between amateur radio operators.

National authorities regulate amateur usage of radio bands. Some bands may not be available or may have restrictions on usage in certain countries or regions. International agreements assign amateur radio bands which differ by region.[1] <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_n\ote-1> [2] <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_n\

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Band characteristic Medium frequency

See also: Medium frequency
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Medium_frequency>

* 160 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/160-meter_band> □
1.8-2 MHz(1800□2000 kHz) □ Often taken up as a technical
challenge; as long distance (DX) propagation tends to be more difficult
due to higher D-layer ionospheric absorption. Long distance propagation
tends to occur only at night, and the band can be notoriously noisy
particularly in the summer months. 160 meters is also known as the "top

band". Allocations in this band vary widely from country to country.
This band lies just above the commercial AM broadcast band
*
* High frequency

See also: High frequency <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/High_frequency>

* 80 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/80-meter_band> ☐ 3.5-4
MHz (3500☐4000 kHz) ☐ Best at night, with significant daytime
signal absorption. Works best in winter due to atmospheric noise in
summer. Only countries in the Americas and few others have access to all
of this band, in other parts of the world amateurs are limited to the
bottom 300 kHz or less. In the US and Canada the upper end of the
sub-band from 3600☐4000 kHz, permits use of single-sideband voice as
well as amplitude modulation, voice ; often referred to as 75 meters.
* 60 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/60-meter_band> ☐ 5 MHz
region ☐ A relatively new allocation and originally only available
in a small number of countries such as the United States, United Kingdom
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_Kingdom> , Ireland
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ireland> , Norway
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Norway> , Denmark
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Denmark> , and Iceland
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Iceland> , but now continuing to expand.
In most (but not all) countries, the allocation is channelized and may
require special application. Voice operation is generally in upper
sideband <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Upper_sideband> mode and in the
USA it is mandatory.
* 40 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/40-meter_band> ☐
7.0☐7.3 MHz ☐ Considered the most reliable all-season DX band.
Popular for DX at night, 40 meters is also reliable for medium distance
(1500KM) contacts during the day. Much of this band was shared with
broadcasters, and in most countries the bottom 100 kHz or 200 kHz are
available to amateurs. However, due to the high cost of running high
power commercial broadcasting facilities; decreased listener-ship and
increasing competition from net based international broadcast services,
many 'short wave' services are being shut down leaving the 40 meter band
free of other users for amateur radio use.
* 30 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/WARC_bands> ☐
10.1☐10.15 MHz ☐ a very narrow band, which is shared with
non-amateur services. It is recommended that only Morse Code
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Morse_Code> and data transmissions be
used here, and in some countries amateur voice transmission is actually
prohibited. Not released for amateur use in a small number of countries.
Due to its location in the centre of the shortwave spectrum, this band
provides significant opportunities for long-distance communication at
all points of the solar cycle. 30 meters is a WARC band
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/WARC_bands> . "WARC" bands are so called
due to the special World Administrative Radio Conference
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/World_Administrative_Radio_Conference>
allocation of these newer bands to amateur radio use. Amateur radio

contests are not run on the WARC bands.
* 20 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/20-meter_band> □
14.0□14.35 MHz □ Considered the most popular DX band; usually
most popular during daytime. QRP
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/QRP_operation> operators recognize 14.060
MHz as their primary calling frequency in that band. Users of the PSK31
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/PSK31> data mode tend to congregate
around 14.071 MHz. Analog SSTV
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Slow-scan_television> activity is
centered around 14.230 MHz.
* 17 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/WARC_bands> □
18.068□18.168 MHz □ Similar to 20m, but more sensitive to solar
propagation minima and maxima. 17 meters is a WARC band
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/WARC_bands> .
* 15 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/15-meter_band> □
21□21.45 MHz □ Most useful during solar maximum, and generally a
daytime band. Daytime sporadic-E propagation (1500 km) occasionally
occurs on this band.
* 12 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/WARC_bands> □
24.89□24.99 MHz □ Mostly useful during daytime, but opens up for
DX <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/DXing> activity at night during solar
maximum. 12 meters is one of the new WARC bands
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/WARC_bands> .
* 10 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/10-meter_band> □
28□29.7 MHz □ Best long distance (e.g., across oceans) activity
is during solar maximum <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Solar_maximum> ;
during periods of moderate solar activity the best activity is found at
low latitudes. The band offers useful short to medium range groundwave
propagation, day or night. During the late spring and most of the
summer, regardless of sunspot numbers, afternoon short band openings
into small geographic areas of up to 1500 km occur due to Sporadic-E
propagation <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sporadic_E_propagation> .
"Sporadic-E" is caused by areas of intense ionization in the E layer of
the ionosphere. The causes of Sporadic-E are not fully understood, but
these "clouds" of ionization can provide short term propagation from 17
meters all the way up to occasional 2 meter openings.
*
* Propagation Characteristics above HF
*

While "line of sight" propagation
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Line-of-sight_propagation> is a primary
factor for range calculation, much of the interest in the bands above HF
comes from use of other propagation modes. A VHF signal transmitted from
a hand-held portable will typically travel about 5-10 km
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1_E3_m> depending on terrain. With a low
power home station and a simple antenna, range would be around 50 km
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1_E4_m> . With a large antenna system like
a long yagi <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Yagi_antenna> , and higher

power (typically 100 or more watts) contacts of around 1000 km <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1_E5_m> using the CW (Morse code) and SSB (Single Side Band) modes are common. Ham operators seek to exploit the limits of the frequencies usual characteristics looking to learn, understand and experiment with the limits of these enhanced propagation modes. They also seek to take advantage of "band openings" where due to natural occurrences in the atmosphere and ionosphere radio transmission distances can extend well over their normal range. Many hams listen for hours hoping to take advantage of these occasional extended propagation 'openings'.

Some openings are caused by islands of intense ionization of the upper atmosphere known as the E Layer ionosphere <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ionosphere> . These islands of intense ionization are called 'Sporadic E' <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sporadic_E_propagation> and result in erratic but often strong propagation characteristics on the 'low band' VHF radio frequencies. The 6 meter amateur band falls into this category, often called 'The Magic Band', 6 meters will often 'open up' from one small area into another small geographic area 1000□1700 km away during the spring and early summer months. This phenomenon occurs during the fall months, although not as often.

Band openings are sometimes caused by a weather <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Weather> phenomenon known as a tropospheric 'inversion' <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Inversion_(meteorology)> , where a stagnant high pressure area causes alternating stratified layers of warm and cold air generally trapping the colder air beneath. This may make for smoggy/foggy days but it also causes VHF/UHF radio transmissions to travel or duct along the boundaries of these warm/cold atmospheric layers. Radio signals have been known to travel hundreds, even thousands of kilometers due to these unique weather conditions. For example: The longest distance reported contact due to tropospheric refraction on 2 meters is 4754 km between Hawaii <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hawaii> and a ship south of Mexico <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mexico> . There were reports of the reception of one way signals from Réunion <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/R%C3%A9union> to Western Australia <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Western_Australia> , a distance of more than 6000 km.[3] <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_n\ote-3>

F2 and TE band openings from other ionospheric reflection/refraction modes, or sky-wave <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sky-wave> propagation as it is known can also occasionally occur on the low band VHF frequencies of 6, 4 and very rarely on 2 meters (high band VHF) during extreme peaks in the 11 year sunspot cycle. The longest terrestrial contact ever reported on 2 meters (146mhz) was between a station in Italy and a station in South Africa, a distance of 7784 km, using

anomalous enhancement (TE) of the ionosphere over the geomagnetic equator. This enhancement is known as TE, or trans-equatorial propagation and (usually) occurs at latitudes 2500□3000 km within either side of the equator.[4]
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_n\ote-4>

Other less frequently used modes are tropospheric scatter, moon bounce and Aurora Borealis (Northern Lights) and amateur radio satellite <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_satellite> .

Using relatively high power, usually over 1000 watts and a high gain antenna, 'Tropo-scatter' <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tropospheric_scatter> (water droplets and dust particles can refract a VHF/UHF signal over the horizon) propagation will give marginal enhanced over-the-horizon VHF and UHF communications of up to 300 miles (450 km). During the 1970s commercial 'scatter site' operators using huge parabolic antennas and high power used this mode successfully for telephone communications services into remote Alaska and Canadian northern communities. Satellite, buried fiber optic and terrestrial microwave access have relegated Tropo-scatter to the history books. Because of high cost and complexity this mode is usually out of reach for the average amateur radio operator.

Moon Bounce <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/EME_(communications)> : Using moderately high power (more than 500 watts) and a fairly large antenna, amateurs do successfully communicate by bouncing their signals off the surface of the moon. Round-trip path loss is on the order of 270dB for 70cm signals. Return signals are weak and distorted because of the relative velocities of the transmitting station, moon and the receiving station. The moon's surface is also very rocky and irregular. Moon bounce communications use either digital modes, for example JT65 <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/WSJT_(Amateur_radio_software)> , designed for working with weak signals, or CW Morse code <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Morse_code> .

Aurora <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radio_propagation#Auroral_backscatter> : An intense solar storm causing aurora borealis (Northern Lights) will also provide occasional HF-low band 6 meter VHF propagation enhancement. Aurora only occasionally affects 2 meters. Signals are often distorted and on the lower frequencies give a curious 'watery sound' to normally propagated HF signals. Peak signals usually come from the north, even though the station you are talking to is east or west of you. Most noticeable in the northern latitudes above 45 degrees.

Satellite <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_satellite> : Not really a propagation mode, but an active repeater system. Satellites have been highly successful in providing VHF/UHF/SHF users 'propagation' beyond the horizon. The ISS which has amateur radio repeaters and radio location services on board is a good example. Amateurs have also

sponsored the launch of dozens of communications satellites since the 1970s. These satellites are usually known as OSCARs <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/OSCAR> (Orbiting Satellite Carrying Amateur Radio).

Amateur television

Main article: Amateur television <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_television>

Amateur television (ATV) is the hobby <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Hobby> of transmitting broadcast <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Broadcasting> - compatible video <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Video> and audio <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sound_reproduction> by amateur radio. It also includes the study and building of such transmitters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Transmitter> and receivers <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Receiver_(radio)> and the propagation <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wave_propagation> between these two.

In NTSC <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/NTSC> countries, ATV operation requires the ability to use a 6 MHz wide channel. All bands at VHF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/VHF> or lower are less than 6 MHz wide, so ATV operation is confined to UHF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ultra_high_frequency> and up. Bandwidth requirements will vary from this for PAL <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/PAL> and SECAM <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/SECAM> transmissions.

ATV operation in the 70 cm band is particularly popular, because the signals can be received on any cable-ready television. Operation in the 33 cm and 23 cm bands is easily augmented by the availability of various varieties of consumer-grade wireless video devices that exist and operate in unlicensed frequencies coincident to these bands.

Repeater ATV operation requires specially-equipped repeaters.

See also slow-scan television <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Slow-scan_television> .

Below the MW broadcast band

See also 500 kHz <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/500_kHz> and 2200 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2200-meter_band>

Historically, amateur stations have rarely been allowed to operate on frequencies lower than the medium-wave <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Medium-wave> broadcast band <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/AM_broadcasting> , but in recent times, as the historic users of these low frequencies have been vacating the spectrum, limited space has opened up to allow for new amateur radio allocations and special experimental operations. Since the 500 kHz band is no longer used for marine communications, some countries permit

experimental amateur radio radiotelegraph operations in that band. The 2200-meter band is available for use in several countries, and the 2007 World Radiocommunication Conference <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/World_Radiocommunication_Conference> (WRC-07) made it a world wide amateur allocation. Before the introduction of the 2200-meter band in the UK in 1998, operation on the even lower frequency of 73 kHz had been allowed between 1996 and 2003.

ITU Region 1

ITU Region 1 corresponds to Europe, Russia, Africa and the Middle East. For ITU region 1, Radio Society of Great Britain <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radio_Society_of_Great_Britain> 's band plan <http://www.rsgb.org/spectrumforum/bandplans/RSGB%20Band%20Plan%20master\.htm> will be more definitive (click on the buttons at the bottom of the page).

* Low Frequency (LF) (30 to 300 kHz)

* 2200 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2200_meters> (135.7 kHz to 137.8 kHz)

* Very High Frequency (VHF) (30 to 300 MHz)

* 4 metres <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/4_metres> (70 to 70.5 MHz), UK and some other ITU Region 1 countries

Table of Amateur MF and HF Bandplans

The following charts show the voluntary bandplans used by amateurs in Region 1. Unlike the USA, slots for the various transmission modes are not set by the amateur's license but most users do follow these guidelines.

160 Metres

See also: 160-meter band <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/160-meter_band>

160 Metres <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/160_meters>

1810 1838

1838 1840

1840 1843

1843 2000

IARU Region 1

IARU Region 2

1800□1840

IARU Region 3

1800□1840

Note: Region 2 QRP/DX window is 1830-1850

80 Metres

See also: 80-meter band <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/80-meter_band>

80 Metres <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/80_meters>

3500 3580

3580 3600

3600 3620

3620 3800

IARU Region 1

60 Metres

60 Metres <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/60-meter_band>

5258.5

5278.5

5288.5

5366.5

5371.5

5398.5

5403.5

United Kingdom <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_Kingdom>

Note: 60 Meter emissions are limited to UK NoV-endorsed Full licence
holders only

in 3 kHz channels with the specified lower frequency limits, 200 watts

] 60 Metres - Norway and Denmark

60 Metres <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/60-meter_band>

start

5310.0

5335.0

5355.0

5375.0

5403.5

end

Norway <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Norway>

Denmark <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Denmark>

5260.0 5250.0

CW calling

QRP

Digimode

Nat. Call USB

Int. Call USB

5410.0 5450.0

Note: 60 Meter band in Norway is 5260 ☐ 5410 kHz, in Denmark 5250
☐ 5450 kHz.

Danish stations have to apply for a special research-license and are limited to 1 kW ERP <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Effective_radiated_power> . Both countries can use VFO/allmode.

] 40 Metres

40 Metres <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/40_meters>

7000 7040

7040 7050

7050 7060

7060 7100

7100 7200

7200 7300

IARU Region 1

As of March, 2009, 7100-7200 were allocated to Amateur radio on a primary basis by ITU. Yet, there are countries that haven't yet expanded their national Amateur radio service bandplan to cover that portion. In ITU region 2, 7200-7300 is allocated to amateur radio service as secondary.

30 Metres

30 Metres <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/30_meters>

10100 10140

10140 10150

IARU Region 1

20 Metres

20 Metres <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/20_meters>

14000 14070

14070 14099

B

14101 14350

IARU Region 1

17 Metres

17 Metres <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/17_meters>

18068 18095

18095 18109

B

18111 18168

IARU Region 1

15 Metres

15 Metres <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/15_meters>

21000 21070

21070 21110

21110 21120

21120 21149

B

21151 21450

IARU Region 1

12 Metres

12 Metres <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/12_meters>

24890 24915

24915 24929

B

24931 24990

IARU Region 1

10 Metres

10 Metres <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/10_meters>

28000 28070

28070 28190

B

28225 29200

29200 29300

29300 29510

29510 29700

IARU Region 1

Satellite D/L

Key

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> and data (<200 Hz bandwidth)

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> , RTTY <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radioteletype> and data (< 500 Hz Bandwidth)

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> , RTTY <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radioteletype> , data, NO SSB (<2.7 kHz)

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> , phone and image (<3 kHz bandwidth) SECONDARY

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> , phone and image (<3 kHz bandwidth)

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> , data, packet, FM, phone and image (<20 kHz bandwidth)

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> , RTTY <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radioteletype> , data, test, phone and image

= Reserved for satellite downlink

= Reserved for beacons

] ITU Region 2

ITU region 2 consists of the Americas, including Greenland. The
frequency allocations for United States
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States> hams in ITU Region 2 are:

ITU band

Band name

Frequencies (MHz)

Lower end

Upper end

5 - LF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Low_frequency>

2200 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2200_meters>

135.7 kHz

137.8 kHz

6 - MF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Medium_Frequency>

160 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/160_meters>

1.8

2.0

7 - HF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/High_Frequency>

80 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/80_meters>

3.5

4.0

60 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/60-meter_band>

Channelized - 5.332, 5.348, 5.358.5, 5.373, 5.405 MHz, modes see below
[1]
<http://www.arrl.org/files/file/Regulatory/Recommended_Practices_Version\
_6_5.pdf>)

40 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/40_meters>

7.0

7.3

30 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/30_meters>

10.1

10.15

20 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/20_meters>

14

14.35

17 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/17_meters>

18.068

18.168

15 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/15_meters>

21

21.45

12 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/12_meters>

24.89

24.99

10 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/10_meters>

28

29.7

8 - VHF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Very_High_Frequency>

6 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/6_meters>

50

54

2 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2_meters>

144

148

1.25 meters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1.25_meters>

219

220

222

225

9 - UHF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ultra_High_Frequency>

70 centimeters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/70_centimeters>

420

450

33 centimeters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/33_centimeters>

902

928

23 centimeters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/23_centimeters>

1240

1300

13 centimeters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/13_centimeters>

2300

2310

2390

2450

10 - SHF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Super_High_Frequency>

9 centimeters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/9_centimeters>

3300

3500

5 centimeters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/5_centimeters>

5650

5925

3 centimeters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/3_centimeters>

10000

10500

1.2 centimeters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1.2_centimeters>

24000

24250

11 - EHF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Extremely_High_Frequency>

6 millimeters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/6_millimeters>

47000

47200

4 millimeters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/4_millimeters>

75500

81000

2.5 millimeters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2.5_millimeters>

119980

120020

2 millimeters <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2_millimeters>

142000

149000

1 millimeter <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1_millimeter_(RF_band)>

241000

250000

(ARRL 60-Meter Operations[2]
<http://www.arrl.org/files/file/Regulatory/Recommended_Practices_Version\
_6_5.pdf>

Regarding 60-meter band, Effective 5 March 2012 the FCC has permitted CW, USB, and certain digital modes on these frequencies. The National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA) is the primary user of the 60-meter band. The FCC Report and Order permits the use of digital modes that comply with emission designator 60H0J2B, which includes PSK31 as well as any RTTY signal with a bandwidth of less than 60 Hz. The Report and Order also allows the use of modes that comply with emission designator 2K80J2D, which includes any digital mode with a bandwidth of 2.8 kHz or less whose technical characteristics have been documented publicly, per Part 97.309(4) of the FCC Rules. Such modes would include PACTOR I, II or III, 300-baud packet, MFSK, MT63, Contestia, Olivia, DominoEX and others. On 60 meters hams are restricted to only one signal per channel and automatic operation is not permitted. In addition, the FCC continues to require that all digital transmissions be centered on the channel-center frequencies, which the Report and Order defines as being 1.5 kHz above the suppressed carrier frequency of a transceiver operated in the Upper Sideband (USB) mode. As amateur radio equipment displays the carrier frequency, it is important for operators to understand correct frequency calculations for digital

"sound-card" modes to ensure compliance with the channel-center requirement.

The ARRL <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ARRL> has a detailed band plan <http://www.arrl.org/FandES/field/regulations/bandplan.html> for US hams showing allocations within each band.

RAC <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radio_Amateurs_of_Canada> has a chart showing the frequencies available to amateurs in Canada <http://www.rac.ca/regulatory/allband.htm> .

Table of Amateur MF and HF Allocations in the United States and Canada

160 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/160_meters>

1800□2000

Canada <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Canada>

United States <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States>

1800 2000

General, Advanced, Extra

80 / 75 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/80_meters>

3500 - 4000

Canada <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Canada>

United States <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States>

3500 3525

3525 3600

3600 3700

3700 3800

3800 4000

Novice / Technician

General

Advanced

Extra

60 m

5330 - 5406

United States <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States>

5330.5

5346.5

5357.0

5371.5

5403.5

General, Advanced, Extra

Note: US licensees operating 60 m are limited to 100 watts PEP ERP relative to a 1/2 wave dipole, on the carrier frequencies indicated on this chart

40 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/40_meters>

7000 - 7300

Canada <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Canada>

United States <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States>

7000 7025

7025 7125

7125 7175

7175 7300

Novice / Technician

General

Advanced

Extra

30 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/30_meters>

10100 10150

Canada <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Canada>

United States <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States>

Note: US limited to General, Advanced and Extra

licensees; 200 watts PEP

20 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/20_meters>

14000 - 14350

Canada <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Canada>

United States <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States>

14000 14025

14025 14150

14150 14175

14175 14225

14225 14350

General

Advanced

Extra

17 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/17_meters>

18068 - 18168

Canada <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Canada>

United States <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States>

18068 18110

18110 18168

General, Advanced, Extra

15 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/15_meters>

21000 - 21450

Canada <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Canada>

United States <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States>

21000 21025

21025 21200

21200 21225

21225 21275

21275 21450

Novice / Technician

General

Advanced

Extra

12 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/12_meters>

24890 - 24990

Canada <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Canada>

United States <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States>

24890 24930

24930 24990

General, Advanced, Extra

10 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/10_meters>

28000 - 29700

Canada <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Canada>

United States <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/United_States>

28000 28300

28300 28500

28500 29700

Novice / Technician

General, Advanced, Extra

Note: The 10 meter table is one-third scale, relative to the other tables

Key

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> , RTTY <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radioteletype> and data (US: < 1 kHz Bandwidth)

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> , RTTY <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radioteletype> , data, MCW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Modulated_continuous_wave> , phone (AM and SSB) and image (narrow band sstv modes only)

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> , phone and image

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> and SSB <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Single-sideband_modulation> phone (US: Novice/Technician 200 watts PEP only)

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> , RTTY <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radioteletype> , data, phone and image

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> (US: Novice/Technician 200 watts PEP only)

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> , Upper sideband suppressed carrier phone, 2.8 kHz bandwidth (2K80J3E) data (60H0J2B and 2K80J2D), 100 watts ERP referenced to 1/2 wave dipole

= CW <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Continuous_wave> , RTTY <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Radioteletype> and data (US: < 1 kHz Bandwidth, Novice/Technician 200 watts PEP)

ITU Region 3

ITU region 3 consists of Australia, New Zealand, the South Pacific, and Asia south of Siberia. The IARU Region 3 Bandplan [5] <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_n\ote-5>

The Wireless Institute of Australia has charts for Amateur frequencies for Australia. <http://www.wia.org.au/members/bandplans/data/>

The New Zealand Association of Radio Transmitters (NZART) has charts for Amateur frequencies and repeater lists for New Zealand. <http://www.nzart.org.nz/maps/index.html>

The Japanese have charts for Amateur frequencies in Japan <http://www.jarl.or.jp/English/6_Band_Plan/JapaneseAmateurBandplans20090\330.pdf>

Space Operations

See also: amateur radio satellite <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_satellite>

Radio amateurs may engage in satellite <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Satellite> and space craft <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Space_craft> communications; however, the frequencies allowed for such activities are allocated separately from more general use radio amateur bands.

Under the International Telecommunication Union <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/International_Telecommunication_Union> 's rules, all amateur radio operations may only occur within 50 kilometres (31 mi) of the Earth's surface. As such, the Amateur Radio Service is not permitted to engage in satellite operations; however, a sister radio service, called the Amateur Satellite Service, exists which allows satellite operations for the same purposes as the Amateur Radio Service. In most countries, an amateur radio license conveys operating privileges in both services, and in practice, the legal distinction between the two services is transparent to the average licensee. The primary reason the two services are separate is to limit the frequencies available for satellite operations. Due to the shared nature of the amateur radio allocations internationally, and the nature of satellites to roam worldwide, the ITU does not consider all amateur radio bands appropriate for satellite operations. Being separate from the Amateur Radio Service, the Amateur Satellite Service receives its own frequency allocations. All the allocations are within amateur radio bands, and with one

exception, the allocations are the same in all three ITU regions <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ITU_region> . Some of the allocations are limited by the ITU in what direction transmissions may be sent (EG: "Earth-to-space" or up-links only).

All amateur satellite operations occur within the allocations tabled below, except for AO-7 <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/AO-7> , which has an up-link from 432.125 MHz to 432.175 MHz.

International amateur satellite frequency allocations

Range

Band

Letter1

Allocation[6] <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_n\ote-FCCTable-6>

Preferred sub-bands2

User status[6] <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_n\ote-FCCTable-6>

Notes[6] <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_n\ote-FCCTable-6>

HF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/High_Frequency>

40 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/40-meter_band>

7.000 MHz - 7.100 MHz

Primary

20 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/20-meter_band>

14.000 MHz - 14.250 MHz

Primary

17 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/17-meter_band>

18.068 MHz - 18.168 MHz

Primary

Entire amateur radio band

15 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/15-meter_band>

H

21.000 MHz - 21.450 MHz

Primary

Entire amateur radio band

12 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/12-meter_band>

24.890 MHz - 25.990 MHz

Primary

Entire amateur radio band

10 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/10-meter_band>

A

28.000 MHz - 29.700 MHz

29.300 MHz - 29.510 MHz

Primary

Entire amateur radio band

VHF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Very_High_Frequency>

2 m <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2-meter_band>

V

144.000 MHz - 146.000 MHz

145.800 MHz - 146.000 MHz

Primary

UHF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ultra_High_Frequency>

70 cm <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/70-centimeter_band>

U

435.000 MHz - 438.000 MHz

NIB3

23 cm <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/23-centimeter_band>

L

1.260 GHz - 1.270 GHz

NIB3

Only uplinks allowed

13 cm <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/13-centimeter_band>

S

2.400 GHz - 2.450 GHz

2.400 GHz - 2.403 GHz

NIB3

SHF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Super_High_Frequency>

9 cm <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/9-centimeter_band>

S2

3.400 GHz - 3.410 GHz

NIB3

Not available in ITU region 1.

5 cm <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/5-centimeter_band>

C

5.650 GHz - 5.670 GHz

NIB3

Only uplinks allowed

5.830 GHz - 5.850 GHz

Secondary

Only downlinks allowed

3 cm <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/3-centimeter_band>

X

10.450 GHz - 10.500 GHz

Secondary

1.2 cm <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1.2-centimeter_band>

K

24.000 GHz - 24.050 GHz

Primary

EHF <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Extremely_High_Frequency> 4

6 mm <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/6-millimeter_band>

R

47.000 GHz - 47.200 GHz

Primary

Entire amateur radio band

4 mm <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/4-millimeter_band>

76.000 GHz - 77.500 GHz

Secondary

77.500 GHz - 78.000 GHz

Primary

78.000 GHz - 81.000 GHz

Secondary

2 mm <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/2-millimeter_band>

134.000 GHz - 136.000 GHz

Primary

Entire amateur radio band

136.000 GHz - 141.000 GHz

Secondary

1 mm <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/1-millimeter_band>

241.000 GHz - 248.000 GHz

Secondary

Entire amateur radio band

248.000 GHz - 250.000 GHz

Primary

1 AMSAT band letters. Not all bands have been assigned a letter by AMSAT.
2 For some allocations, satellite operations are predominately concentrated in a sub-band of the allocation.
3 Footnote allocation. Use is only allowed on a non-interference basis to other users, as per ITU footnote 5.282.[6] <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_n\ote-FCCTable-6>
4 No amateur satellite operations have yet occurred at EHF; however,

AMSAT's P3E
<http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=AMSAT-Phase_3E&action=edit&re\
dlink=1> is planned to have an R band down-link.

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37

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<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_r\
ef-3> http://df5ai.net/ArticlesDL/HadleyCellProp.pdf
<http://df5ai.net/ArticlesDL/HadleyCellProp.pdf>

4. ^
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ef-5> http://www.jarl.or.jp/iaru-r3/ <http://www.jarl.or.jp/iaru-r3/>

6. ^ a
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_r\
ef-FCCTable_6-0> b
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_r\
ef-FCCTable_6-1> c
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_r\
ef-FCCTable_6-2> d
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Amateur_radio_frequency_allocations#cite_r\
ef-FCCTable_6-3> "FCC Online Table of Frequency Allocations"

<http://transition.fcc.gov/oet/spectrum/table/fcctable.pdf> (PDF). 47 C.F.R.. Federal Communications Commission. 2 June 2011. http://transition.fcc.gov/oet/spectrum/table/fcctable.pdf <http://transition.fcc.gov/oet/spectrum/table/fcctable.pdf> . Retrieved 4 August 2011.

1310. ARES

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-08 14:37:49 UTC
From: worksntv@...
Topic: 1310 Message: 1310

Question:

Does anyone know of any HF ARES nets that pertain to Pennsylvania?

73'

Bob Reynolds
WB3DYE

1311. RE: [CQCQCQ] ARES

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-08 19:22:31 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1310 Message: 1311

Bob lots of Good Info Here http://tinyurl.com/aj9ls97

Hope That Helps

73 De Don KA9QJG

Subject: [CQCQCQ] ARES

Question:

Does anyone know of any HF ARES nets that pertain to Pennsylvania?

73'

Bob Reynolds
WB3DYE

1312. RE: [CQCQCQ] ARES

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-08 20:11:03 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1310 Message: 1312

At 01:22 PM 3/8/2013, you wrote:

>Bob lots of Good Info Here <http://tinyurl.com/aj9ls97>http://tinyurl . . . . .

Don what's the "full" URL ?

for some reason my system has a fit with tinyurl system.

John

1313. RE: [CQCQCQ] ARES

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-08 23:37:34 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1310 Message: 1313

Hello I know some have a Hard time when they are Long THAT IS Why I Convert Them Try this Let Me if That Works

https://www.google.com/#hl=en
<https://www.google.com/#hl=en&sugexp=les%3B&gs_rn=5&gs_ri=psy-ab&tok=5ySrxInZmlhdBqcALsWFXg&cp=41&gs_id=2&xhr=t&q=HF+ARES+nets+that+pertain+to+Pennsylvania&es_nrs=true&pf=p&output=search&sclient=psy-ab&oq=HF+ARES+nets+that+pertain+to+Pennsylvania&gs_l=&pbx=1&fp=1&biw=1280&bih=890&bav=on.2,or.r_qf.&cad=b>
&sugexp=les%3B&gs_rn=5&gs_ri=psy-ab&tok=5ySrxInZmlhdBqcALsWFXg&cp=41&gs_id=2&xhr=t&q=HF+ARES+nets+that+pertain+to+Pennsylvania&es_nrs=true&pf=p&output=search&sclient=psy-ab&oq=HF+ARES+nets+that+pertain+to+Pennsylvania&gs_l=&pbx=1&fp=1&biw=1280&bih=890&bav=on.2,or.r_qf.&cad=b

OR just go to GOOGLE https://www.google.com/

I do not Know why is Shows More than Just This http://tinyurl.com/aj9ls97

And Put in This---------- HF ARES nets that pertain to Pennsylvania

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of John Becker
Sent: Friday, March 08, 2013 2:11 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] ARES

At 01:22 PM 3/8/2013, you wrote:

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John

1314. OT Old Beer Commercial

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-09 19:35:19 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1314 Message: 1314

Old Beer Commercial I got From Our Member Len N9JKT ,, WOW I have not had a Drink or a Cig in over 20 Yrs And My wife of 46 yrs Would always Hide the Mic when I went out with My Friends to Drink LOL I do think I still hear a Few Drunks Behind the Mic on Ham Radio

PS I checked Every Call I could Read in This QTH Below,,, NON Was Valid I do Not know if They are all Silent Keys or Valid

[OLD Ham Radio beer add , But I have not Had any Booze in over 20 Yrs , My wife use to Hide the Mic when I would go out So I would not comed home drunk and get on the Radio LOL]

1315. Re: [CQCQCQ] OT Old Beer Commercial

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-09 19:59:54 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1314 Message: 1315

A wife that would bring in a "bottle" with glass. Has got to be an "endangered species". I got to get my own in a can.

but it has got to be the warmest room in the house with all that tube equipment.

1316. RE: [CQCQCQ] OT Old Beer Commercial

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-09 20:29:42 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1314 Message: 1316

That is Funny John ,, My 46 Yr wedding Anv Will Be the16 Th of March
They Just Do not Make many Like Her anymore ,,,Of Course She was only 17 So
She was Well trained I hope She Never reads this Ha Ha

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
John Becker
Sent: Saturday, March 09, 2013 2:00 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] OT Old Beer Commercial

A wife that would bring in a "bottle" with glass. Has got to be an
"endangered species". I got to get my own in a can.

but it has got to be the warmest room in the house with all that
tube equipment.

1317. RE: [CQCQCQ] OT Old Beer Commercial

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-09 20:44:05 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1314 Message: 1317

Probably all Silent keys. In the lower left corner in the Schlitz add you can see the year of 1952. WOW I did not see that before that would of made Me 6 Yrs Old

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ka9qjg1
Sent: Saturday, March 09, 2013 1:35 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] OT Old Beer Commercial

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OLD Ham Radio beer add , But I have not Had any Booze in over 20 Yrs , My wife use to Hide the Mic when I would go out So I would not comed home drunk and get on the Radio LOL
<http://sphotos-b.xx.fbcdn.net/hphotos-ash3/s480x480/555036_10200248580510452_1546402606_n.jpg>

1318. RE: [CQCQCQ] OT Old Beer Commercial

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-09 20:55:36 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1314 Message: 1318

me too going on 6. DOB DEC 6 1946

At 02:44 PM 3/9/2013, you wrote:

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>73 De Don KA9QJG

1319. Re: [CQCQCQ] ARES

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-10 17:25:45 UTC
From: worksntv@...
Topic: 1310 Message: 1319

Thank u!

In a message dated 3/8/2013 3:22:50 P.M. Eastern Daylight Time,
KA9QJG@... writes:

Bob lots of Good Info Here _http://tinyurl.com/aj9ls97_
(http://tinyurl.com/aj9ls97)
Hope That Helps
73 De Don KA9QJG

Subject: [CQCQCQ] ARES

Question:

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73'

Bob Reynolds
WB3DYE

1320. 706 for 30 meters?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-17 18:47:01 UTC
From: worksntv@...
Topic: 1320 Message: 1320

I have an Icom 706mk2g...Is there a cheap and dirty way to open the transmit to 30 meters?

73'

Bob Reynolds
WB3DYE

1321. RE: [CQCQCQ] 706 for 30 meters?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-17 22:00:34 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 1320 Message: 1321
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Bob,

In case you haven□t received an answer yet, there is a Yahoo group that is
all about the 706mk2g radio: http://groups.yahoo.com/group/IcomIC706mk2g/

You might ask over there. Just a suggestion.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy

GMRS Licensee WQOW801

PopComm Monitoring Station KPC0JPO
"When all else fails...Amateur Radio"

ARES/RACES/AFMARS Nothwest Area, Region 8

Owner, Oil Country Radio□s

701-421-1134

Business Email: <mailto:ocr58763@...> ocr58763@...

Personal Email: <mailto:jmurphy7411@...> jmurphy7411@...

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
worksntv@...
Sent: Sunday, March 17, 2013 12:47 PM
To: nts-epa@yahoogroups.com; freewheelersnet@yahoogroups.com;
jd1@...; CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com; HamRadioHelpGroup@yahoogroups.com;
AmateurRadioEtc@yahoogroups.com; Amateur-repairs@yahoogroups.com;
carbonarc-admin@...; paham@...
Subject: [CQCQCQ] 706 for 30 meters?

I have an Icom 706mk2g...Is there a cheap and dirty way to open the transmit
to 30 meters?

73'

Bob Reynolds
WB3DYE

1322. RE: [CQCQCQ] 706 for 30 meters?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-03-17 23:34:47 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1320 Message: 1322
Attachments: 3 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

I think you are referring to the 60 Meter Mod I think everything else should
Work Just putting Your Request into Google came up with lots of Info

Icom 706MK2 MODS http://tinyurl.com/c97j3j2

http://qex.net.tripod.com/mods/icom/ic-706.htm

I did My Mod a long time ago worked Fine As Always USE Caution and Have
the Right Tools and Good Eyesight Something I have lost over the Yrs And
Everyone Please Be careful Old age is catching

Good Luck

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS Do Not Transmit on the Chicken Band LOL

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of
John Murphy
Sent: Sunday, March 17, 2013 5:01 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [CQCQCQ] 706 for 30 meters?

Bob,

In case you haven□t received an answer yet, there is a Yahoo group that is
all about the 706mk2g radio: http://groups.yahoo.com/group/IcomIC706mk2g/

You might ask over there. Just a suggestion.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy

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Business Email: <mailto:ocr58763@...> ocr58763@...

Personal Email: <mailto:jmurphy7411@...> jmurphy7411@...

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of worksntv@...
Sent: Sunday, March 17, 2013 12:47 PM
To: nts-epa@yahoogroups.com; freewheelersnet@yahoogroups.com; jd1@...; CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com; HamRadioHelpGroup@yahoogroups.com; AmateurRadioEtc@yahoogroups.com; Amateur-repairs@yahoogroups.com; carbonarc-admin@...; paham@...
Subject: [CQCQCQ] 706 for 30 meters?

I have an Icom 706mk2g...Is there a cheap and dirty way to open the transmit to 30 meters?

73'

Bob Reynolds
WB3DYE

1323. test

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-04-03 09:11:15 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 295 Message: 1323

test - please disregard

-------- K8JHR ----------

1324. RE: [CQCQCQ] test

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-04-03 19:04:17 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 295 Message: 1324

OK The Prosecution Rest ,, You Know how Someone will Shout something out Then The judge Will tell the Jury to Ignore it OK But it is still out there HA HA

73 De Don KA9QJG

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Richards
Sent: Wednesday, April 03, 2013 4:11 AM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [CQCQCQ] test

test - please disregard

-------- K8JHR ----------

1325. Re: [CQCQCQ] test

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-04-03 21:31:13 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 295 Message: 1325

Yes ! Exactly! A classic ploy.

The jury will please disregard the skunk in the jury box...

That one tickled me, Don.

---------- JHR ----------

On 4/3/2013 3:04 PM, ka9qjg wrote:

> OK The Prosecution Rest ,, You Know how Someone will Shout
> something out Then The judge Will tell the Jury to Ignore it OK But it
> is still out there HA HA
>

1326. Re: [CQCQCQ] test

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-04-03 22:36:19 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 295 Message: 1326

I think that everyone knows that if then wait -
they will see something.

-OR-

log into yahoo and see if their still a member of the list in question.

I need to see why my email program did not block it as it should have.
As it does post with the subject DIGEST MESSAGE # XXXXX

1327. Happy and Safe Memorial Day Weekend

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-05-25 17:39:47 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1327 Message: 1327

Just like to Wish All Members, Readers Your Family and Friends a Happy
and
Safe Memorial Day Weekend - please keep in mind while you have fun with
your
family and friends or maybe get some free time to enjoy your radio and
the
bands that Freedom isn't FREE. Please thank those that serve and protect
us
and keep in mind those that gave the ultimate sacrifice so we can enjoy
our
Freedom.

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Memorial_day
<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Memorial_day>

1328. Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy and Safe Memorial Day Weekend

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-05-25 19:21:44 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1327 Message: 1328

Amen, and well said, brother.

Happy days, y'all.

---------- James -K8JHR ----------

On 5/25/2013 1:39 PM, ka9qjg1 wrote:
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>
> Just like to Wish All Members, Readers Your Family and Friends a Happy and
> Safe Memorial Day Weekend - please keep in mind while you have fun with your
> family and friends or maybe get some free time to enjoy your radio and the
> bands that Freedom isn't FREE. Please thank those that serve and protect us
> and keep in mind those that gave the ultimate sacrifice so we can enjoy our
> Freedom.
>
> 73 De Don KA9QJG
> _____

1329. Vanity HQ will close its doors soon

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-08-28 20:18:12 UTC
From: ka9qjg1
Topic: 1329 Message: 1329

I know most have heard of Vanity Hq. I have Not used their Service
But was Notified they are closing Down

73 De Don KA9QJG

http://www.vanityhq.com/ <http://www.vanityhq.com/>

Vanity HQ will close its doors soon, probably in a couple of days. It's
been a good 14 years. Thank everyone for participating, sending bug
reports and comments, and I especially thank all the elmer volunteers
who have helped me over the years. It is time for me to move on. Regards
to all. Michael - N4MC

1330. Re: [CQCQCQ] Vanity HQ will close its doors soon

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-08-28 20:54:18 UTC
From: ab9qu@...
Topic: 1329 Message: 1330

POO! That was a good site.
Bill AB9QU

----- Original Message -----

From: "ka9qjg1" <KA9QJG@...>
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wednesday, August 28, 2013 3:18:12 PM
Subject: [CQCQCQ] Vanity HQ will close its doors soon

I know most have heard of Vanity Hq. I have Not used their Service But was Notified they are closing Down

73 De Don KA9QJG

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1331. CW Sked with Idaho, Maine, Washington and LoTW QSL?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-09-08 02:35:32 UTC
From: james_nf8i
Topic: 1331 Message: 1331

Hello all,

Anyone in Idaho, Maine, or Washington available for a CW sked? Those are the last three states I need for the ARRL Triple Play award. I will need QSLs via LoTW for the contact to count for the award.

Thanks!

73 de NF8I,

~James

1332. Happy Thanksgiving

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-11-26 20:21:21 UTC
From: <KA9QJG@...>
Topic: 731 Message: 1332

I would like to Wish All the Members Their Family and Friends a Wonderful Happy and Safe Thanksgiving, Please Be Thankful and thank about the ones who have less, And Thankful for all our Troops all over the World

73 De Don KA9QJG

Your Card http://www.jacquielawson.com/viewcard.asp?code=WQ26144948
http://www.jacquielawson.com/viewcard.asp?code=WQ26144948

And One More http://www.jacquielawson.com/viewcard.asp?code=HY27482779
http://www.jacquielawson.com/viewcard.asp?code=HY27482779

1333. Re: [CQCQCQ] Happy Thanksgiving

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2013-11-26 23:41:09 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 731 Message: 1333

Thank you and I hope your holiday is safe and pleasant. Happy days, OM.

---------- K8JHR ----------

KA9QJG@... wrote:

>
> I would like to Wish All the Members Their Family and Friends a
> Wonderful Happy and Safe Thanksgiving,

> Your Card....
>
> _____

1334. Work DX

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-01-18 18:15:12 UTC
From: <mr_norm_1999@...>
Topic: 1334 Message: 1334

Its out there..

1335. Work DX...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-01-18 18:33:56 UTC
From: <mr_norm_1999@...>
Topic: 1335 Message: 1335

Its out There!

1336. INTERNATIONAL SPACE STATION

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-04-06 21:28:55 UTC
From: worksntv@...
Topic: 1336 Message: 1336

There are a lot of apps that will predict when a pass will happen over a ham's QTH but most of them are for "sighting" the ISS overnight.
Does anyone know of an app that will give ISS locations over one's QTH during the day?

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

1337. TECH BOOK?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-06-20 16:45:29 UTC
From: worksntv@...
Topic: 1337 Message: 1337

I have a 13 year old grandson who is interested in getting into Ham radio.
My question is: What do u suggest is the best instruction manual for him.

You input would be appreciated! ;-)

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

1338. RE: [CQCQCQ] TECH BOOK?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-06-20 16:52:39 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 1337 Message: 1338

Bob,

If he is tech savvy (and what young boy isn□t these days), I would suggest he start by looking on the internet, including one of the sites that have free ham test preparation. If you need a Tech book, I would recommend the Gordon West Technician study guide. Of course the ARRL Study guides are good, however (and this is just my opinion) I think the Gordon West books are a little better at explaining things in simpler, plain language that teens can understand.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy, B.S. C.J.; B.S. BusMgmt; MBA Marketing

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Personal Email: <mailto:jmurphy7411@...> jmurphy7411@...

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, June 20, 2014 10:45 AM
To: KX9X@...; k3ytl@yahoogroups.com; ng3f@...;
scrantonpoconoamateurradioklub@yahoogroups.com; carbonarc@yahoogroups.com;
oldbuzzardsradioclub@yahoogroups.com; 10m@...;
CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com; nts-epa@yahoogroups.com;
freewheelersnet@yahoogroups.com; HamRadioHelpGroup@yahoogroups.com;
RACES@yahoogroups.com; amateurradioetc@yahoogroups.com;
AmateurRadioEtc@yahoogroups.com; paham@...
Subject: [CQCQCQ] TECH BOOK?

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Bob
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1339. Re: [CQCQCQ] TECH BOOK?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-06-20 21:41:32 UTC
From: ab9qu@...
Topic: 1337 Message: 1339

I had both the ARRL and G West books and The Gordon West audio disks. I preferred the Gordon West material. Taking the online tests are very helpful. I also used Ham University for my extra.
73
Bill. AB9QU

Sent from Xfinity Connect Mobile App
Results not excuses

1340. Re: TECH BOOK?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-06-21 03:21:50 UTC
From: nf8i@...
Topic: 1337 Message: 1340

The best recommendation I can make for all 3 license classes is the No-Nonsense Study Guide by KB6NU:

No-Nonsense Study Guides - KB6NU's Ham Radio Blog' http://www.kb6nu.com/tech-manual/

It's a set of 3 PDFs, one for each license level, that walk you through everything you need to know for each level, and you can't beat the price!

73 de NF8I,
~James

http://www.kb6nu.com/tech-manual/

No-Nonsense Study Guides - KB6NU's Ham Radio Blog http://www.kb6nu.com/tech-manual/
No-Nonsense Study Guides The Extra Class study guide is now available!

View on www.kb6nu.com http://www.kb6nu.com/tech-manual/
Preview by Yahoo

1341. Re: [CQCQCQ] TECH BOOK?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-06-21 04:13:04 UTC
From: K8JHR
Topic: 1337 Message: 1341

The ARRL books are geared to explain what you need to know to pass the exam IN A WIDER, EXPLAINED CONTEXT. That context is necessary to give the exam question and answer material context so the reader knows what the exam answer relates to in real life operating.

I would recommend the ARRL books, including the new one about building your first station.

---------- JHR ----------

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> 73'
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> Bob
> WB3DYE
>
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>

1342. Re: [CQCQCQ] TECH BOOK?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-06-21 04:15:32 UTC
From: K8JHR
Topic: 1337 Message: 1342

With due respect for JM's take, I found the Gordon West
books are little more than the exam questions, plus the answers,
and some, but very little explanation in context. A simple comparison
of the two books will tell you that.

But that is just MY take... others may differ.

Happy days.
----------JHR ----------

On 6/20/2014 12:52 PM, 'John Murphy' jmurphy7411@... [CQCQCQ] wrote:
I think the
> Gordon West books are a little better at explaining things in simpler,
> plain language that teens can understand.
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>_____

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1343. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: TECH BOOK?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-06-21 04:38:47 UTC
From: K8JHR
Topic: 1337 Message: 1343

YES, DAN'S STUFF WILL GET THE KID THROUGH THE EXAM
BUT IT WON'T EXPLAIN THE MATERIAL IN A BROADER
CONTEXT AS THE ARRL BOOKS DO. Passing the test without]
knowing how the information relates to the broader
activities and aspects of ham radio will get the kid
a license, and not tell him very much more.

So... you decide, just help him pass the exam, or help him understand it
in context as he passes the exam.

---------- JHR ----------

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> No-Nonsense Study Guides - KB6NU's Ham Radio Blog'
> <http://www.kb6nu.com/tech-manual/>
>
> It's a set of 3 PDFs, one for each license level, that walk you through
> everything you need to know for each level, and you can't beat the price!
>
> 73 de NF8I,
> ~James
>
>
> image <http://www.kb6nu.com/tech-manual/>
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> No-Nonsense Study Guides - KB6NU's Ham Radio Blog
> <http://www.kb6nu.com/tech-manual/>
> No-Nonsense Study Guides The Extra Class study guide is now available!
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> View on www.kb6nu.com <http://www.kb6nu.com/tech-manual/>
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> Preview by Yahoo
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1344. RE: [CQCQCQ] Re: TECH BOOK?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-06-21 04:52:40 UTC
From: ka9qjg
Topic: 1337 Message: 1344

Richards ,,, it sure is Nice to See You out Here Helping again,,,, Hope You and the family are doing Well,,,,, I finally Got My 3 Repeaters on the Air Working ok ,, and the Only P-25 Digital Mix Mode in the State of Indiana ,,, I am not a big fan of Digital But I lot of the new Hams wanted to Get into that mode , That is Why I set Repeaters up For hams that have Ant Restrictions and just Hts and Mobiles a Chance to be able to talk to each other and Meet and make new friends ,

And trying to keep the Old 67 yr old Mind active . Got the ol Jon boat ready and a bunch of Grandkids at last Count 27 Grand and 14 great ready to go Fishing a Couple at a time Lol

73 De Don KA9QJG

PS and Yes Everyone getting in to this Wonderful Hobby Should learn all about Equipment that can Kill you and how to use it Properly I always wanted to know why I missed the Question , What was the correct answer and Why

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, June 20, 2014 11:39 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: TECH BOOK?

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> 73 de NF8I,
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1345. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: TECH BOOK?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-06-21 04:58:58 UTC
From: K8JHR
Topic: 1337 Message: 1345

Hi Don - nice to hear from you, also. Wow... that is A LOT of grand kids! You will be fishing for months at that pace! Can I go too?

Great news on getting the repeaters up. We had someone with a stuck key on one of our 17-linked repeater sites today, and it stopped just before we found it by direction finding (like a fox hunt) - it was a blast, but I wanted to find it before it resolved itself. At least we had a nice lunch together.

(And yes, Susan is doing very well, also!)

I will be putting a 6 meter Moxon up over the weekend... maybe I can hit you with it someday.

Great to hear from you . Happy days and stay safe.

---------- James - K8JHR ----------

On 6/21/2014 12:52 AM, 'ka9qjg' KA9QJG@... [CQCQCQ] wrote:
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> Richards ,,, it sure is Nice to See You out Here Helping again,,,,
> Hope You and the family are doing Well,,,,, I finally Got My 3 Repeaters
> on the Air Working ok ,, and the Only P-25 Digital Mix Mode in the
> State of Indiana ,,, I am not a big fan of Digital But I lot of the
> new Hams wanted to Get into that mode , That is Why I set Repeaters
> up For hams that have Ant Restrictions and just Hts and Mobiles a
> Chance to be able to talk to each other and Meet and make new friends ,
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> And trying to keep the Old 67 yr old Mind active . Got the ol Jon boat
> ready and a bunch of Grandkids at last Count 27 Grand and 14 great
> ready to go Fishing a Couple at a time Lol
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1346. RE: [CQCQCQ] TECH BOOK?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-06-21 14:19:27 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 1337 Message: 1346

And no offense taken JHR, as each of us have our own opinion, esp. when it comes to the ham tests.

Good to see you are still alive and kickin□. The other day my brother and I were talking about you, so your ears must have been red hot. We were wondering what has become of you.

Take care.

73 de KCØJPO/AFA8JP
John Murphy, B.S. C.J.; B.S. BusMgmt; MBA Marketing

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From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, June 20, 2014 10:16 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [CQCQCQ] TECH BOOK?

With due respect for JM's take, I found the Gordon West books are little more than the exam questions, plus the answers, and some, but very little explanation in context. A simple comparison of the two books will tell you that.

But that is just MY take... others may differ.

Happy days.
----------JHR ----------

On 6/20/2014 12:52 PM, 'John Murphy' jmurphy7411@... [CQCQCQ] wrote:
I think the
> Gordon West books are a little better at explaining things in simpler,

> plain language that teens can understand.
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>_____

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1347. Re: [CQCQCQ] Re: TECH BOOK?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-06-21 15:02:41 UTC
From: nf8i@...
Topic: 1337 Message: 1347

Hey, no need to yell.

Yes, the ARRL makes some decent books. But an alternative viewpoint is, there's no need to spend money on the fickle interests of a teenage boy until you know that it's more than a passing curiosity. Besides, the exams aren't the end of knowledge. They are the beginning, the start of the journey into all that is ham radio.

I used the ARRL books way back when, but I didn't understand what any of it *really* mean until working with an Elmer and actually getting on the air. If a new ham has good Elmering (a necessity, really, no matter how good any study material may be), then there's no particular need for the ARRL books because the Elmer will help with the context.

73 de NF8I,
~James

1348. Re: [CQCQCQ] TECH BOOK?

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-06-21 17:22:14 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1337 Message: 1348

A big problem with a lot of the stuff will get you to pass the test BUT will you
know anything other then the answers to the questions.

John, W0JAB

1349. An X-Class solar flare

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2014-09-11 18:26:04 UTC
From: worksntv@...
Topic: 1349 Message: 1349

An X-Class solar flare — the most dangerous kind — erupted from the sun toward Earth today at 1:46 p.m. EDT from Active Region 2158.

Read more:
http://www.businessinsider.com/how-to-watch-extreme-solar-flare-2014-9#ixzz3D25dEQHG

1350. Happy New Year

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2015-01-01 04:07:58 UTC
From: KA9QJG@...
Topic: 931 Message: 1350

I wish all the Members . Family and Friends a Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year. If You are still sober at Midnight and see the computer screen have fun

Once the fireworks start you can add to it by moving your mouse around and clicking on the screen.

http://www.icq.com/img/friendship/static/card_16961_rs.swf
http://www.icq.com/img/friendship/static/card_16961_rs.swf
Happy Scanning
73 De Don KA9QJG

1351. HF NETS

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2015-01-25 15:23:09 UTC
From: worksntv@...
Topic: 1351 Message: 1351

Anyone have a good list of HF nets? I have found some including the list put out by ARRL

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

1352. Re: [CQCQCQ] HF NETS

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2015-01-25 15:25:46 UTC
From: John Becker
Topic: 1351 Message: 1352

That is about as good as you can get.

John, W0JAB

On 1/25/2015 9:23 AM, worksntv@... [CQCQCQ] wrote:
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1353. Re: [CQCQCQ] HF NETS

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2015-01-26 02:11:22 UTC
From: Richards
Topic: 1351 Message: 1353

Google is your friend. Just do a web search using various multiple search strings and you should soon be overwhelmed with choices ! Seems like www.dxzone.com has good leads to net lists, but there are dozens of lists on the web easy enough to find.

Good luck.

---------- JHR ----------

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> Anyone have a good list of HF nets? I have found some including the
> list put out by ARRL

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1354. Work DX..its out there!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2015-02-28 20:55:50 UTC
From: norman.triantafilos@...
Topic: 1354 Message: 1354

Go here and look...LINK: KB9YGD Callsign Page http://www.qrz.com/db/KB9YGD

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KB9YGD Callsign Page http://www.qrz.com/db/KB9YGD Norman P Triantafilos, KB9YGD personal biography

View on www.qrz.com http://www.qrz.com/db/KB9YGD
Preview by Yahoo

1355. ALPHA DELTA ANTENNAS

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2015-04-12 18:24:23 UTC
From: worksntv@...
Topic: 1355 Message: 1355

I have an Alpha Delta multi band antenna up as an inverted V--and fed with low oss 50 ohm cable---
http://www.dxengineering.com/parts/alf-dx-lb

The best SWR I can get on 80 is 3 to 1---on 3.835, going up band SWR is higher although tuner seems to handle it----down band SWR is extremely high and tuner won't help----40 meters is fine..Anyone have suggestions? I am going to move one "leg" to another angle, hoping that there is some interactions between the elements.

73'

Bob
WB3DYE

1356. Echolink/Kb9ygd

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2015-04-22 21:29:12 UTC
From: norman.triantafilos@...
Topic: 1356 Message: 1356

I use Echolink and have my vhf station as a remote base link and its Kb9ygd-L (node 161291) in the echolink directory and outputs on 146.520 or 52.525 at 35 watts when i have it on and using echolink you can use my station as if you were here to contact me or others here locally or any place on earth.
Im on 52.525,146.520,224.500,and 446.000 everyday.

1357. Amateur Radio Newsline is Back! Report #1967 is online!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2015-07-11 05:09:39 UTC
From: James
Topic: 1357 Message: 1357

I am happy to announce that Amateur Radio Newsline is back and it feels good!!

We're hoping to come in around 18 minutes each week in 2 segments instead of nearly 30 minutes in 3 segments. We're a little shorter than that this week at around12 minutes, Bill, Skeeter and Don talked about making ARNewsline a bit shorter and more modern sounding in a conversation before Bill passed, Bill was in agreement.

The entire newsline team would like to remind you that there are many ways to listen and/or read the weekly news reports, you can go straight to the ducks mouth and visit www.arnewsline.org where you can get the Text, RSS, iTunes and the MP3 version of the weekly newscasts.

Another way is to become a member of the Facebook Group at
www.facebook.com/groups/ARNewsline/
Not only do you get the weekly newscasts but you get up to date, current, breaking news along with many other amateur radio news bulletins that may be time sensitive. The ARNewsline Facebook page is "all the news all the time". Member posts are moderated for a specific criteria.

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The weekly ARNewsline reports will be sent to your email or you can read it on the Yahoo Groups page.
The email group posting is closed for members, the email list is for "the reports, only the reports and nothing but the reports".

Don't forget the "Old Skool Way"!!
Do a search within your area to listen to the ARNewsline reports on your local repeater.
There are many, many repeaters out there that play the weekly ARNewsline audio reports, ask around and/or tune around!

From all of the ARNewsline team, thank you all for your patients thru these difficult times, the ARNewsline reports are back and that was a "BIG" wish from Bill before we lost him...

Spread the word, share this post/email and help keep Bills vision, dreams and memory alive.

{ WA6ITF/sk de KB7TBT, it is only a flesh wound, 73 .. }

73
James
KB7TBT

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1359. The Amateur Radio Newsline team has been hard at work!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2015-09-20 04:12:55 UTC
From: kb7tbt@...
Topic: 1359 Message: 1359

The Amateur Radio Newsline team has been hard at work!

We have been getting lots of reports back indicating the repeaters that play the weekly ARNewsline audio and it has been great!

Keep them coming and get your ARNewsline source advertised!

Please send your Name, Call, QTH, Freq, Echolink, IRLP, HF and all additional information to newsline@arnewsline.org

73 and thank you
James
KB7TBT

1360. The Amateur Radio Newsline team has been hard at work!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2015-09-20 04:13:18 UTC
From: kb7tbt@...
Topic: 1359 Message: 1360

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1361. Search the kb9ygd onlinr log...

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2015-10-18 19:23:03 UTC
From: norman.triantafilos@...
Topic: 1361 Message: 1361

Are U in it?

KB9YGD Log Search http://dx.qsl.net/cgi-bin/logform.cgi?kb9ygd

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View on dx.qsl.net http://dx.qsl.net/cgi-bin/logform.cgi?kb9ygd
Preview by Yahoo

1362. Happy Thanksgiving

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2015-11-26 01:20:52 UTC
From: KA9QJG@...
Topic: 731 Message: 1362

Just Like to Wish all our Members and Family and Friends a Wonderful and Happy Thanksgiving Please lets be Thankful for what We have and Pray for Peace and all our Troops around the World Protecting our Freedom

73 De Don KA9QJG

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Thanksgiving https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Thanksgiving

http://www.jacquielawson.com/viewcard.asp?code=HY27482779
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Are you Seriously Thinking about Eating Me

1363. Work DX..its out there!

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2016-01-24 17:23:21 UTC
From: norman.triantafilos@...
Topic: 1354 Message: 1363

Write a message...

1364. 73

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2017-09-29 18:23:45 UTC
From: jrichards@...
Topic: 1364 Message: 1364

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Happy trails to all. - James - K8JHR -

1365. RE: [CQCQCQ] 73

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2017-09-29 18:32:31 UTC
From: John Murphy
Topic: 1364 Message: 1365

Yeah, James, I think the last message I had in this group was Jan of 2016. I guess no one else is interested in making schedules for contacts. I haven’t

de WN6OTL (Ex-KC0JPO)
John Murphy

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State AFMARS Director, Colorado

ARES/RACES/AFMARS Nothwest Area, Region 8

Personal Email: <mailto:jmurphy7411@...> jmurphy7411@...

cleaned my yahoo group memberships lately, probably should do that.

From: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com [mailto:CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com]
Sent: Friday, September 29, 2017 12:24 PM
To: CQCQCQ@yahoogroups.com
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1366. RE: [CQCQCQ] 73

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2017-09-29 18:38:42 UTC
From: KA9QJG
Topic: 1364 Message: 1366

James , Great to hear from You James hope all is well Yes it was I thought a great idea I have 4 Repeater’s in N/W Indiana not much activity You take care of yourself and stay Healthy

73 De Don KA9QJG

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: jrichards@...

1367. Happy Holidays

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2017-12-12 03:17:06 UTC
From: KA9QJG@...
Topic: 1367 Message: 1367

Just like to take Time and Wish Everyone and Their Family and all their Friends the Very Best of the Holiday Season and Best of Health and No Stress

Don

HAPPY HOLIDAYS

https://tinyurl.com/y857e4b https://tinyurl.com/y857e4b

1368. Re: Happy Holidays

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2017-12-23 15:21:14 UTC
From: dhobson123@...
Topic: 1367 Message: 1368

Same to you Don and all the list members here....Merry Christmas.

Don KB9UMT
www.30mdg.org http://www.30mdg.org <30 meter Digital Group>

1369. Happy Holidays

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2017-12-23 21:43:04 UTC
From: KA9QJG
Topic: 1367 Message: 1369

Happy Holidays

Just wanted to Wish Everyone a Great Holiday Season Hope Santa is good
to all Praying for our troops around the world . Stay Healthy and be
Thankful for what we have lots have less ..

73 De Don KA9QJG

https://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player_embedded
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"The Night Before Christmas", Ham Radio-style

'Twas the night before Christmas, when all through the town,
The snowstorm was raging, the phone lines were down;
The wind it did howl, the tree limbs did crack,
I hope that St. Nick isn't forced to turn back.
The wife making cookies, the kids making noise,
While away in the shack, by my rig I was poised.
The finals were glowing, the mike gain was set,
I was chasing DX to see what I could get.
The bands were all empty, the frequencies clear,
Except one lone station that sounded quite near.
He was calling CQ and my interest did pique,
When he ended transmission with the words,
"Old St. Nick".
I answered back quickly, I used great dispatch,
If this were St. Nicholas, good God, what a catch!
We exchanged information, it was really quite graphic,
Then he came back and said,
"I've emergency traffic!"
His reindeer were tired, his elves in a grump,
If he didn't land soon, then his sleigh he would dump.
I thought very carefully, I thought very hard,
Then I gave him directions to my snow covered yard.
As he flew past my window, his hair like a mane,
He reined in his chargers and called them by name:
"Whoa, Anode! Whoa, Cathode! Whoa, Zener! Whoa, Diode!
Stop, Heater! Stop, Grid leak! Stop, Bias! Stop, Triode!
You're flying too low! you're flying too fast!
Look out, you dumb reindeer, his antenna mast!"

So into the backyard the reindeer did drop,
St. Nick, the elves, and the sleigh went kerplop!
Then at the back door, I heard this loud knocking,
"Open up in there, or I won't fill your stocking!"
As I turned off the light and was leaving the shack,
Into the house Saint Nicholas came from the back--
His two-meter rig held to his hip with a strap,
"Hams do it in the shack" on the front of his cap.
The sack that he carried made his aged brow furrow,
And he handed me a card that read,
"QSL Via Bureau".
His clothes were all sooty, from his shoes to his vest;
I felt like a novice taking his test.
His fingers were calloused and from what I could tell,
This came from a straight key that I'll bet he used well.
I offered him coffee, I offered him smokes,
I tried easing the tension by telling ham jokes.
Then he nodded his head and raised up his thumb,
He smiled like an Elmer, did I ever feel dumb.
He grabbed up his sack and went straight for the tree,
And placed in it a large present for me.
When he finished his work, he stood up, took a bow,
Then out the back door to his team he did plow.
But I heard him exclaim as he flew o'er the land,
"Beware the FCC, friend, we were both out of band!"

Merry Christmas from my house to yours!

1370. Scanner Traffiic

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2017-12-25 06:00:14 UTC
From: KA9QJG@...
Topic: 1370 Message: 1370

Most Know I have been a Ham Radio Op and Scanner Listener over 35 Yrs Here is what I just heard, Happy Holidays Don KA9QJG

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1371. Re: [CQCQCQ] Scanner Traffiic

Yahoo group: CQCQCQ
Date: 2017-12-26 20:51:56 UTC
From: John Becker
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Can you tell us what it is? not a facebook member and not about to join just to listen.

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